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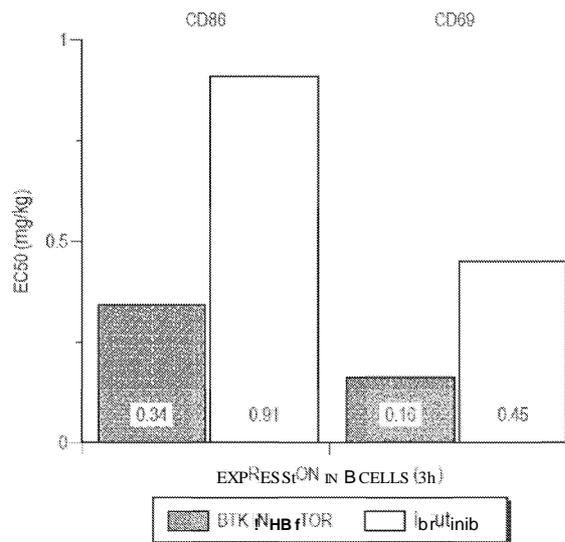


FIG. 1

(57) Abstract: Therapeutic combinations of a CD 19 inhibitor and a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor are described. In some embodiments, the invention provides pharmaceutical compositions comprising combinations of a CD 19 inhibitor and a BTK inhibitor and methods of using the pharmaceutical compositions for treating a disease, in particular a cancer, such as a hematological malignancy. A combination of a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor, such as a CD19-targeted antibody or a CD19-targeted chimeric antigen receptor expressing T cell or NK cell, and compositions and uses thereof are disclosed. Combinations of a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor with a programmed death- 1 (PD-1) or PD-1 ligand (PD-L1) inhibitor and compositions and uses thereof are also disclosed.

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THERAPEUTIC COMBINATIONS OF A CD 19 INHIBITOR AND A BTK INHIBITOR

FIELD OF THE INVENTION

[001] Therapeutic combinations of a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor and uses of the therapeutic combinations are disclosed herein. In particular, a combination of a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor, such as a CD19-targeted antibody or a T cell or NK cell expressing a CD19-targeted chimeric antigen receptor, and compositions and uses thereof are disclosed.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

[002] Bruton's Tyrosine Kinase (BTK) is a Tec family non-receptor protein kinase expressed in B cells and myeloid cells. The function of BTK in signaling pathways activated by the engagement of the B cell receptor (BCR) and FCER1 on mast cells is well established. Functional mutations in BTK in humans result in a primary immunodeficiency disease characterized by a defect in B cell development with a block between pro- and pre-B cell stages. The result is an almost complete absence of B lymphocytes, causing a pronounced reduction of serum immunoglobulin of all classes. These findings support a key role for BTK in the regulation of the production of auto-antibodies in autoimmune diseases.

[003] Other diseases with an important role for dysfunctional B cells are B cell malignancies. The reported role for BTK in the regulation of proliferation and apoptosis of B cells indicates the potential for BTK inhibitors in the treatment of B cell lymphomas. BTK inhibitors have thus been developed as potential therapies, as described in D'Cruz and Uckun, *OncoTargets and Therapy* **2013**, *6*, 161-176.

[004] The CD 19 (cluster of differentiation 19) antigen is found on B cells throughout their lifespan. Nadler, *et al.*, *J. Immunol.* **1983**, *131*, 244-50. CD 19 is expressed on cancerous cells, including B cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia ("B-ALL") cancer cells. Nadler, *etal.*, *J. Clin. Invest.* **1984**, *74*, 332-40. CD19 is also found on follicular dendritic cells. CD19 is the most widely expressed cell surface antigen in B-cell malignancies. CD19 is thus a target for immunotherapeutic approaches in cancer and inflammatory diseases using anti-CD 19

monoclonal antibodies. Tedder, *Nat Rev. Rheumatol.* **2009**, *5*, 572-77. Similarly, CD 19 has also been a target for chimeric antigen receptor (CAR) modified T cells and natural killer (NK) cells. Kochenderfer and Rosenberg, *Nat. Rev. Clin. Oncol.* **2013**, *10*, 267-76. These anti-CD19 therapies have shown efficacy in various diseases, including B cell malignancies such as acute lymphoblastic leukemia and chronic lymphocytic leukemia.

[005] In many solid tumors, the supportive microenvironment (which may make up the majority of the tumor mass) is a dynamic force that enables tumor survival. The tumor microenvironment is generally defined as a complex mixture of "cells, soluble factors, signaling molecules, extracellular matrices, and mechanical cues that promote neoplastic transformation, support tumor growth and invasion, protect the tumor from host immunity, foster therapeutic resistance, and provide niches for dominant metastases to thrive," as described in Swartz, *et al*, *Cancer Res.*, **2012**, *72*, 2473. Although tumors express antigens that should be recognized by T cells, tumor clearance by the immune system is rare because of immune suppression by the microenvironment. Addressing the tumor cells themselves with e.g. chemotherapy has also proven to be insufficient to overcome the protective effects of the microenvironment. New approaches are thus urgently needed for more effective treatment of solid tumors that take into account the role of the microenvironment.

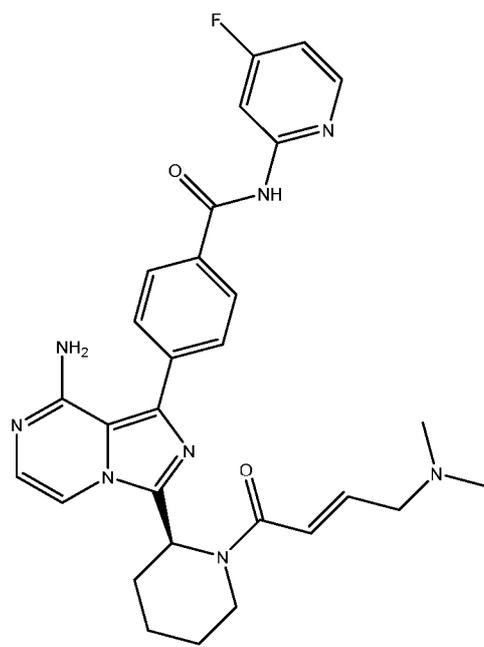
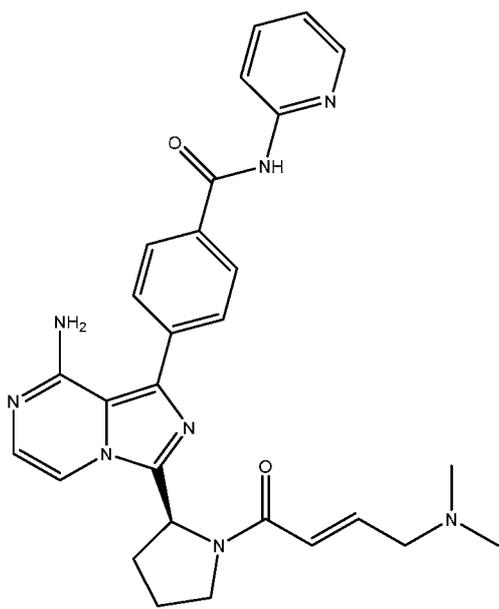
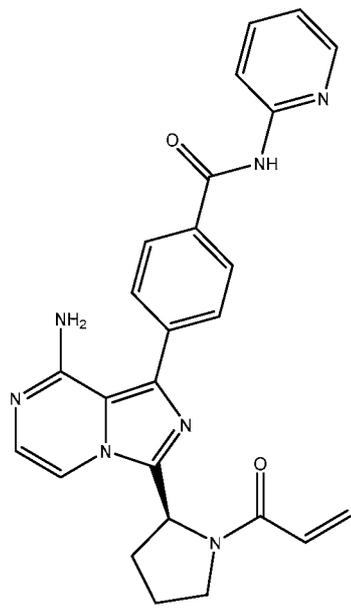
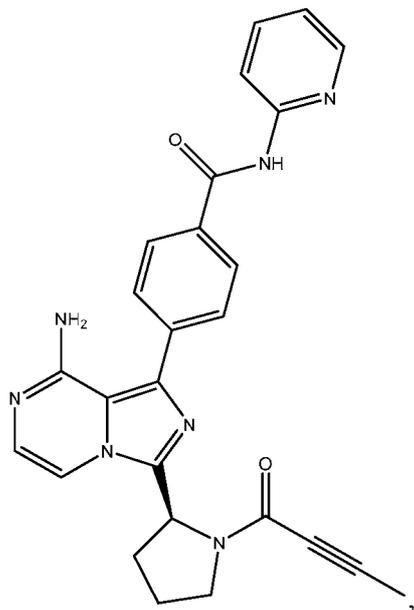
[006] The CD20 antigen, also called human B-lymphocyte-restricted differentiation antigen Bp35, or B1), is found on the surface of normal "pre-B" and mature B lymphocytes, including malignant B lymphocytes. Nadler, *et al*, *J. Clin. Invest.* **1981**, *67*, 134-40; Stashenko, *et al*, *J. Immunol.* **1980**, *139*, 3260-85. The CD20 antigen is a glycosylated integral membrane protein with a molecular weight of approximately 35 kD. Tedder, *et al*, *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, **1988**, *85*, 208-12. CD20 is also expressed on most B cell non-Hodgkin's lymphoma cells, but is not found on hematopoietic stem cells, pro-B cells, normal plasma cells, or other normal tissues. Anti-CD20 antibodies are currently used as therapies for many B cell hematological malignancies, including indolent non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (NHL), aggressive NHL, and chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL)/small lymphocytic leukemia (SLL). Lim, *et. al*, *Haematologica* **2010**, *95*, 135-43; Beers, *et. al.*, *Sem. Hematol.* **2010**, *47*, 107-14; Klein, *et al*, *mAbs* **2013**, *5*, 22-33. However, there is an urgent need to provide for more efficacious therapies in many B cell hematological malignancies.

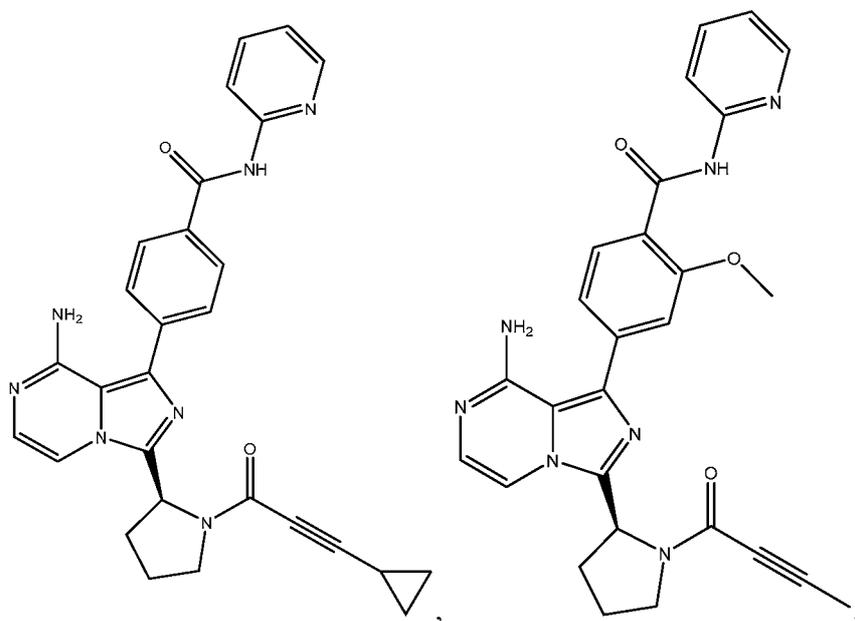
[007] The present invention provides the unexpected finding that the combination of a CD 19 inhibitor and a BTK inhibitor is synergistically effective in the treatment of any of several types of cancers such as leukemia, lymphoma, and solid tumor cancers, as well as inflammatory, immune, and autoimmune disorders. The present invention further provides the unexpected finding that the combination of an anti-CD20 antibody with a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor is synergistically effective in the treatment of any of several types of cancers such as leukemia, lymphoma, and solid tumor cancers, as well as inflammatory, immune, and autoimmune disorders.

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

[008] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hyperproliferative disease, comprising co-administering, to a mammal in need thereof, therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and (2) a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is administered to the mammal before administration of the BTK inhibitor. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is administered to the mammal simultaneously with the administration of the BTK inhibitor. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is administered to the mammal after administration of the BTK inhibitor. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 antibody. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor expressed in a T cell or a natural killer (NK) cell.

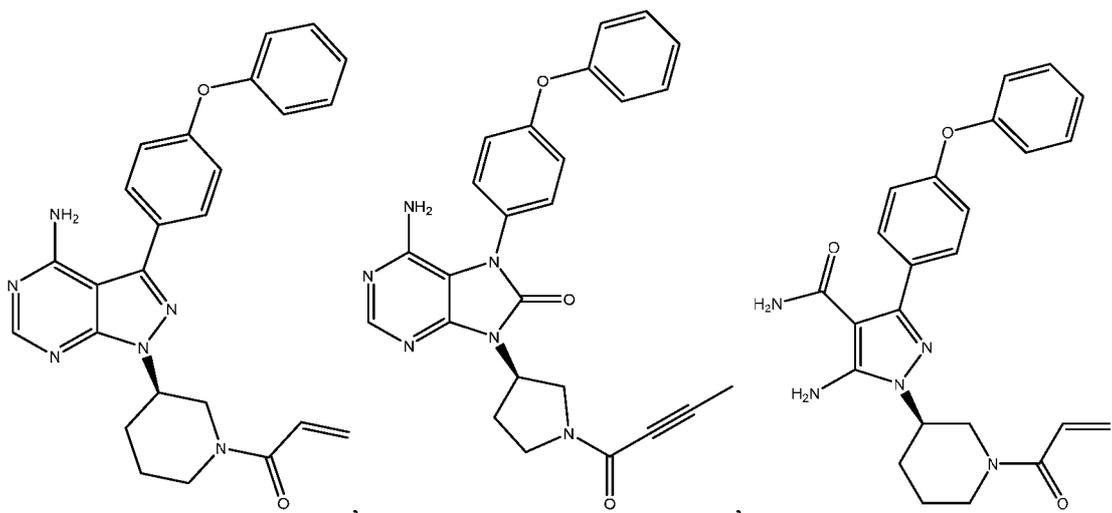
[009] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hyperproliferative disease, comprising co-administering, to a mammal in need thereof, therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of:





and pharmaceutically-acceptable salts, cocrystals, hydrates, solvates, and prodrugs thereof.

