

### Recommended phase 2 dose (RP2D) selection and pharmacodynamic data of the first-in-human immunestimulating antibody conjugate (ISAC) BDC-1001 in patients with advanced HER2-expressing solid tumors

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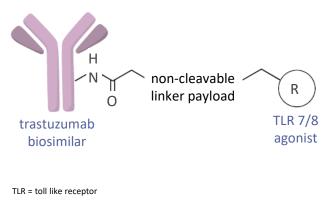
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### BDC-1001: Novel, First-in-Class Boltbody<sup>™</sup> Immune-Stimulating Antibody Conjugate (ISAC)

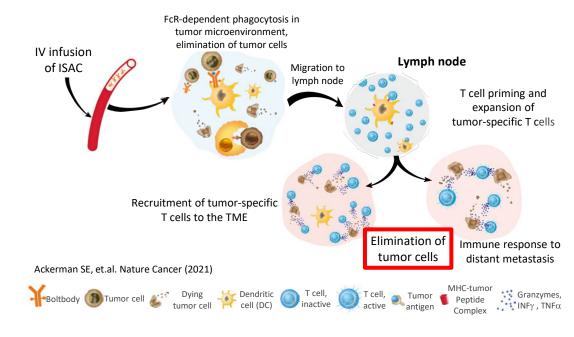
### **Molecular Structure**

- BDC-1001 consists of
  - Antibody: trastuzumab biosimilar
  - Payload: TLR 7/8 agonist
  - Linker: non-cleavable
- BDC-1001 linker-payload is cell membrane-impermeable



### Proposed Mechanism of Action (MOA)

- Local activation of the innate immune system
- Generates a durable tumor-targeted adaptive immune response





#### Phase 1 dose escalation results & RP2D selected

- 131 patients with 16 different HER2-expressing solid tumor types; 18 cohorts (doses: 0.5 20 mg/kg IV; schedules: q3w, q2w, q1w)
- BDC-1001 well tolerated up to 20 mg/kg q1w as monotherapy and in combination with nivolumab
- Clinical activity across all cohorts in a heterogenous, heavily pre-treated patient population: 1 CR, 5 PRs, 14 SDs ≥ 24 weeks
- BDC-1001 20 mg/kg q2w (as monotherapy or with nivolumab) selected as RP2D based on safety, clinical efficacy, and PK

#### Safety for BDC-1001 Monotherapy and Combination with Nivolumab

	BDC-1001 Related-TEAEs Grade ≥ 3 n (%)	LVEF Decrease Grade ≥ 3 <sup>3</sup> n (%)	IRR n (%)
q3w <sup>2</sup> (N=52)	5 (9.6)	1 (1.9)	12 (23.1)
q2w (N=39)	1 (2.6)	1 (2.6)	11 (28.2)
q1w (N=40)	4 (10.0)	3 (7.5)	16 (40.0)
Total (N=131)	10 (7.6)	5 (3.8)	39 (29.8)

<sup>2</sup>q3w included monotherapy only; <sup>3</sup>Derived per CTCAE v5.0, Grade 3 is defined as 'Resting ejection fraction (EF) 39 - 20% OR  $\geq$ 20% drop from baseline'. Grade 4 is defined as 'Resting ejection fraction (EF) <20%'.