[0010] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hyperproliferative disease, comprising co-administering, to a mammal in need thereof, therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and (2) a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of:



and pharmaceutically-acceptable salts, cocrystals, hydrates, solvates, and prodrugs thereof.

[0011] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hyperproliferative disease, comprising co-administering, to a mammal in need thereof, therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein the CD 19 inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of blinatumomab, coltuximab ravtansine, denintuzumab mafodotin, and an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor, and antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, or biosimilars thereof.

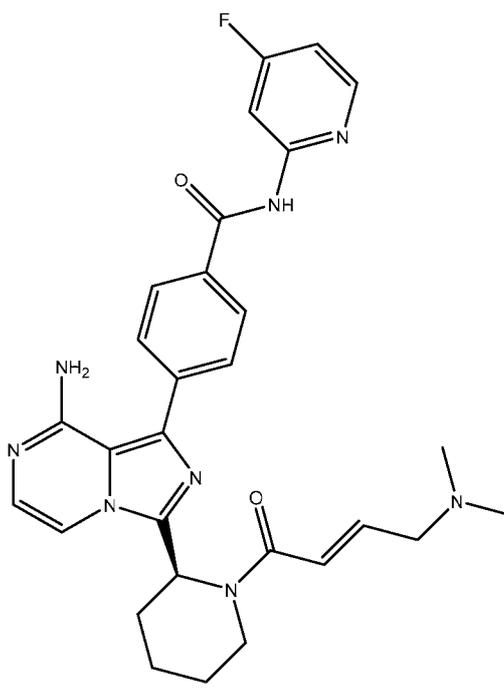
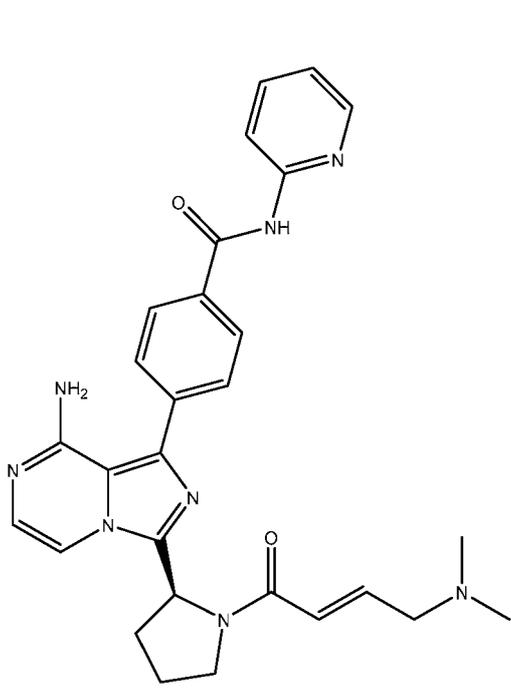
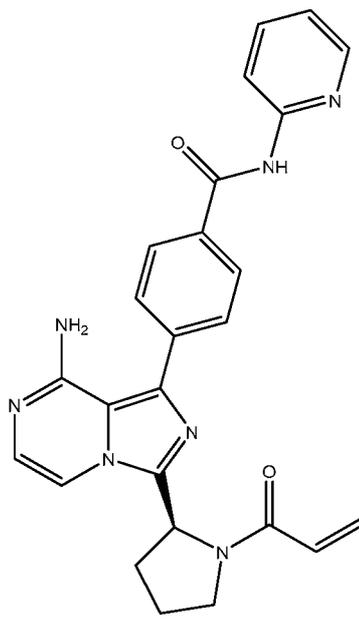
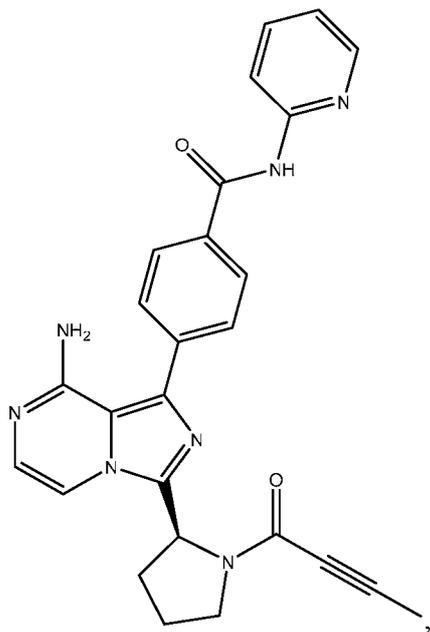
[0012] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hyperproliferative disease, comprising co-administering, to a mammal in need thereof, therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of an anti-CD20 antibody selected from the group consisting of rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, ibritumomab, and fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, radioisotope-labeled complexes, biosimilars thereof, and combinations thereof.

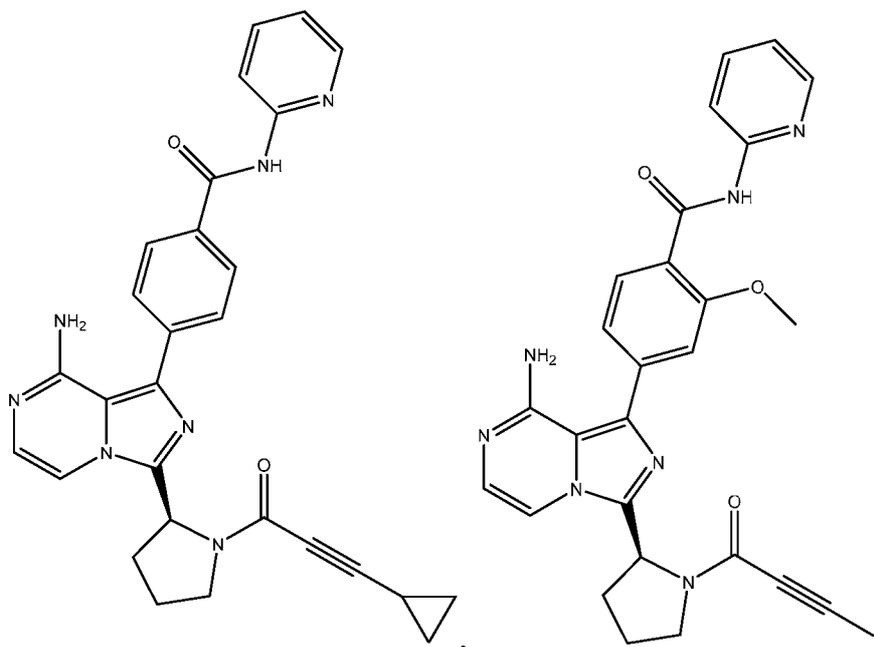
[0013] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hyperproliferative disease, wherein the hyperproliferative disease is a cancer, comprising co-administering, to a mammal in need thereof, therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and (2) a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein the cancer is a B cell hematological malignancy, and wherein the B cell hematological malignancy is selected from the group consisting of chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL), small lymphocytic leukemia (SLL), non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (NHL), diffuse large B cell lymphoma (DLBCL), follicular lymphoma (FL), mantle cell lymphoma (MCL), Hodgkin's lymphoma, B cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia (B-ALL), Burkitt's lymphoma, Waldenstrom's macroglobulinemia (WM), Burkitt's lymphoma, multiple myeloma, and myelofibrosis. In an embodiment, the cancer is a solid tumor cancer, wherein the solid tumor cancer is selected from the group consisting of bladder cancer, non-small cell lung cancer,

cervical cancer, anal cancer, pancreatic cancer, squamous cell carcinoma including head and neck cancer, renal cell carcinoma, melanoma, ovarian cancer, small cell lung cancer, glioblastoma, gastrointestinal stromal tumor, breast cancer, lung cancer, colorectal cancer, thyroid cancer, bone sarcoma, stomach cancer, oral cavity cancer, oropharyngeal cancer, gastric cancer, kidney cancer, liver cancer, prostate cancer, esophageal cancer, testicular cancer, gynecological cancer, colon cancer, and brain cancer.

[0014] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hyperproliferative disease, comprising co-administering, to a mammal in need thereof, therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and (2) a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of gemcitabine or albumin-bound paclitaxel.

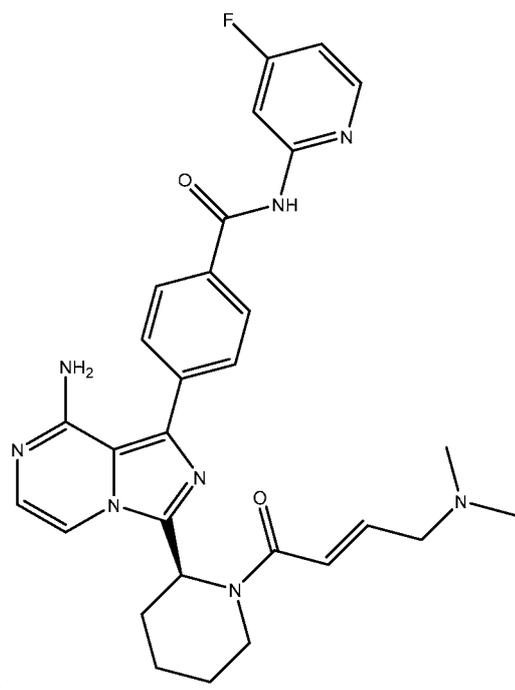
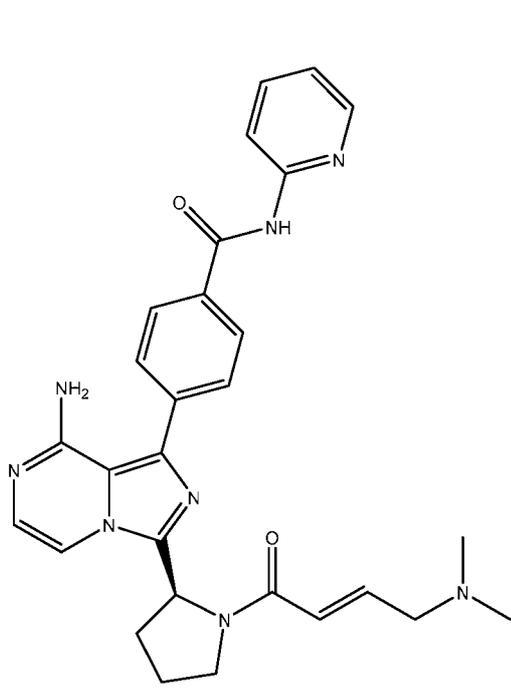
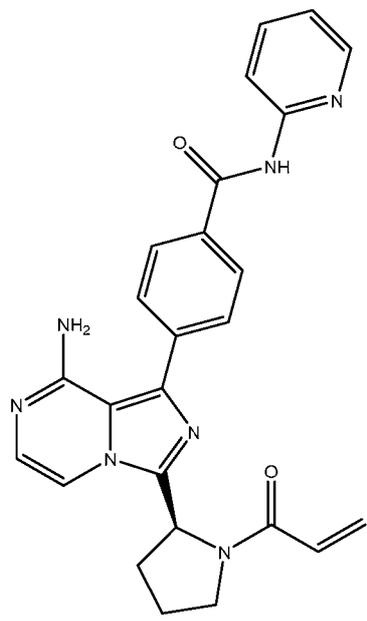
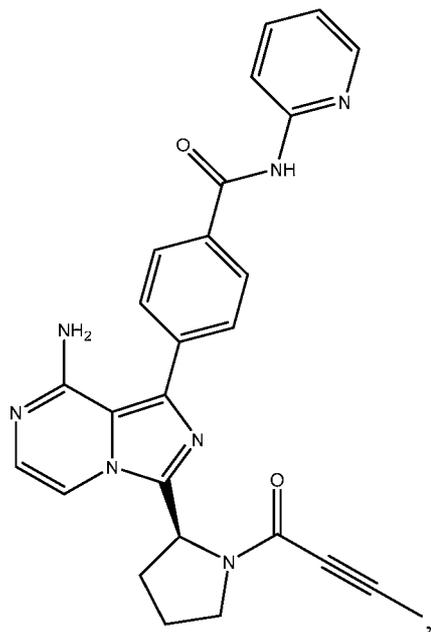
[0015] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a cancer in a human comprising the step of co-administering (1) a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and (2) a therapeutically effective amount of a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein the therapeutically effective amount is effective to inhibit signaling between the tumor cells of the cancer and at least one tumor microenvironment selected from the group consisting of macrophages, monocytes, mast cells, helper T cells, cytotoxic T cells, regulatory T cells, natural killer cells, myeloid-derived suppressor cells, regulatory B cells, neutrophils, dendritic cells, and fibroblasts. In an embodiment, the cancer is a solid tumor cancer selected from the group consisting of bladder cancer, non-small cell lung cancer, cervical cancer, anal cancer, pancreatic cancer, squamous cell carcinoma including head and neck cancer, renal cell carcinoma, melanoma, ovarian cancer, small cell lung cancer, glioblastoma, gastrointestinal stromal tumor, breast cancer, lung cancer, colorectal cancer, thyroid cancer, bone sarcoma, stomach cancer, oral cavity cancer, oropharyngeal cancer, gastric cancer, kidney cancer, liver cancer, prostate cancer, esophageal cancer, testicular cancer, gynecological cancer, colon cancer, and brain cancer. In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of:

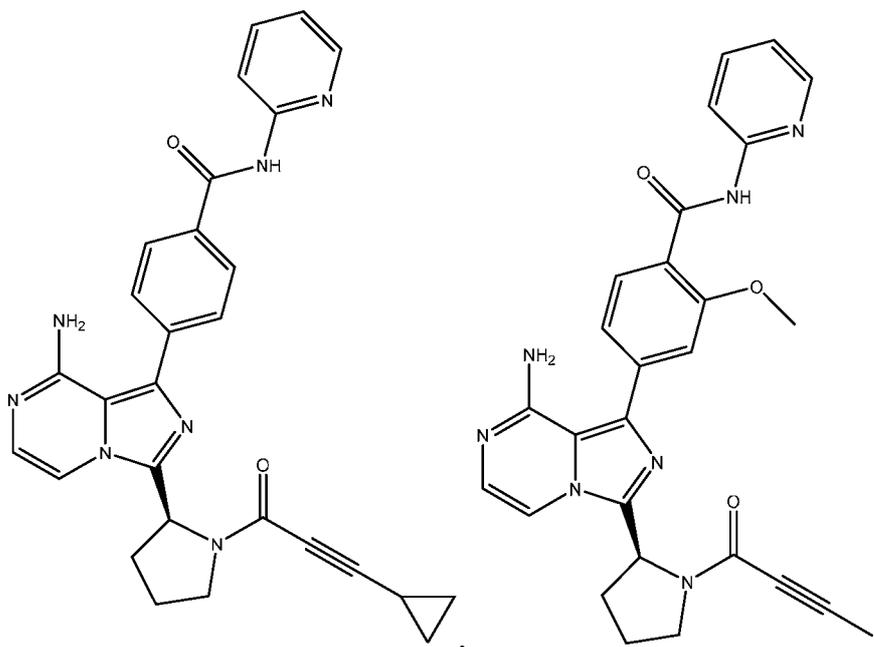




and pharmaceutically-acceptable salts, cocrystals, hydrates, solvates, or prodrugs thereof. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of blinatumomab, coltuximab ravtansine, denintuzumab mafodotin, and an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor, and antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, and biosimilars thereof.

[0016] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a cancer in a human intolerant to a bleeding event comprising the step of administering (1) a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and (2) a therapeutically effective amount of a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of:





and pharmaceutically-acceptable salts, cocrystals, hydrates, solvates, or prodrugs thereof. In an embodiment, the bleeding event is selected from the group consisting of subdural hematoma, gastrointestinal bleeding, hematuria, post-procedural hemorrhage, bruising, petechiae, and combinations thereof. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of blinatumomab, coltuximab ravtansine, denintuzumab mafodotin, and an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor, and antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, and biosimilars thereof.

[0017] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a cancer in a human intolerant to a bleeding event comprising the step of administering (1) a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and (2) a therapeutically effective amount of a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of an anticoagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient. In an embodiment, the anticoagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient is selected from the group consisting of acenocoumarol, anagrelide, anagrelide hydrochloride, abciximab, aloxiprin, antithrombin, apixaban, argatroban, aspirin, aspirin with extended-release dipyridamole, beraprost, betrixaban, bivalirudin, carbasalate calcium, cilostazol, clopidogrel, clopidogrel bisulfate, cloricromen, dabigatran

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[0018] In some embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; and (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition. In an embodiment, this composition is for use in the treatment of cancer.

[0019] In some embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, for use in the treatment of cancer; and (3) a therapeutically effective amount of an anti-CD20 antibody selected from the group consisting of rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, ibritumomab, and fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, radioisotope-labeled complexes, and biosimilars thereof. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition. In an embodiment, this composition is for use in the treatment of cancer.

[0020] In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating leukemia, lymphoma or a solid tumor cancer comprising co-administering to a mammal in need thereof any of the foregoing compositions.

[0021] In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating leukemia, lymphoma or a solid tumor cancer comprising co-administering to a mammal in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor and a BTK inhibitor.

[0022] In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating leukemia, lymphoma or a solid tumor cancer comprising co-administering to a mammal in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor, a BTK inhibitor, and an anti-CD20 antibody.

[0023] In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating leukemia, lymphoma or a solid tumor cancer comprising co-administering to a mammal in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor, a BTK inhibitor, and gemcitabine.

[0024] In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating leukemia, lymphoma or a solid tumor cancer comprising co-administering to a mammal in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor, a BTK inhibitor, and albumin-bound paclitaxel.

[0025] In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating leukemia, lymphoma or a solid tumor cancer comprising co-administering to a mammal in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor, a BTK inhibitor, and bendustamine.

[0026] In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating leukemia, lymphoma or a solid tumor cancer comprising co-administering to a mammal in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor, a BTK inhibitor, and a combination of cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, and prednisone (CHOP).

[0027] In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating leukemia, lymphoma or a solid tumor cancer comprising co-administering to a mammal in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor, a BTK inhibitor, and a combination of rituximab, cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, and prednisone (R-CHOP).

[0028] In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating leukemia, lymphoma or a solid tumor cancer comprising co-administering to a mammal in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor, a BTK inhibitor, and a combination of fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, and rituximab (FCR).

[0029] In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating leukemia, lymphoma or a solid tumor cancer comprising co-administering to a mammal in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor, a BTK inhibitor, and a combination of bendamustine and rituximab (BR).

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

[0030] The foregoing summary, as well as the following detailed description of the invention, will be better understood when read in conjunction with the appended drawings.

[0031] FIG. 1 illustrates *in vivo* potency of Formula (2) (labeled "BTK inhibitor") and Formula (10) (ibrutinib). Mice were gavaged at increasing drug concentration and sacrificed at one time point (3 hours post-dose). BCR is stimulated with IgM and the expression of activation markers CD69 and CD86 are monitored by flow cytometry to determine EC₅₀ values. The results show that Formula (2) is more potent at inhibiting expression of activation makers than Formula (10) (ibrutinib).

[0032] FIG. 2 illustrates *in vitro* potency in whole blood of Formula (2), Formula (10) (ibrutinib) and Formula (17) (CC-292) in inhibition of signals through the B cell receptor.

[0033] FIG. 3 illustrates EGF receptor phosphorylation *in vitro* for Formula (2) and Formula (10) (ibrutinib).

[0034] FIG. 4 illustrates tumor growth suppression in an orthotopic pancreatic cancer model. Mice were dosed orally with 15 mg/kg of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), 15 mg/kg of a phosphoinositide 3-kinase δ (PI3K-5) inhibitor (denoted "pIId"), or a combination of both drugs. The statistical p-value (presumption against null hypothesis) is shown for each tested single active pharmaceutical ingredient and for the combination against the vehicle.

[0035] FIG. 5 illustrates the effects of oral dosing with 15 mg/kg of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), 15 mg/kg of a phosphoinositide 3-kinase δ (PI3K-5) inhibitor (denoted "pIId"), or a combination of both inhibitors on myeloid tumor-associated macrophages (TAMs) in pancreatic tumor-bearing mice.

[0036] FIG. 6 illustrates the effects of oral dosing with 15 mg/kg of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), 15 mg/kg of a phosphoinositide 3-kinase δ (PI3K-5) inhibitor (denoted "pIId"), or a combination of both inhibitors on myeloid-derived suppressor cells (MDSCs) in pancreatic tumor-bearing mice.

[0037] FIG. 7 illustrates the effects of oral dosing with 15 mg/kg of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), 15 mg/kg of a phosphoinositide 3-kinase δ (PI3K-5) inhibitor, or a combination of both inhibitors on regulatory T cells (Tregs) in pancreatic tumor-bearing mice.

[0038] FIG. 8 illustrates the effects on tumor volume of vehicle (measured in mm³) of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), a combination of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) and gemcitabine ("Gem"), and gemcitabine alone.

[0039] FIG. 9 illustrates the effects on the amount of CD8⁺ T cells, given as a percentage of cells expressing the T cell receptor (CD3), of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), a combination of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) and gemcitabine ("Gem"), and gemcitabine alone.

[0040] FIG. 10 illustrates the effects on the percentage of CD4⁺, CD25⁺, and FoxP3⁺ T regulatory cells ("Tregs"), given as a percentage of cells expressing the T cell receptor (CD3), of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), a combination of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) and gemcitabine ("Gem"), and gemcitabine alone.

[0041] FIG. 11 illustrates the effects on the percentage of CD11b⁺, LY6C^{low}, F4/80⁺, and Csf1r⁺ tumor-associated macrophages ("TAMs"), given as a percentage of cells expressing the T cell receptor (CD3), of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), a combination of the BTK inhibitor of

Formula (2) and gemcitabine ("Gem"), and gemcitabine alone.

[0042] FIG. 12 illustrates the effects on the percentage of Gr1⁺ and LY6C^{hi}, F4/80⁺, and Csflr⁺ myeloid-derived suppressor cells ("MDSCs"), given as a percentage of cells expressing the T cell receptor (CD3), of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), a combination of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) and gemcitabine ("Gem"), and gemcitabine alone.

[0043] FIG. 13 illustrates the effects of vehicle on flux at two timepoints, as a control for comparison with FIG. 8, in the ID8 syngeneic orthotropic ovarian cancer model.

[0044] FIG. 14 illustrates the effects of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) on flux at two timepoints, for comparison with FIG. 13, in the ID8 syngeneic orthotropic ovarian cancer model.

[0045] FIG. 15 illustrates tumor response to treatment with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) correlates with a significant reduction in immunosuppressive tumor associated lymphocytes in tumor-bearing mice, in comparison to a control (vehicle).

[0046] FIG. 16 illustrates that treatment with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) impairs ID8 ovarian cancer growth in the syngeneic murine model in comparison to a control (vehicle).

[0047] FIG. 17 illustrates that treatment with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) induces a tumor response that correlates with a significant reduction in total B cells in tumor-bearing mice.

[0048] FIG. 18 illustrates that treatment with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) induces a tumor response that correlates with a significant reduction in B regulatory cells (Bregs) in tumor-bearing mice.

[0049] FIG. 19 illustrates that treatment with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) induces a tumor response that correlates with a significant reduction in immunosuppressive tumor associated Tregs.

[0050] FIG. 20 illustrates that treatment with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) induces a tumor response that correlates with an increase in CD8⁺ T cells.

[0051] FIG. 21 illustrates the effects of treatment with the active pharmaceutical ingredient of Formula (2) on tumor volumes in the KPC pancreatic cancer model.

[0052] FIG. 22 illustrates the results of analysis of tumor tissues showing that immunosuppressive TAMs (CD11b⁺Ly6ClowF4/80⁺Csflr⁺) were significantly reduced with

Formula (2) treatment in the KPC pancreatic cancer model.

[0053] FIG. 23 illustrates the results of analysis of tumor tissues showing that immunosuppressive MDSCs (**Grl⁺yeChi**) were significantly reduced with Formula (2) treatment in the KPC pancreatic cancer model.

[0054] FIG. 24 illustrates the results of analysis of tumor tissues showing that immunosuppressive Tregs (CD4⁺CD25⁺FoxP3⁺) were significantly reduced with Formula (2) treatment in the KPC pancreatic cancer model.

[0055] FIG. 25 illustrates that the decrease in immunosuppressive TAMs, MDSCs, and Tregs in the KPC pancreatic cancer model correlated with a significant increase in CD8⁺ cells.

[0056] FIG. 26 illustrates the dosing schema used with the KrasLA2 non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) model.

[0057] FIG. 27 illustrates tumor volume variation from baseline as assessed by microcomputerized tomography (microCT) in the KrasL2 NSCLC model.

[0058] FIG. 28 illustrates TAMs in the KrasL2 NSCLC model, and indicates that Formula (2) induces a tumor response that correlates with a significant reduction in immunosuppressive tumor associated TAMs.

[0059] FIG. 29 illustrates MDSCs in the KrasL2 NSCLC model, and indicates that Formula (2) induces a tumor response that correlates with a significant reduction in immunosuppressive tumor associated MDSCs.

[0060] FIG. 30 illustrates Tregs in the KrasL2 NSCLC model, and indicates that Formula (2) induces a tumor response that correlates with a significant reduction in immunosuppressive tumor associated Tregs.

[0061] FIG. 31 illustrates CD8⁺ T cells in the KrasL2 NSCLC model.

[0062] FIG. 32 illustrates BTK inhibitory effects on MDSCs.

[0063] FIG. 33 shows *in vitro* analysis of antibody-dependent NK cell-mediated interferon- γ (IFN- γ) release with BTK inhibitors. To evaluate NK cell function, purified NK cells were isolated from healthy peripheral blood mononuclear cells and cultured with 0.1 or 1 μ M of Formula (10) (ibrutinib) or 1 μ M of Formula (2) for 4 hours together with rituximab-coated (10

µg/mL) lymphoma cells, DHL4, or trastuzumab-coated (10 µg/mL) HER2⁺ breast cancer cells, HER18, and supernatant was harvested and analyzed by enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay for IFN-γ. All *in vitro* experiments were performed in triplicate. Labels are defined as follows: *p = 0.018, **p = 0.002, ***p = 0.001.