### **PK and Biomarkers**

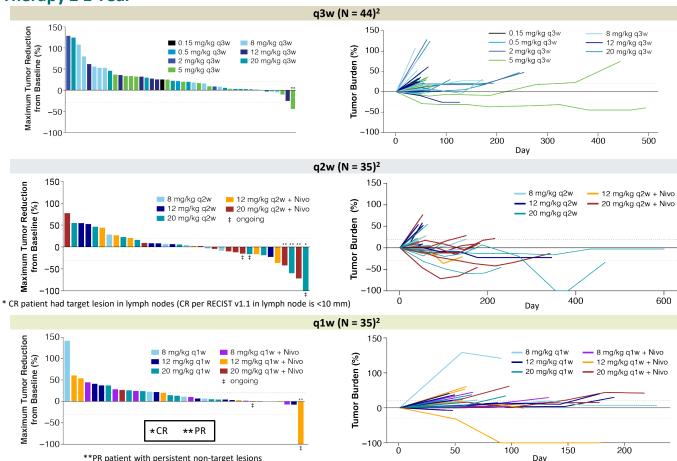
- Median target serum exposure of at least 10  $\mu$ g/mL reached at RP2D; BDC-1001 half-life is 4.8 days
- No clinically significant ADA formation observed (6.3% incidence with very low titers, without impact on PK)
- Dose-dependent increases of multiple plasma cytokines/chemokines, including low IL-6 levels observed
- Increases of myeloid and T cell infiltrations observed in paired tumor biopsies by IHC

<sup>1</sup>Li B, et al. J Clin Oncol 41, 2023 (suppl 16; abstr 2538); ADA=anti-drug antibody, CR = complete response, IHC = immunohistochemistry, IRR = infusion related reaction, LVEF = left ventricular ejection fraction, PR = partial response, PK = pharmacokinetics, RP2D = recommended phase 2 dose, SD = stable disease, TEAE = treatment-emergent adverse event



- Of 10 patients with grade ≥ 3 BDC-1001-related TEAEs, 1 grade 4
- 5 patients with grade ≥ 3 LVEF, all grade 3
- No grade ≥ 3 IRR was observed
- No increase in nivolumab toxicity in combination with BDC-1001
- Nivolumab did not increase toxicity of BDC-1001

### Improved BDC-1001 Efficacy Since ASCO:<sup>1</sup> 1 New CR, 2 Additional Long-Term SDs, and 3 Patients Have Now Received Therapy ≥ 1 Year



Efficacy at RP2D, 20 mg/kg q2w, in evaluable HER2+ tumors

- Monotherapy (n=7)
  - 1 CR, 1 PR (ORR = 29%)
  - 43% had disease control ≥24 weeks
  - 57% achieved tumor shrinkage
    - Tumor types: biliary tract, colorectal, salivary gland
  - 2 patients received therapy for ≥1 year
- Combination with nivolumab (n=7)
  - 2 PRs (ORR = 29%)
  - 57% had disease control ≥24 weeks
  - 71% achieved tumor shrinkage

 Tumor types: breast, colorectal, ovary, salivary gland

### Overall, 3 patients have now received therapy for ≥1 year

- 2 at 20 mg/kg q2w (RP2D)
- 1 at 5 mg/kg q3w

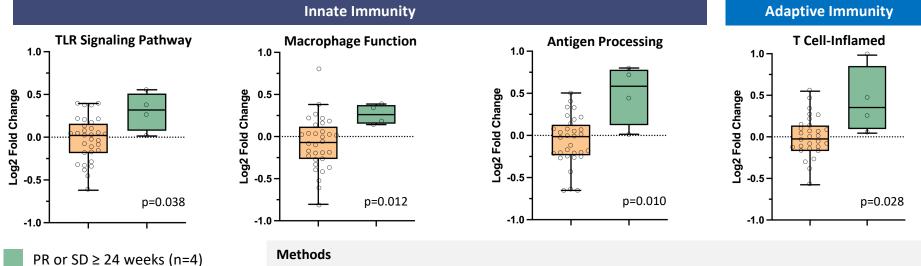
ongress <sup>1</sup>Li B, et al. J Clin Oncol 41, 2023 (suppl 16; abstr 2538), <sup>2</sup>patients with ≥1 tumor assessment post-dose

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# BDC-1001 Upregulates TLR Signaling, Myeloid, and T Cell Pathways in Clinical Responders, Consistent with MOA



PD or SD < 24 weeks (n=32)

Dose (mg/kg)	BDC-1001			BDC-1001 + Nivolumab	
	q3w	q2w	q1w	q2w	q1w
5*	5	0	0	0	0
8	3	1	0	0	1
12	5	1	3	3	0
20	5	1	5	4	0