[0064] FIG. 34 shows *in vitro* analysis of antibody-dependent NK cell-mediated degranulation with BTK inhibitors. To evaluate NK cell function, purified NK cells were isolated from healthy peripheral blood mononuclear cells and cultured with 0.1 or 1 µM of Formula (10) (ibrutinib) or 1 µM of Formula (2) for 4 hours together with rituximab-coated (10 µg/mL) lymphoma cells, DHL4, or trastuzumab-coated (10 µg/mL) HER2⁺ breast cancer cells, HER18, and NK cells isolated and analyzed for degranulation by flow cytometry for CD107a⁺ mobilization. All *in vitro* experiments were performed in triplicate. Labels are defined as follows: *p = 0.01, **p = 0.002, ***p = 0.003, ****p = 0.0005.

[0065] FIG. 35 shows that Formula (10) (ibrutinib) antagonizes antibody-dependent NK cell-mediated cytotoxicity using the Raji cell line. NK cell cytotoxicity as percent lysis of tumor cells was analyzed in chromium release assays with purified NK cells incubated with chromium-labeled Raji for 4 hours at variable rituximab concentrations at a constant effectortarget ratio of 25:1 and Formula (10) (ibrutinib) (1 µM), Formula (2) (1 µM), or other interleukin-2 inducible tyrosine kinase (ITK) sparing BTK inhibitors CGI-1746, inhibA (1 µM) and BGB-31 11 ("inhibB," 1 µM). All *in vitro* experiments were performed in triplicate. Labels are defined as follows: *p = 0.001.

[0066] FIG. 36 shows that Formula (10) (ibrutinib) antagonizes antibody-dependent NK cell-mediated cytotoxicity in primary CLL cells. NK cell cytotoxicity as percent lysis of tumor cells was analyzed in chromium release assays with purified NK cells incubated with chromium-labeled Raji for 4 hours at variable rituximab concentrations at a constant effectortarget ratio of 25: 1 and Formula (10) (ibrutinib) (1 µM), Formula (2) (1 µM), or other ITK sparing BTK inhibitors CGI-1746, inhibA (1 µM) and BGB-31 11 ("inhibB," 1 µM). All *in vitro* experiments were performed in triplicate. Labels are defined as follows: *p = 0.001.

[0067] FIG. 37 shows a summary of the results given in FIG. 36 at the highest concentration of rituximab ("Ab") (10 µg/mL).

[0068] FIG. 38 shows NK cell degranulation results for combinations of obinutuzumab with

Formula (2) and Formula (10). The percentage of CD56⁺/CD107a⁺ NK cells observed in whole blood after pretreatment for 1 hour with the BTK inhibitors and stimulation with MEC-1 cells opsonised with obinutuzumab at 1 µg/mL for 4 hours (n = 3) is shown.

[0069] FIG. 39 shows the effects of BTK inhibition on generalized NK cell mediated cytotoxicity.

[0070] FIG. 40 shows that Formula (2) has no adverse effect on T helper 17 (Th17) cells, which are a subset of T helper cells that produce interleukin 17 (IL-17), while Formula (10) (ibrutinib) strongly inhibits Th17 cells.

[0071] FIG. 41 shows that Formula (2) has no effect on regulatory T cell (Treg) development, while Formula (10) (ibrutinib) strongly increases Treg development.

[0072] FIG. 42 shows that Formula (2) has no effect on CD8⁺ T cell viability, development, while Formula (10) (ibrutinib) strongly affects CD8⁺ T cell viability at higher doses.

[0073] FIG. 43 illustrates the results of the cytotoxicity assay for CD8⁺ T cell function. Formula (10) (ibrutinib) affects CD8⁺ T cell function as measured by % cytotoxicity, while Formula (2) has no effect on CD8⁺ T cell function as measured by % cytotoxicity relative to vehicle.

[0074] FIG. 44 illustrates the results of IFN-γ level measurements for CD8⁺ T cell function. Formula (10) (ibrutinib) affects CD8⁺ T cell function as measured by IFN-γ level, while Formula (2) has no effect on CD8⁺ T cell function as measured by IFN-γ level relative to vehicle.

[0075] FIG. 45 illustrates the results of the clinical study of Formula (2) (labeled "BTK inhibitor") in CLL, which are shown in comparison to the results reported for Formula (10) (ibrutinib) in Figure 1A of Byrd, *et al*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, 369, 32-42. The results show that the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) causes a much smaller relative increase and much faster decrease in absolute lymphocyte count (ALC) relative to the BTK inhibitor of Formula (10) (ibrutinib). The sum of the product of greatest diameters (SPD) also decreases more rapidly during treatment with the BTK inhibitor than with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (10) (ibrutinib).

[0076] FIG. 46 shows SPD of enlarged lymph nodes in CLL patients as a function of dose (cohort) of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2).

[0077] FIG. 47 shows a comparison of progression-free survival (PFS) in CLL patients treated with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (10) (ibrutinib) or the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2). The ibrutinib data is taken from Byrd, *et al.*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, 369, 32-42. CLL patients treated with Formula (2) for at least 8 days are included.

[0078] FIG. 48 shows a comparison of number of patients at risk in CLL patients treated with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (10) (ibrutinib) or the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2). CLL patients treated with Formula (2) for at least 8 days are included.

[0079] FIG. 49 shows a comparison of progression-free survival (PFS) in CLL patients exhibiting the 17p deletion and treated with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (10) (ibrutinib) or the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2). The ibrutinib data is taken from Byrd, *et al.*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, 369, 32-42.

[0080] FIG. 50 shows a comparison of number of patients at risk in CLL patients exhibiting the 17p deletion and treated with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (10) (ibrutinib) or the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2). The ibrutinib data is taken from Byrd, *et al.*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, 369, 32-42. CLL patients treated with Formula (2) for at least 8 days are included.

[0081] FIG. 51 shows improved BTK target occupancy of Formula (2) at lower dosage versus Formula (10) (ibrutinib) in relapsed/refractory CLL patients.

[0082] FIG. 52 shows the % change in myeloid-derived suppressor cell (MDSC) (monocytic) level over 28 days versus % ALC change at Cycle 1, day 28 (C1D28) with trendlines.

[0083] FIG. 53 shows the % change in MDSC (monocytic) level over 28 days versus % ALC change at Cycle 2, day 28 (C2D28) with trendlines.

[0084] FIG. 54 shows the % change in natural killer (NK) cell level over 28 days versus % ALC change at Cycle 1, day 28 (C1D28) with trendlines.

[0085] FIG. 55 shows the % change in NK cell level over 28 days versus % ALC change at Cycle 2, day 28 (C2D28) with trendlines.

[0086] FIG. 56 compares the % change in MDSC (monocytic) level and % change in NK cell level over 28 days versus % ALC change with the % change in level of CD4⁺ T cells, CD8⁺ T cells, CD4⁺/CD8⁺ T cell ratio, NK-T cells, PD-1⁺CD4⁺ T cells, and PD-1⁺ CD8⁺ T cells, also

versus % ALC change, at Cycle 1 day 28 (C1D28). Trendlines are shown for % change in MDSC (monocytic) level and % change in NK cell level.

[0087] FIG. 57 compares the % change in MDSC (monocytic) level and % change in NK cell level over 28 days versus % ALC change with the % change in level of CD4⁺ T cells, CD8⁺ T cells, CD4⁺/CD8⁺ T cell ratio, NK-T cells, PD-1⁺ CD4⁺ T cells, and PD-1⁺ CD8⁺ T cells, also versus % ALC change, at Cycle 2 day 28 (C2D28). Trendlines are shown for % change in MDSC (monocytic) level and % change in NK cell level.

[0088] FIG. 58 shows updated the results of the clinical study of Formula (2) (labeled "BTK inhibitor") in CLL, which are shown in comparison to the results reported for ibrutinib in Figure 1A of Byrd, *et al*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, 369, 32-42. The results show that the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) causes a much smaller relative increase and much faster decrease in absolute lymphocyte count (ALC) relative to the BTK inhibitor of Formula (10) (ibrutinib). The sum of the product of greatest diameters (SPD) also decreases more rapidly during treatment with the BTK inhibitor than with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (10) (ibrutinib).

[0089] FIG. 59 shows improved BTK target occupancy of Formula (2) at lower dosage versus ibrutinib in relapsed/refractory CLL patients, and includes BID dosing results.

[0090] FIG. 60 illustrates PFS for patients with 17p deletion.

[0091] FIG. 61 illustrates PFS across relapsed/refractory patients with 17p deletion and with 11q deletion and no 17p deletion.

[0092] FIG. 62 illustrates PFS for patients with 11q deletion and no 17p deletion.

[0093] FIG. 63 illustrates updated SPD results from the clinical study of Formula (2) in relapsed/refractory CLL patients.

[0094] FIG. 64 illustrates that treatment of CLL patients with Formula (2) resulted in increased apoptosis.

[0095] FIG. 65 illustrates a decrease in CXCL12 levels observed in patients treated with Formula (2).

[0096] FIG. 66 illustrates a decrease in CCL2 levels observed in patients treated with Formula (2).

[0097] FIG. 67 illustrates representative photomicrographs and comparison of maximal thrombus size in laser injured arterioles of VWF HA1 mutant mice infused with human platelets in the absence or presence of various BTK inhibitors. Representative photomicrographs are given as a comparison of maximal thrombus size in laser-injured arterioles (1 μM concentrations shown).

[0098] FIG. 68 illustrates a quantitative comparison obtained by *in vivo* analysis of early thrombus dynamics in a humanized mouse laser injury model using three BTK inhibitors at a concentration 1 μM .

[0099] FIG. 69 illustrates the effect of the tested BTK inhibitors on thrombus formation. The conditions used were N=4, 3 mice per drug; anti-clotting active pharmaceutical ingredients < 2000 μM^2 . In studies with Formula (10) (ibrutinib), 48% MCL bleeding events were observed with 560 mg QD and 63% CLL bleeding events were observed with 420 mg QD, where bleeding event is defined as subdural hematoma, ecchymoses, GI bleeding, or hematuria.

[00100] FIG. 70 illustrates the effect of the concentration of the tested BTK inhibitors on thrombus formation.

[00101] FIG. 71 illustrates the results of GPVI platelet aggregation studies of Formula (2) (IC_{50} = 1.15 μM) and Formula (10) (ibrutinib, IC_{50} = 0.13 μM).

[00102] FIG. 72 illustrates the results of GPVI platelet aggregation studies of Formula (2) and Formula (10) (ibrutinib).

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE SEQUENCE LISTING

[00103] SEQ ID NO: 1 is the amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody blinatumomab.

[00104] SEQ ID NO:2 is the variable heavy chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody blinatumomab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 52 in U.S. Patent No. 7,635,472).

[00105] SEQ ID NO:3 is the variable heavy chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody blinatumomab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 53 in U.S. Patent No. 7,635,472).

[00106] SEQ ID NO:4 is the variable heavy chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody blinatumomab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 54 in U.S. Patent No. 7,635,472).

[00107] SEQ ID NO:5 is the variable light chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody blinatumomab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 55 in U.S. Patent No. 7,635,472).

[00108] SEQ ID NO:6 is the variable light chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody blinatumomab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 56 in U.S. Patent No. 7,635,472).

[00109] SEQ ID NO:7 is the variable light chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody blinatumomab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 57 in U.S. Patent No. 7,635,472).

[00110] SEQ ID NO:8 is the heavy chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody coltuximab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 8 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0199300 A1).

[00111] SEQ ID NO:9 is the light chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody coltuximab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 7 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0199300 A1).

[00112] SEQ ID NO: 10 is the variable heavy chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD¹⁹ monoclonal antibody coltuximab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO:4 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0199300 A1).

[00113] SEQ ID NO: 11 is the variable heavy chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD¹⁹ monoclonal antibody coltuximab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 5 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0199300 A1).

[00114] SEQ ID NO: 12 is the variable heavy chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD¹⁹ monoclonal antibody coltuximab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 6 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0199300 A1).

[00115] SEQ ID NO: 13 is the variable light chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody coltuximab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 1 in U.S. Patent Application

Publication No. US 2014/0199300 A1).

[00116] SEQ ID NO:14 is the variable light chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD 19 monoclonal antibody coltuximab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO:2 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0199300 A1).

[00117] SEQ ID NO:15 is the variable light chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD 19 monoclonal antibody coltuximab (corresponding to SEQ ID NO:3 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0199300 A1).

[00118] SEQ ID NO: 16 is the heavy chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD 19 monoclonal antibody denintuzumab.

[00119] SEQ ID NO: 17 is the light chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD 19 monoclonal antibody denintuzumab.

[00120] SEQ ID NO: 18 is the variable heavy chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD¹⁹ monoclonal antibody denintuzumab.

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[00122] SEQ ID NO:20 is the variable heavy chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD¹⁹ monoclonal antibody denintuzumab.

[00123] SEQ ID NO:21 is the variable light chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody denintuzumab.

[00124] SEQ ID NO:22 is the variable light chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody denintuzumab.

[00125] SEQ ID NO:23 is the variable light chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody denintuzumab.

[00126] SEQ ID NO:24 is the amino acid sequence of the anti-CD 19 FMC63 scFv variable heavy chain (V_H) domain.

[00127] SEQ ID NO:25 is the amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 FMC63 scFv variable heavy chain (V_L) domain.

[00128] SEQ ID NO:26 is the amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 SJ25C1 scFv variable heavy chain (V_H) domain.

[00129] SEQ ID NO:27 is the amino acid sequence of the anti-CD19 SJ25C1 scFv variable heavy chain (V_L) domain.

[00130] SEQ ID NO:28 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD 19 scFv domain.

[00131] SEQ ID NO:29 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD 19 scFv domain.

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[00140] SEQ ID NO:38 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD 19 scFv domain.

[00141] SEQ ID NO:39 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD 19 scFv domain.

[00142] SEQ ID NO:40 is the amino acid sequence of a CD3 ζ signaling domain.

[00143] SEQ ID NO:41 is the amino acid sequence of a CD28 signaling domain.

[00144] SEQ ID NO:42 is the amino acid sequence of a 4-1BB signaling domain.

[00145] SEQ ID NO:43 is the amino acid sequence of a CD8a transmembrane domain.

[00146] SEQ ID NO:44 is the amino acid sequence of a CD8a hinge domain.

[00147] SEQ ID NO:45 is the amino acid sequence of a murine anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD 19(scFv): CD 8a(transmembrane/hinge): 4-1BB(signaling) :CD3 ζ (signaling).

[00148] SEQ ID NO:46 is the amino acid sequence of an anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor

with the format anti-CD19(scFv):IgG1 Fc(transmembrane):CD3 ζ(signaling). The chimeric antigen receptor comprises amino acids 23-634 of SEQ ID NO:46.

[00149] SEQ ID NO:47 is the amino acid sequence of an anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD19(scFv):IgG4(hinge):CD28(transmembrane):4-1BB(signaling):CD3C(signaling):T2A:EGFRt.

[00150] SEQ ID NO:48 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD 19(scFv): CD 8a(transmembrane/hinge): 4-1BB(signaling) :CD3 ζ(signaling) .

[00151] SEQ ID NO:49 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD 19(scFv): CD 8a(transmembrane/hinge): 4-1BB(signaling) :CD3 ζ(signaling) .

[00152] SEQ ID NO:50 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD 19(scFv): CD 8a(transmembrane/hinge): 4-1BB(signaling) :CD3 ζ(signaling) .

[00153] SEQ ID NO:51 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD 19(scFv): CD 8a(transmembrane/hinge): 4-1BB(signaling) :CD3 ζ(signaling) .

[00154] SEQ ID NO:52 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD 19(scFv): CD 8a(transmembrane/hinge): 4-1BB(signaling) :CD3 ζ(signaling) .

[00155] SEQ ID NO:53 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD 19(scFv): CD 8a(transmembrane/hinge): 4-1BB(signaling) :CD3 ζ(signaling) .

[00156] SEQ ID NO:54 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD 19(scFv): CD 8a(transmembrane/hinge): 4-1BB(signaling) :CD3 ζ(signaling) .

[00157] SEQ ID NO:55 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD 19(scFv): CD 8a(transmembrane/hinge): 4-1BB(signaling) :CD3 ζ(signaling) .

[00158] SEQ ID NO:56 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD 19(scFv): CD 8a(transmembrane/hinge): 4-1BB(signaling) :CD3 ζ(signaling).

[00159] SEQ ID NO:57 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD 19(scFv): CD 8a(transmembrane/hinge): 4-1BB(signaling) :CD3 ζ(signaling).

[00160] SEQ ID NO:58 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD 19(scFv): CD 8a(transmembrane/hinge): 4-1BB(signaling) :CD3 ζ(signaling).

[00161] SEQ ID NO:59 is the amino acid sequence of a humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor with the format anti-CD 19(scFv): CD 8a(transmembrane/hinge): 4-1BB(signaling) :CD3 ζ(signaling).

[00162] SEQ ID NO: 60 is the heavy chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody rituximab.

[00163] SEQ ID NO:61 is the light chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody rituximab.

[00164] SEQ ID NO: 62 is the heavy chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody obinutuzumab.

[00165] SEQ ID NO: 63 is the light chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody obinutuzumab.

[00166] SEQ ID NO: 64 is the variable heavy chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody ofatumumab.

[00167] SEQ ID NO: 65 is the variable light chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody ofatumumab.

[00168] SEQ ID NO:66 is the Fab fragment heavy chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody ofatumumab.

[00169] SEQ ID NO:67 is the Fab fragment light chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody ofatumumab.

[00170] SEQ ID NO:68 is the heavy chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody veltuzumab.

[00171] SEQ ID NO:69 is the light chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody veltuzumab.

[00172] SEQ ID NO:70 is the heavy chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody tositumomab.

[00173] SEQ ID NO:71 is the light chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody tositumomab.

[00174] SEQ ID NO:72 is the heavy chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody ibritumomab.

[00175] SEQ ID NO:73 is the light chain amino acid sequence of the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody ibritumomab.

[00176] SEQ ID NO:74 is the heavy chain amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor nivolumab.

[00177] SEQ ID NO:75 is the light chain amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor nivolumab.

[00178] SEQ ID NO:76 is the heavy chain variable region (V_H) amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor nivolumab.

[00179] SEQ ID NO:77 is the light chain variable region (V_L) amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor nivolumab.

[00180] SEQ ID NO:78 is the heavy chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor nivolumab.

[00181] SEQ ID NO:79 is the heavy chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor nivolumab.

[00182] SEQ ID NO:80 is the heavy chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor nivolumab.

[00183] SEQ ID NO:81 is the light chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor nivolumab.

[00184] SEQ ID NO:82 is the light chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor nivolumab.

[00185] SEQ ID NO:83 is the light chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor nivolumab.

[00186] SEQ ID NO:84 is the heavy chain amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor pembrolizumab.

[00187] SEQ ID NO:85 is the light chain amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor pembrolizumab.

[00188] SEQ ID NO:86 is the heavy chain variable region (V_H) amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor pembrolizumab.

[00189] SEQ ID NO:87 is the light chain variable region (V_L) amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor pembrolizumab.

[00190] SEQ ID NO:88 is the heavy chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor pembrolizumab.

[00191] SEQ ID NO:89 is the heavy chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor pembrolizumab.

[00192] SEQ ID NO:90 is the heavy chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor pembrolizumab.

[00193] SEQ ID NO:91 is the light chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor pembrolizumab.

[00194] SEQ ID NO:92 is the light chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor pembrolizumab.

[00195] SEQ ID NO:93 is the light chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor pembrolizumab.

[00196] SEQ ID NO:94 is the heavy chain amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor pidilizumab.

[00197] SEQ ID NO:95 is the light chain amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor

pidilizumab.

[00198] SEQ ID NO:96 is the heavy chain variable region (V_H) amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor pidilizumab.

[00199] SEQ ID NO:97 is the light chain variable region (V_L) amino acid sequence of the PD-1 inhibitor pidilizumab.

[00200] SEQ ID NO:98 is the heavy chain amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor durvalumab.

[00201] SEQ ID NO:99 is the light chain amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor durvalumab.

[00202] SEQ ID NO: 100 is the heavy chain variable region (V_H) amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor durvalumab.

[00203] SEQ ID NO: 101 is the light chain variable region (V_L) amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor durvalumab.

[00204] SEQ ID NO: 102 is the heavy chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor durvalumab.

[00205] SEQ ID NO: 103 is the heavy chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor durvalumab.

[00206] SEQ ID NO: 104 is the heavy chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor durvalumab.

[00207] SEQ ID NO: 105 is the light chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor durvalumab.

[00208] SEQ ID NO: 106 is the light chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor durvalumab.

[00209] SEQ ID NO: 107 is the light chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor durvalumab.

[00210] SEQ ID NO: 108 is the heavy chain amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor atezolizumab.

- [00211] SEQ ID NO: 109 is the light chain amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor atezolizumab.
- [00212] SEQ ID NO: 110 is the heavy chain variable region (V_H) amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor atezolizumab.
- [00213] SEQ ID NO: 111 is the light chain variable region (V_L) amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor atezolizumab.
- [00214] SEQ ID NO: 112 is the heavy chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor atezolizumab.
- [00215] SEQ ID NO: 113 is the heavy chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor atezolizumab.
- [00216] SEQ ID NO: 114 is the heavy chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor atezolizumab.
- [00217] SEQ ID NO: 115 is the light chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor atezolizumab.
- [00218] SEQ ID NO: 116 is the light chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor atezolizumab.
- [00219] SEQ ID NO: 117 is the light chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor atezolizumab.
- [00220] SEQ ID NO: 118 is the heavy chain amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor avelumab.
- [00221] SEQ ID NO: 119 is the light chain amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor avelumab.
- [00222] SEQ ID NO: 120 is the heavy chain variable region (V_H) amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor avelumab.
- [00223] SEQ ID NO: 121 is the heavy chain variable region (V_H) amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor avelumab.
- [00224] SEQ ID NO: 122 is the heavy chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor

avelumab.

[00225] SEQ ID NO: 123 is the heavy chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor avelumab.

[00226] SEQ ID NO: 124 is the heavy chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor avelumab.

[00227] SEQ ID NO: 125 is the light chain CDR1 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor avelumab.

[00228] SEQ ID NO: 126 is the light chain CDR2 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor avelumab.

[00229] SEQ ID NO: 127 is the light chain CDR3 amino acid sequence of the PD-L1 inhibitor avelumab.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

[00230] Unless defined otherwise, all technical and scientific terms used herein have the same meaning as is commonly understood by one of skill in the art to which this invention belongs. All patents and publications referred to herein are incorporated by reference in their entireties.

Definitions

[00231] The terms "co-administration," "co-administering," "administered in combination with," "administering in combination with," "simultaneous," and "concurrent," as used herein, encompass administration of two or more active pharmaceutical ingredients (in a preferred embodiment of the present invention, for example, at least one CD 19 inhibitor and at least one BTK inhibitor) to a subject so that both active pharmaceutical ingredients and/or their metabolites are present in the subject at the same time. Co-administration includes simultaneous administration in separate compositions, administration at different times in separate compositions, or administration in a composition in which two or more active pharmaceutical ingredients are present. Simultaneous administration in separate compositions and administration in a composition in which both agents are present are preferred.

[00232] The term "*in vivo*" refers to an event that takes place in a subject's body.

[00233] The term "*in vitro*" refers to an event that takes place outside of a subject's body. *In vitro* assays encompass cell-based assays in which cells alive or dead are employed and may also encompass a cell-free assay in which no intact cells are employed.

[00234] The term "effective amount" or "therapeutically effective amount" refers to that amount of a compound or combination of compounds as described herein that is sufficient to effect the intended application including, but not limited to, disease treatment. A therapeutically effective amount may vary depending upon the intended application (*in vitro* or *in vivo*), or the subject and disease condition being treated (*e.g.*, the weight, age and gender of the subject), the severity of the disease condition, the manner of administration, *etc.* which can readily be determined by one of ordinary skill in the art. The term also applies to a dose that will induce a particular response in target cells (*e.g.*, the reduction of platelet adhesion and/or cell migration). The specific dose will vary depending on the particular compounds chosen, the dosing regimen to be followed, whether the compound is administered in combination with other compounds, timing of administration, the tissue to which it is administered, and the physical delivery system in which the compound is carried.

[00235] A "therapeutic effect" as that term is used herein, encompasses a therapeutic benefit and/or a prophylactic benefit. A prophylactic effect includes delaying or eliminating the appearance of a disease or condition, delaying or eliminating the onset of symptoms of a disease or condition, slowing, halting, or reversing the progression of a disease or condition, or any combination thereof.

[00236] The terms "QD," "qd," or "q.d." mean *quaque die*, once a day, or once daily. The terms "BID," "bid," or "b.i.d." mean *bis in die*, twice a day, or twice daily. The terms "TED," "tid," or "t.i.d." mean *ter in die*, three times a day, or three times daily. The terms "Q1D," "qid," or "q.i.d." mean *quater in die*, four times a day, or four times daily.

[00237] The term "pharmaceutically acceptable salt" refers to salts derived from a variety of organic and inorganic counter ions known in the art. Pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts can be formed with inorganic acids and organic acids. Preferred inorganic acids from which salts can be derived include, for example, hydrochloric acid, hydrobromic acid, sulfuric acid, nitric acid and phosphoric acid. Preferred organic acids from which salts can be derived include, for example, acetic acid, propionic acid, glycolic acid, pyruvic acid, oxalic acid, maleic

acid, malonic acid, succinic acid, fumaric acid, tartaric acid, citric acid, benzoic acid, cinnamic acid, mandelic acid, methanesulfonic acid, ethanesulfonic acid, p-toluenesulfonic acid and salicylic acid. Pharmaceutically acceptable base addition salts can be formed with inorganic and organic bases. Inorganic bases from which salts can be derived include, for example, sodium, potassium, lithium, ammonium, calcium, magnesium, iron, zinc, copper, manganese and aluminum. Organic bases from which salts can be derived include, for example, primary, secondary, and tertiary amines, substituted amines including naturally occurring substituted amines, cyclic amines and basic ion exchange resins. Specific examples include isopropylamine, trimethylamine, diethylamine, triethylamine, tripropylamine, and ethanolamine. In some embodiments, the pharmaceutically acceptable base addition salt is chosen from ammonium, potassium, sodium, calcium, and magnesium salts. The term "cocrystal" refers to a molecular complex derived from a number of cocrystal formers known in the art. Unlike a salt, a cocrystal typically does not involve hydrogen transfer between the cocrystal and the drug, and instead involves intermolecular interactions, such as hydrogen bonding, aromatic ring stacking, or dispersive forces, between the cocrystal former and the drug in the crystal structure.

[00238] "Pharmaceutically acceptable carrier" or "pharmaceutically acceptable excipient" is intended to include any and all solvents, dispersion media, coatings, antibacterial and antifungal agents, isotonic and absorption delaying agents, and inert ingredients. The use of such pharmaceutically acceptable carriers or pharmaceutically acceptable excipients for active pharmaceutical ingredients is well known in the art. Except insofar as any conventional pharmaceutically acceptable carrier or pharmaceutically acceptable excipient is incompatible with the active pharmaceutical ingredient, its use in the therapeutic compositions of the invention is contemplated. Additional active pharmaceutical ingredients, such as other drugs, can also be incorporated into the described compositions and methods.