\*1 patient missing response assessment



Matched tumor biopsies obtained at baseline and approximately 4 weeks

- Gene expression analyzed by RNAseq and displayed as fold change relative to baseline
- 37 patients had paired and evaluable gene expression data (q3w, q2w, q1w)
  - 1 patient missing response assessment

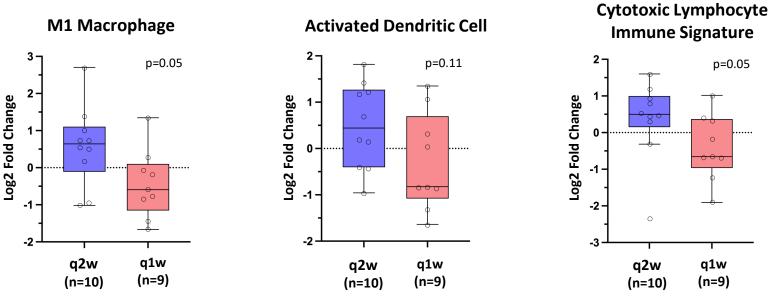
#### Results

• Statistically significant<sup>1</sup> upregulation of TLR signaling pathway gene signature, innate immunity gene signatures, and T cell-inflamed phenotype<sup>2</sup> was observed in the 4 patients with clinical benefit

<sup>1</sup>MOA-driven evaluation of key signatures (Bolt Biotherapeutics; Nature Cancer 2021) assessed using Mann Whitney U test <sup>2</sup>TLR Signaling Pathway - KEGG database; Macrophage Function & Antigen Processing - NanoString; T Cell-Inflamed Signature - Ayers M 2017

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## Increases in Select Innate Immune and Adaptive Immune Signatures Were Observed in Patients in the q2w Cohorts, but Not in q1w Cohorts



Dose (mg/kg)	BDC-1001		BDC-1001 + Nivolumab		Ν
	q2w	q1w	q2w	q1w	•
5	0	0	0	0	٠
8	1	0	0	1	R
12	1	3	3	0	
20	1	5	4	0	•

#### Methods

Gene expression data were generated by RNAseq

10 patients in q2w cohorts and 9 patients in q1w cohorts had paired and evaluable gene expression data

#### Results

Upregulation of select innate and adaptive immune signatures<sup>1</sup> were observed in q2w cohorts, but not q1w

<sup>1</sup>M1, activated DC and cytotoxic lymphocyte immune signatures – Jones WD 2020



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### **Summary and Next Steps**

### BDC-1001, a novel ISAC targeting HER2, is well tolerated with encouraging clinical activity

- Clinical activity across all cohorts (n=131): 1 CR, 5 PRs, and 14 SDs ≥ 24 weeks
- At RP2D, 20 mg/kg q2w (n=14<sup>1</sup>): 1 CR, 3 PRs (29% ORR), and 4 SDs ≥ 24 weeks
- No drug-related alopecia, interstitial lung disease, or grade ≥3 infusion-related reaction

### Gene expression analysis demonstrates

- Upregulation of TLR signaling, myeloid, and T cell pathways in clinical responders, consistent with mechanism of action
- Increases in innate immune and adaptive immune signatures were observed in patients in the q2w cohorts, but not q1w

### BDC-1001 is the first ISAC to advance to phase 2 trials

- Dose expansion phase of BDC-1001 monotherapy and with nivolumab<sup>2</sup> in HER2+ colorectal, gastroesophageal, and endometrial cancers (NCT04278144)
- New trial of BDC-1001 monotherapy with or without pertuzumab<sup>3</sup> in HER2+ metastatic breast cancer following prior treatment with trastuzumab deruxtecan (NCT05954143)

<sup>1</sup>HER2+ evaluable, BDC-1001 as monotherapy and with nivolumab; <sup>2</sup>provided by BMS; <sup>3</sup>provided by Roche

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