[00239] "Prodrug" is intended to describe a compound that may be converted under physiological conditions or by solvolysis to a biologically active compound described herein. Thus, the term "prodrug" refers to a precursor of a biologically active compound that is pharmaceutically acceptable. A prodrug may be inactive when administered to a subject, but is converted *in vivo* to an active compound, for example, by hydrolysis. The prodrug compound often offers the advantages of solubility, tissue compatibility or delayed release in a mammalian organism (see, *e.g.*, Bundgaard, H., Design of Prodrugs (1985) (Elsevier, Amsterdam). The term

"prodrug" is also intended to include any covalently bonded carriers, which release the active compound *in vivo* when administered to a subject. Prodrugs of an active compound, as described herein, may be prepared by modifying functional groups present in the active compound in such a way that the modifications are cleaved, either in routine manipulation or *in vivo*, to yield the active parent compound. Prodrugs include, for example, compounds wherein a hydroxy, amino or mercapto group is bonded to any group that, when the prodrug of the active compound is administered to a mammalian subject, cleaves to form a free hydroxy, free amino or free mercapto group, respectively. Examples of prodrugs include, but are not limited to, acetates, formates and benzoate derivatives of an alcohol, various ester derivatives of a carboxylic acid, or acetamide, formamide and benzamide derivatives of an amine functional group in the active compound.

[00240] As used herein, the term "warhead" or "warhead group" refers to a functional group present on a compound of the present invention wherein that functional group is capable of covalently binding to an amino acid residue present in the binding pocket of the target protein (such as cysteine, lysine, histidine, or other residues capable of being covalently modified), thereby irreversibly inhibiting the protein.

[00241] Unless otherwise stated, the chemical structures depicted herein are intended to include compounds which differ only in the presence of one or more isotopically enriched atoms. For example, compounds where one or more hydrogen atoms is replaced by deuterium or tritium, or wherein one or more carbon atoms is replaced by ^{13}C - or ^{14}C -enriched carbons, are within the scope of this invention.

[00242] When ranges are used herein to describe, for example, physical or chemical properties such as molecular weight or chemical formulae, all combinations and subcombinations of ranges and specific embodiments therein are intended to be included. Use of the term "about" when referring to a number or a numerical range means that the number or numerical range referred to is an approximation within experimental variability (or within statistical experimental error), and thus the number or numerical range may vary. The variation is typically from 0% to 15%, preferably from 0% to 10%, more preferably from 0% to 5% of the stated number or numerical range. The term "comprising" (and related terms such as "comprise" or "comprises" or "having" or "including") includes those embodiments such as, for example, an embodiment of any

composition of matter, method or process that "consist of" or "consist essentially of" the described features.

[00243] "Alkyl" refers to a straight or branched hydrocarbon chain radical consisting solely of carbon and hydrogen atoms, containing no unsaturation, having from one to ten carbon atoms (*e.g.*, (Ci-io)alkyl or C₁₋₁₀ alkyl). Whenever it appears herein, a numerical range such as "1 to 10" refers to each integer in the given range - *e.g.*, "1 to 10 carbon atoms" means that the alkyl group may consist of 1 carbon atom, 2 carbon atoms, 3 carbon atoms, *etc.*, up to and including 10 carbon atoms, although the definition is also intended to cover the occurrence of the term "alkyl" where no numerical range is specifically designated. Typical alkyl groups include, but are in no way limited to, methyl, ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, *w*-butyl, isobutyl, *sec*-butyl, isobutyl, tertiary butyl, pentyl, isopentyl, neopentyl, hexyl, heptyl, octyl, nonyl and decyl. The alkyl moiety may be attached to the rest of the molecule by a single bond, such as for example, methyl (Me), ethyl (Et), *n*-propyl (Pr), 1-methylethyl (isopropyl), *w*-butyl, *w*-pentyl, 1,1-dimethylethyl (*t*-butyl) and 3-methylhexyl. Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, an alkyl group is optionally substituted by one or more of substituents which are independently heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, nitro, trimethylsilyl, -OR^a, -SR^a, -OC(O)-R^a, -N(R^a)₂, -C(O)R^a, -C(O)OR^a, -OC(O)N(R^a)₂, -C(O)N(R^a)₂, -N(R^a)C(O)OR^a, -N(R^a)C(O)R^a, -N(R^a)C(O)N(R^a)₂, N(R^a)C(NR^a)N(R^a)₂, -N(R^a)S(O)_tR^a (where *t* is 1 or 2), -S(O)_tOR^a (where *t* is 1 or 2), -S(O)_tN(R^a)₂ (where *t* is 1 or 2), or PO₃(R^a)₂ where each R^a is independently hydrogen, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl, carbocyclylalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00244] "Alkylaryl" refers to an -(alkyl)aryl radical where aryl and alkyl are as disclosed herein and which are optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described as suitable substituents for aryl and alkyl respectively.

[00245] "Alkylhetaryl" refers to an -(alkyl)hetaryl radical where hetaryl and alkyl are as disclosed herein and which are optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described as suitable substituents for aryl and alkyl respectively.

[00246] "Alkylheterocycloalkyl" refers to an -(alkyl) heterocycyl radical where alkyl and heterocycloalkyl are as disclosed herein and which are optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described as suitable substituents for heterocycloalkyl and alkyl respectively.

[00247] An "alkene" moiety refers to a group consisting of at least two carbon atoms and at least one carbon-carbon double bond, and an "alkyne" moiety refers to a group consisting of at least two carbon atoms and at least one carbon-carbon triple bond. The alkyl moiety, whether saturated or unsaturated, may be branched, straight chain, or cyclic.

[00248] "Alkenyl" refers to a straight or branched hydrocarbon chain radical group consisting solely of carbon and hydrogen atoms, containing at least one double bond, and having from two to ten carbon atoms (*i.e.*, (C₂₋₁₀)alkenyl or C₂₋₁₀ alkenyl). Whenever it appears herein, a numerical range such as "2 to 10" refers to each integer in the given range - *e.g.*, "2 to 10 carbon atoms" means that the alkenyl group may consist of 2 carbon atoms, 3 carbon atoms, *etc.*, up to and including 10 carbon atoms. The alkenyl moiety may be attached to the rest of the molecule by a single bond, such as for example, ethenyl (*i.e.*, vinyl), prop-1-enyl (*i.e.*, allyl), but-1-enyl, pent-1-enyl and penta-1,4-dienyl. Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, an alkenyl group is optionally substituted by one or more substituents which are independently alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, nitro, trimethylsilyl, -OR^a, -SR^a, -OC(0)-R^a, -N(R^a)₂, -C(0)R^a, -C(0)OR^a, -OC(0)N(R^a)₂, -C(0)N(R^a)₂, -N(R^a)C(0)OR^a, -N(R^a)C(0)R^a, -N(R^a)C(0)N(R^a)₂, N(R^a)C(NR^a)N(R^a)₂, -N(R^a)S(0)_tR^a (where t is 1 or 2), -S(0)_tOR^a (where t is 1 or 2), -S(0)_tN(R^a)₂ (where t is 1 or 2), or P0₃(R^a)₂, where each R^a is independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl, carbocyclylalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00249] "Alkenyl-cycloalkyl" refers to an -(alkenyl)cycloalkyl radical where alkenyl and cycloalkyl are as disclosed herein and which are optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described as suitable substituents for alkenyl and cycloalkyl respectively.

[00250] "Alkynyl" refers to a straight or branched hydrocarbon chain radical group consisting solely of carbon and hydrogen atoms, containing at least one triple bond, having from two to ten carbon atoms (*i.e.*, (C₂₋₁₀)alkynyl or C₂₋₁₀ alkynyl). Whenever it appears herein, a numerical range such as "2 to 10" refers to each integer in the given range - *e.g.*, "2 to 10 carbon atoms"

means that the alkynyl group may consist of 2 carbon atoms, 3 carbon atoms, *etc.*, up to and including 10 carbon atoms. The alkynyl may be attached to the rest of the molecule by a single bond, for example, ethynyl, propynyl, butynyl, pentynyl and hexynyl. Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, an alkynyl group is optionally substituted by one or more substituents which independently are: alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, nitro, trimethylsilyl, $-\text{OR}^a$, $-\text{SR}^a$, $-\text{OC}(\mathbf{0})-\text{R}^a$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $-\text{C}(\mathbf{0})\text{R}^a$, $-\text{C}(\mathbf{0})\text{OR}^a$, $-\text{OC}(\mathbf{0})\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $-\text{C}(\mathbf{0})\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{C}(\mathbf{0})\text{OR}^a$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{C}(\mathbf{0})\text{R}^a$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{C}(\mathbf{0})\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{C}(\text{NR}^a)\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{S}(\mathbf{0})_t\text{R}^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-\text{S}(\mathbf{0})_t\text{OR}^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-\text{S}(\mathbf{0})_t\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$ (where t is 1 or 2), or $\text{P}\mathbf{0}_3(\text{R}^a)_2$, where each R^a is independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl, carbocyclylalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00251] "Alkynyl-cycloalkyl" refers to an $-(\text{alkynyl})\text{cycloalkyl}$ radical where alkynyl and cycloalkyl are as disclosed herein and which are optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described as suitable substituents for alkynyl and cycloalkyl respectively.

[00252] "Carboxaldehyde" refers to a $-(\text{C}=\mathbf{0})\text{H}$ radical.

[00253] "Carboxyl" refers to a $-(\text{C}=\mathbf{0})\text{OH}$ radical.

[00254] "Cyano" refers to a $-\text{CN}$ radical.

[00255] "Cycloalkyl" refers to a monocyclic or polycyclic radical that contains only carbon and hydrogen, and may be saturated, or partially unsaturated. Cycloalkyl groups include groups having from 3 to 10 ring atoms *i.e.* $(\text{C}_{3-10})\text{cycloalkyl}$ or C_{3-10} cycloalkyl). Whenever it appears herein, a numerical range such as "3 to 10" refers to each integer in the given range - *e.g.*, "3 to 10 carbon atoms" means that the cycloalkyl group may consist of 3 carbon atoms, *etc.*, up to and including 10 carbon atoms. Illustrative examples of cycloalkyl groups include, but are not limited to the following moieties: cyclopropyl, cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl, cyclopentenyl, cyclohexyl, cyclohexenyl, cycloheptyl, cyclooctyl, cyclononyl, cyclodecyl, norbornyl, and the like. Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, a cycloalkyl group is optionally substituted by one or more substituents which independently are: alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, nitro, trimethylsilyl, $-\text{OR}^a$, $-\text{SR}^a$, $-\text{OC}(\mathbf{0})-\text{R}^a$, -

$N(R^a)_2$, $-C(O)R^a$, $-C(O)OR^a$, $-OC(O)N(R^a)_2$, $-C(O)N(R^a)_2$, $-N(R^a)C(O)OR^a$, $-N(R^a)C(O)R^a$, $-N(R^a)C(O)N(R^a)_2$, $N(R^a)C(NR^a)N(R^a)_2$, $-N(R^a)S(O)_tR^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-S(O)_tOR^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-S(O)_tN(R^a)_2$ (where t is 1 or 2), or $PO_3(R^a)_2$, where each R^a is independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl, carbocyclalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00256] "Cycloalkyl-alkenyl" refers to a -(cycloalkyl)alkenyl radical where cycloalkyl and alkenyl are as disclosed herein and which are optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described as suitable substituents for cycloalkyl and alkenyl, respectively.

[00257] "Cycloalkyl-heterocycloalkyl" refers to a -(cycloalkyl)heterocycloalkyl radical where cycloalkyl and heterocycloalkyl are as disclosed herein and which are optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described as suitable substituents for cycloalkyl and heterocycloalkyl, respectively.

[00258] "Cycloalkyl-heteroaryl" refers to a -(cycloalkyl)heteroaryl radical where cycloalkyl and heteroaryl are as disclosed herein and which are optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described as suitable substituents for cycloalkyl and heteroaryl, respectively.

[00259] The term "alkoxy" refers to the group -O-alkyl, including from 1 to 8 carbon atoms of a straight, branched, cyclic configuration and combinations thereof attached to the parent structure through an oxygen. Examples include, but are not limited to, methoxy, ethoxy, propoxy, isopropoxy, cyclopropyloxy and cyclohexyloxy. "Lower alkoxy" refers to alkoxy groups containing one to six carbons.

[00260] The term "substituted alkoxy" refers to alkoxy wherein the alkyl constituent is substituted (*i.e.*, -O-(substituted alkyl)). Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, the alkyl moiety of an alkoxy group is optionally substituted by one or more substituents which independently are: alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, nitro, trimethylsilylanyl, $-OR^a$, $-SR^a$, $-OC(O)-R^a$, $-N(R^a)_2$, $-C(O)R^a$, $-C(O)OR^a$, $-OC(O)N(R^a)_2$, $-C(O)N(R^a)_2$, $-N(R^a)C(O)OR^a$, $-N(R^a)C(O)R^a$, $-N(R^a)C(O)N(R^a)_2$, $N(R^a)C(NR^a)N(R^a)_2$, $-N(R^a)S(O)_tR^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-S(O)_tOR^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-S(O)_tN(R^a)_2$ (where t is 1 or 2), or $PC>3(R^a)_2$, where each R^a is independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl,

carbocyclalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00261] The term "alkoxycarbonyl" refers to a group of the formula (alkoxy)(C=O)- attached through the carbonyl carbon wherein the alkoxy group has the indicated number of carbon atoms. Thus a (Ci-6)alkoxycarbonyl group is an alkoxy group having from 1 to 6 carbon atoms attached through its oxygen to a carbonyl linker. "Lower alkoxycarbonyl" refers to an alkoxycarbonyl group wherein the alkoxy group is a lower alkoxy group.

[00262] The term "substituted alkoxycarbonyl" refers to the group (substituted alkyl)-O-C(O)- wherein the group is attached to the parent structure through the carbonyl functionality. Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, the alkyl moiety of an alkoxycarbonyl group is optionally substituted by one or more substituents which independently are: alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, nitro, trimethylsilyl, -OR^a, -SR^a, -OC(=O)-R^a, -N(R^a)₂, -C(=O)R^a, -C(=O)OR^a, -OC(=O)N(R^a)₂, -C(=O)N(R^a)₂, -N(R^a)C(=O)OR^a, -N(R^a)C(=O)R^a, -N(R^a)C(=O)N(R^a)₂, N(R^a)C(NR^a)N(R^a)₂, -N(R^a)S(=O)_tR^a (where t is 1 or 2), -S(=O)_tOR^a (where t is 1 or 2), -S(=O)_tN(R^a)₂ (where t is 1 or 2), or P(=O)₃(R^a)₂, where each R^a is independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00263] "Acyl" refers to the groups (alkyl)-C(O)-, (aryl)-C(O)-, (heteroaryl)-C(O)-, (heteroalkyl)-C(O)- and (heterocycloalkyl)-C(O)-, wherein the group is attached to the parent structure through the carbonyl functionality. If the R radical is heteroaryl or heterocycloalkyl, the hetero ring or chain atoms contribute to the total number of chain or ring atoms. Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, the alkyl, aryl or heteroaryl moiety of the acyl group is optionally substituted by one or more substituents which are independently alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, nitro, trimethylsilyl, -OR^a, -SR^a, -OC(=O)-R^a, -N(R^a)₂, -C(=O)R^a, -C(=O)OR^a, -OC(=O)N(R^a)₂, -C(=O)N(R^a)₂, -N(R^a)C(=O)OR^a, -N(R^a)C(=O)R^a, -N(R^a)C(=O)N(R^a)₂, N(R^a)C(NR^a)N(R^a)₂, -N(R^a)S(=O)_tR^a (where t is 1 or 2), -S(=O)_tOR^a (where t is 1 or 2), -S(=O)_tN(R^a)₂ (where t is 1 or 2), or P(=O)₃(R^a)₂, where each R^a is

independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl, carbocyclylalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00264] "Acyloxy" refers to a $\mathbf{R(C=O)O}$ - radical wherein R is alkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, heteroalkyl or heterocycloalkyl, which are as described herein. If the R radical is heteroaryl or heterocycloalkyl, the hetero ring or chain atoms contribute to the total number of chain or ring atoms. Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, the R of an acyloxy group is optionally substituted by one or more substituents which independently are: alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, nitro, trimethylsilanyl, $-\text{OR}^a$, $-\text{SR}^a$, $-\text{OC}(\mathbf{O})-\text{R}^a$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $-\text{C}(\mathbf{O})\text{R}^a$, $-\text{C}(\mathbf{O})\text{OR}^a$, $-\text{OC}(\mathbf{O})\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $-\text{C}(\mathbf{O})\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{C}(\mathbf{O})\text{OR}^a$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{C}(\mathbf{O})\text{R}^a$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{C}(\mathbf{O})\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{C}(\text{NR}^a)\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{S}(\mathbf{O})_t\text{R}^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-\text{S}(\mathbf{O})_t\text{OR}^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-\text{S}(\mathbf{O})_t\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$ (where t is 1 or 2), or $\text{P}\mathbf{O}_3(\text{R}^a)_2$, where each R^a is independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl, carbocyclylalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00265] "Amino" or "amine" refers to a $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$ radical group, where each R^a is independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl, carbocyclylalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl, unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification. When a $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$ group has two R^a substituents other than hydrogen, they can be combined with the nitrogen atom to form a 4-, 5-, 6- or 7-membered ring. For example, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$ is intended to include, but is not limited to, 1-pyrrolidinyl and 4-morpholinyl. Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, an amino group is optionally substituted by one or more substituents which independently are: alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, nitro, trimethylsilanyl, $-\text{OR}^a$, $-\text{SR}^a$, $-\text{OC}(\mathbf{O})-\text{R}^a$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $-\text{C}(\mathbf{O})\text{R}^a$, $-\text{C}(\mathbf{O})\text{OR}^a$, $-\text{OC}(\mathbf{O})\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $-\text{C}(\mathbf{O})\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{C}(\mathbf{O})\text{OR}^a$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{C}(\mathbf{O})\text{R}^a$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{C}(\mathbf{O})\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{C}(\text{NR}^a)\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^a)\text{S}(\mathbf{O})_t\text{R}^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-\text{S}(\mathbf{O})_t\text{OR}^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-\text{S}(\mathbf{O})_t\text{N}(\text{R}^a)_2$ (where t is 1 or 2), or $\text{P}\mathbf{O}_3(\text{R}^a)_2$, where each R^a is independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl, carbocyclylalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00266] The term "substituted amino" also refers to N-oxides of the groups -NHR^d , and NR^dR^d each as described above. N-oxides can be prepared by treatment of the corresponding amino group with, for example, hydrogen peroxide or m-chloroperoxybenzoic acid.

[00267] "Amide" or "amido" refers to a chemical moiety with formula -C(=O)N(R)_2 or -NHC(=O)R , where R is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl (bonded through a ring carbon) and heteroalicyclic (bonded through a ring carbon), each of which moiety may itself be optionally substituted. The R_2 of -N(R)_2 of the amide may optionally be taken together with the nitrogen to which it is attached to form a 4-, 5-, 6- or 7-membered ring. Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, an amido group is optionally substituted independently by one or more of the substituents as described herein for alkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, or heterocycloalkyl. An amide may be an amino acid or a peptide molecule attached to a compound disclosed herein, thereby forming a prodrug. The procedures and specific groups to make such amides are known to those of skill in the art and can readily be found in seminal sources such as Greene and Wuts, Protective Groups in Organic Synthesis, 3rd Ed., John Wiley & Sons, New York, N.Y., 1999, which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.

[00268] "Aromatic" or "aryl" or "Ar" refers to an aromatic radical with six to ten ring atoms (*e.g.*, C_6 - C_{10} aromatic or C_6 - C_{10} aryl) which has at least one ring having a conjugated pi electron system which is carbocyclic (*e.g.*, phenyl, fluorenyl, and naphthyl). Bivalent radicals formed from substituted benzene derivatives and having the free valences at ring atoms are named as substituted phenylene radicals. Bivalent radicals derived from univalent polycyclic hydrocarbon radicals whose names end in "-yl" by removal of one hydrogen atom from the carbon atom with the free valence are named by adding "-idene" to the name of the corresponding univalent radical, *e.g.*, a naphthyl group with two points of attachment is termed naphthylidene. Whenever it appears herein, a numerical range such as "6 to 10" refers to each integer in the given range; *e.g.*, "6 to 10 ring atoms" means that the aryl group may consist of 6 ring atoms, 7 ring atoms, *etc.*, up to and including 10 ring atoms. The term includes monocyclic or fused-ring polycyclic (*i.e.*, rings which share adjacent pairs of ring atoms) groups. Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, an aryl moiety is optionally substituted by one or more substituents which are independently alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy,

nitro, trimethylsilyl, $-OR^a$, $-SR^a$, $-OC(O)R^a$, $-N(R^a)_2$, $-C(O)R^a$, $-C(O)OR^a$, $-OC(O)N(R^a)_2$, $-C(O)N(R^a)_2$, $-N(R^a)C(O)OR^a$, $-N(R^a)C(O)R^a$, $-N(R^a)C(O)N(R^a)_2$, $N(R^a)C(NR^a)N(R^a)_2$, $-N(R^a)S(O)_tR^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-S(O)_tOR^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-S(O)_tN(R^a)_2$ (where t is 1 or 2), or $PC>3(R^a)_2$, where each R^a is independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl, carbocyclylalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00269] "Aralkyl" or "arylalkyl" refers to an (aryl)alkyl-radical where aryl and alkyl are as disclosed herein and which are optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described as suitable substituents for aryl and alkyl respectively.

[00270] "Ester" refers to a chemical radical of formula $-COOR$, where R is selected from the group consisting of alkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl (bonded through a ring carbon) and heteroalicyclic (bonded through a ring carbon). The procedures and specific groups to make esters are known to those of skill in the art and can readily be found in seminal sources such as Greene and Wuts, Protective Groups in Organic Synthesis, 3rd Ed., John Wiley & Sons, New York, N.Y., 1999, which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety. Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, an ester group is optionally substituted by one or more substituents which independently are: alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, nitro, trimethylsilyl, $-OR^a$, $-SR^a$, $-OC(O)R^a$, $-N(R^a)_2$, $-C(O)R^a$, $-C(O)OR^a$, $-OC(O)N(R^a)_2$, $-C(O)N(R^a)_2$, $-N(R^a)C(O)OR^a$, $-N(R^a)C(O)R^a$, $-N(R^a)C(O)N(R^a)_2$, $N(R^a)C(NR^a)N(R^a)_2$, $-N(R^a)S(O)_tR^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-S(O)_tOR^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-S(O)_tN(R^a)_2$ (where t is 1 or 2), or $PO_3(R^a)_2$, where each R^a is independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl, carbocyclylalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00271] "Fluoroalkyl" refers to an alkyl radical, as defined above, that is substituted by one or more fluoro radicals, as defined above, for example, trifluoromethyl, difluoromethyl, 2,2,2-trifluoroethyl, 1-fluoromethyl-2-fluoroethyl, and the like. The alkyl part of the fluoroalkyl radical may be optionally substituted as defined above for an alkyl group.

[00272] "Halo," "halide," or, alternatively, "halogen" is intended to mean fluoro, chloro, bromo or iodo. The terms "haloalkyl," "haloalkenyl," "haloalkynyl," and "haloalkoxy" include alkyl,

alkenyl, alkynyl and alkoxy structures that are substituted with one or more halo groups or with combinations thereof. For example, the terms "fluoroalkyl" and "fluoroalkoxy" include haloalkyl and haloalkoxy groups, respectively, in which the halo is fluorine.

[00273] "Heteroalkyl," "heteroalkenyl," and "heteroalkynyl" refer to optionally substituted alkyl, alkenyl and alkynyl radicals and which have one or more skeletal chain atoms selected from an atom other than carbon, e.g., oxygen, nitrogen, sulfur, phosphorus or combinations thereof. A numerical range may be given - e.g., C₁-C₄ heteroalkyl which refers to the chain length in total, which in this example is 4 atoms long. A heteroalkyl group may be substituted with one or more substituents which independently are: alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, nitro, oxo, thioxo, trimethylsilyl, -OR^a, -SR^a, -OC(0)-R^a, -N(R^a)₂, -C(0)R^a, -C(0)OR^a, -OC(0)N(R^a)₂, -C(0)N(R^a)₂, -N(R^a)C(0)OR^a, -N(R^a)C(0)R^a, -N(R^a)C(0)N(R^a)₂, N(R^a)C(NR^a)N(R^a)₂, -N(R^a)S(0)_tR^a (where t is 1 or 2), -S(0)_tOR^a (where t is 1 or 2), -S(0)_tN(R^a)₂ (where t is 1 or 2), or PC>3(R^a)₂, where each R^a is independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl, carbocyclylalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00274] "Heteroalkylaryl" refers to an -(heteroalkyl)aryl radical where heteroalkyl and aryl are as disclosed herein and which are optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described as suitable substituents for heteroalkyl and aryl, respectively.

[00275] "Heteroalkylheteroaryl" refers to an -(heteroalkyl)heteroaryl radical where heteroalkyl and heteroaryl are as disclosed herein and which are optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described as suitable substituents for heteroalkyl and heteroaryl, respectively.

[00276] "Heteroalkylheterocycloalkyl" refers to an -(heteroalkyl)heterocycloalkyl radical where heteroalkyl and heterocycloalkyl are as disclosed herein and which are optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described as suitable substituents for heteroalkyl and heterocycloalkyl, respectively.

[00277] "Heteroalkylcycloalkyl" refers to an -(heteroalkyl)cycloalkyl radical where heteroalkyl and cycloalkyl are as disclosed herein and which are optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described as suitable substituents for heteroalkyl and cycloalkyl, respectively.

[00278] "Heteroaryl" or "heteroaromatic" or "HetAr" refers to a 5- to 18-membered aromatic radical (*e.g.*, C₅-C₁₃ heteroaryl) that includes one or more ring heteroatoms selected from nitrogen, oxygen and sulfur, and which may be a monocyclic, bicyclic, tricyclic or tetracyclic ring system. Whenever it appears herein, a numerical range such as "5 to 18" refers to each integer in the given range - *e.g.*, "5 to 18 ring atoms" means that the heteroaryl group may consist of 5 ring atoms, 6 ring atoms, etc., up to and including 18 ring atoms. Bivalent radicals derived from univalent heteroaryl radicals whose names end in "-yl" by removal of one hydrogen atom from the atom with the free valence are named by adding "-idene" to the name of the corresponding univalent radical - *e.g.*, a pyridyl group with two points of attachment is a pyridylidene. A N-containing "heteroaromatic" or "heteroaryl" moiety refers to an aromatic group in which at least one of the skeletal atoms of the ring is a nitrogen atom. The polycyclic heteroaryl group may be fused or non-fused. The heteroatom(s) in the heteroaryl radical are optionally oxidized. One or more nitrogen atoms, if present, are optionally quaternized. The heteroaryl may be attached to the rest of the molecule through any atom of the ring(s). Examples of heteroaryls include, but are not limited to, azepinyl, acridinyl, benzimidazolyl, benzindolyl, 1,3-benzodioxolyl, benzofuranyl, benzoaxazolyl, benzo[*f*]thiazolyl, benzothiadiazolyl, benzo[6][1,4]dioxepinyl, benzo[6][1,4]oxazinyl, 1,4-benzodioxanyl, benzonaphthofuranyl, benzoxazolyl, benzodioxolyl, benzodioxinyl, benzoxazolyl, benzopyranyl, benzopyranonyl, benzofuranyl, benzofuranonyl, benzofurazanyl, benzothiazolyl, benzothienyl(benzothiophenyl), benzothieno[3,2-*f*]pyrimidinyl, benzotriazolyl, benzo[4,6]imidazo[1,2-*a*]pyridinyl, carbazolyl, cinnolinyl, cyclopenta[*f*]pyrimidinyl, 6,7-dihydro-5*H*-cyclopenta[4,5]thieno[2,3-*f*]pyrimidinyl, 5,6-dihydrobenzo[*z*]quinazoliny, 5,6-dihydrobenzo[*z*]cinnolinyl, 6,7-dihydro-5*H*-benzo[6,7]cyclohepta[1,2-*c*]pyridazinyl, dibenzofuranyl, dibenzothiophenyl, furanyl, furazanyl, furanonyl, furo[3,2-*c*]pyridinyl, 5,6,7,8,9,10-hexahydrocycloocta[*f*]pyrimidinyl, 5,6,7,8,9,10-hexahydrocycloocta[*f*]pyridazinyl, 5,6,7,8,9,10-hexahydrocycloocta[*f*]pyridinyl, isothiazolyl, imidazolyl, indazolyl, indolyl, indazolyl, isoindolyl, indolinyl, isoindolinyl, isoquinolyl, indoliziny, isoxazolyl, 5,8-methano-5,6,7,8-tetrahydroquinazoliny, naphthyridinyl, 1,6-naphthyridinonyl, oxadiazolyl, 2-oxoazepinyl, oxazolyl, oxiranyl, 5,6,6a,7,8,9,10,10a-octahydrobenzo[*z*]quinazoliny, 1-phenyl-1*H*-pyrrolyl, phenazinyl, phenothiazinyl, phenoxazinyl, phthalazinyl, pteridinyl, purinyl, pyranyl, pyrrolyl, pyrazolyl, pyrazolo[3,4-*d*]pyrimidinyl, pyridinyl, pyrido[3,2-*f*]pyrimidinyl, pyrido[3,4-*f*]pyrimidinyl, pyrazinyl,

pyrimidinyl, pyridazinyl, pyrrolyl, quinazoliny, quinoxaliny, quinolinyl, isoquinolinyl, tetrahydroquinolinyl, 5,6,7,8-tetrahydroquinazoliny, 5,6,7,8-tetrahydrobenzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidinyl, 6,7,8,9-tetrahydro-5H-cyclohepta[4,5]thieno[2,3-c]pyrimidinyl, 5,6,7,8-tetrahydropyrido[4,5-c]pyridazinyl, thiazolyl, thiadiazolyl, thiapyranly, triazolyl, tetrazolyl, triazinyl, thieno[2,3-c]pyrimidinyl, thieno[3,2-c]pyrimidinyl, thieno[2,3-c]pyridinyl, and thiophenyl (*i.e.*, thienyl). Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, a heteroaryl moiety is optionally substituted by one or more substituents which are independently: alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, nitro, oxo, thioxo, trimethylsilanyl, -OR^a, -SR^a, -OC(O)-R^a, -N(R^a)₂, -C(O)R^a, -C(O)OR^a, -OC(O)N(R^a)₂, -C(O)N(R^a)₂, -N(R^a)C(O)OR^a, -N(R^a)C(O)R^a, -N(R^a)C(O)N(R^a)₂, N(R^a)C(NR^a)N(R^a)₂, -N(R^a)S(O)_tR^a (where t is 1 or 2), -S(O)_tOR^a (where t is 1 or 2), -S(O)_tN(R^a)₂ (where t is 1 or 2), or P(O)₃(R^a)₂, where each R^a is independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl, carbocyclylalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00279] Substituted heteroaryl also includes ring systems substituted with one or more oxide (-O-) substituents, such as, for example, pyridinyl N-oxides.

[00280] "Heteroarylalkyl" refers to a moiety having an aryl moiety, as described herein, connected to an alkylene moiety, as described herein, wherein the connection to the remainder of the molecule is through the alkylene group.

[00281] "Heterocycloalkyl" refers to a stable 3- to 18-membered non-aromatic ring radical that comprises two to twelve carbon atoms and from one to six heteroatoms selected from nitrogen, oxygen and sulfur. Whenever it appears herein, a numerical range such as "3 to 18" refers to each integer in the given range - *e.g.*, "3 to 18 ring atoms" means that the heterocycloalkyl group may consist of 3 ring atoms, 4 ring atoms, *etc.*, up to and including 18 ring atoms. Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, the heterocycloalkyl radical is a monocyclic, bicyclic, tricyclic or tetracyclic ring system, which may include fused or bridged ring systems. The heteroatoms in the heterocycloalkyl radical may be optionally oxidized. One or more nitrogen atoms, if present, are optionally quaternized. The heterocycloalkyl radical is partially or fully saturated. The heterocycloalkyl may be attached to the rest of the molecule through any atom of the ring(s). Examples of such heterocycloalkyl radicals include, but are not limited to,

dioxolanyl, thienyl[1,3]dithianyl, decahydroisoquinolyl, imidazoliny, imidazolidinyl, isothiazolidinyl, isoxazolidinyl, morpholinyl, octahydroindolyl, octahydroisoindolyl, 2-oxopiperazinyl, 2-oxopiperidinyl, 2-oxopyrrolidinyl, oxazolidinyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, 4-piperidonyl, pyrrolidinyl, pyrazolidinyl, quinuclidinyl, thiazolidinyl, tetrahydrofuryl, trithianyl, tetrahydropyranlyl, thiomorpholinyl, thiamorpholinyl, 1-oxo-thiomorpholinyl, and 1,1-dioxo-thiomorpholinyl. Unless stated otherwise specifically in the specification, a heterocycloalkyl moiety is optionally substituted by one or more substituents which independently are: alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, hydroxy, halo, cyano, nitro, oxo, thioxo, trimethylsilanyl, $-OR^a$, $-SR^a$, $-OC(O)-R^a$, $-N(R^a)_2$, $-C(O)R^a$, $-C(O)OR^a$, $-OC(O)N(R^a)_2$, $-C(O)N(R^a)_2$, $-N(R^a)C(O)OR^a$, $-N(R^a)C(O)R^a$, $-N(R^a)C(O)N(R^a)_2$, $N(R^a)C(NR^a)N(R^a)_2$, $-N(R^a)S(O)_t R^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-S(O)_t OR^a$ (where t is 1 or 2), $-S(O)_t N(R^a)_2$ (where t is 1 or 2), or $PO_3(R^a)_2$, where each R^a is independently hydrogen, alkyl, fluoroalkyl, carbocyclyl, carbocyclylalkyl, aryl, aralkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, heteroaryl or heteroarylalkyl.

[00282] "Heterocycloalkyl" also includes bicyclic ring systems wherein one non-aromatic ring, usually with 3 to 7 ring atoms, contains at least 2 carbon atoms in addition to 1-3 heteroatoms independently selected from oxygen, sulfur, and nitrogen, as well as combinations comprising at least one of the foregoing heteroatoms; and the other ring, usually with 3 to 7 ring atoms, optionally contains 1-3 heteroatoms independently selected from oxygen, sulfur, and nitrogen and is not aromatic.

[00283] "Nitro" refers to the $-NO_2$ radical.

[00284] "Oxa" refers to the $-O-$ radical.

[00285] "Oxo" refers to the $=O$ radical.

[00286] "Isomers" are different compounds that have the same molecular formula.

"Stereoisomers" are isomers that differ only in the way the atoms are arranged in space - *i.e.*, having a different stereochemical configuration. "Enantiomers" are a pair of stereoisomers that are non-superimposable mirror images of each other. A 1:1 mixture of a pair of enantiomers is a "racemic" mixture. The term " (\pm) " is used to designate a racemic mixture where appropriate. "Diastereoisomers" are stereoisomers that have at least two asymmetric atoms, but which are not mirror-images of each other. The absolute stereochemistry is specified according to the Cahn-

Ingold-Prelog R-S system. When a compound is a pure enantiomer the stereochemistry at each chiral carbon can be specified by either (*R*) or (*S*). Resolved compounds whose absolute configuration is unknown can be designated (+) or (-) depending on the direction (dextro- or levorotatory) which they rotate plane polarized light at the wavelength of the sodium D line. Certain of the compounds described herein contain one or more asymmetric centers and can thus give rise to enantiomers, diastereomers, and other stereoisomeric forms that can be defined, in terms of absolute stereochemistry, as (*R*) or (*S*). The present chemical entities, pharmaceutical compositions and methods are meant to include all such possible isomers, including racemic mixtures, optically pure forms and intermediate mixtures. Optically active (*R*)- and (*S*)-isomers can be prepared using chiral synthons or chiral reagents, or resolved using conventional techniques. When the compounds described herein contain olefinic double bonds or other centers of geometric asymmetry, and unless specified otherwise, it is intended that the compounds include both *E* and *Z* geometric isomers.

[00287] "Enantiomeric purity" as used herein refers to the relative amounts, expressed as a percentage, of the presence of a specific enantiomer relative to the other enantiomer. For example, if a compound, which may potentially have an (*R*)- or an (<*S*)-isomeric configuration, is present as a racemic mixture, the enantiomeric purity is about 50% with respect to either the (*R*)- or (*S*)-isomer. If that compound has one isomeric form predominant over the other, for example, 80% (*R*)-isomer and 20% (*S*)-isomer, the enantiomeric purity of the compound with respect to the (*S*)-isomeric form is 80%. The enantiomeric purity of a compound can be determined in a number of ways known in the art, including but not limited to chromatography using a chiral support, polarimetric measurement of the rotation of polarized light, nuclear magnetic resonance spectroscopy using chiral shift reagents which include but are not limited to lanthanide containing chiral complexes or Pirkle's reagents, or derivatization of a compound using a chiral compound such as Mosher's acid followed by chromatography or nuclear magnetic resonance spectroscopy.

[00288] In preferred embodiments, the enantiomerically enriched composition has a higher potency with respect to therapeutic utility per unit mass than does the racemic mixture of that composition. Enantiomers can be isolated from mixtures by methods known to those skilled in the art, including chiral high pressure liquid chromatography (HPLC) and the formation and crystallization of chiral salts; or preferred enantiomers can be prepared by asymmetric syntheses.

See, for example, Jacques, *etal.*, *Enantiomers, Racemates and Resolutions*, Wiley Interscience, New York (1981); E. L. Eliel, *Stereochemistry of Carbon Compounds*, McGraw-Hill, New York (1962); and E. L. Eliel and S. H. Wilen, *Stereochemistry of Organic Compounds*, Wiley-Interscience, New York (1994).

[00289] The terms "enantiomerically enriched" and "non-racemic," as used herein, refer to compositions in which the percent by weight of one enantiomer is greater than the amount of that one enantiomer in a control mixture of the racemic composition (e.g., greater than 1:1 by weight). For example, an enantiomerically enriched preparation of the (5)-enantiomer, means a preparation of the compound having greater than 50% by weight of the (5)-enantiomer relative to the (i?)-enantiomer, such as at least 75% by weight, or such as at least 80% by weight. In some embodiments, the enrichment can be significantly greater than 80% by weight, providing a "substantially enantiomerically enriched" or a "substantially non-racemic" preparation, which refers to preparations of compositions which have at least 85% by weight of one enantiomer relative to other enantiomer, such as at least 90% by weight, or such as at least 95% by weight. The terms "enantiomerically pure" or "substantially enantiomerically pure" refers to a composition that comprises at least 98% of a single enantiomer and less than 2% of the opposite enantiomer.

[00290] "Moiety" refers to a specific segment or functional group of a molecule. Chemical moieties are often recognized chemical entities embedded in or appended to a molecule.

[00291] "Tautomers" are structurally distinct isomers that interconvert by tautomerization. "Tautomerization" is a form of isomerization and includes prototropic or proton-shift tautomerization, which is considered a subset of acid-base chemistry. "Prototropic tautomerization" or "proton-shift tautomerization" involves the migration of a proton accompanied by changes in bond order, often the interchange of a single bond with an adjacent double bond. Where tautomerization is possible (*e.g.*, in solution), a chemical equilibrium of tautomers can be reached. An example of tautomerization is keto-enol tautomerization. A specific example of keto-enol tautomerization is the interconversion of pentane-2,4-dione and 4-hydroxypent-3-en-2-one tautomers. Another example of tautomerization is phenol-keto tautomerization. A specific example of phenol-keto tautomerization is the interconversion of pyridin-4-ol and pyridin-4(l *H*)-one tautomers.

[00292] A "leaving group or atom" is any group or atom that will, under selected reaction conditions, cleave from the starting material, thus promoting reaction at a specified site. Examples of such groups, unless otherwise specified, include halogen atoms and mesyloxy, p-nitrobenzensulphonyloxy and tosyloxy groups.

[00293] "Protecting group" is intended to mean a group that selectively blocks one or more reactive sites in a multifunctional compound such that a chemical reaction can be carried out selectively on another unprotected reactive site and the group can then be readily removed or deprotected after the selective reaction is complete. A variety of protecting groups are disclosed, for example, in T. H. Greene and P. G. M. Wuts, Protective Groups in Organic Synthesis, Third Edition, John Wiley & Sons, New York (1999).

[00294] "Solvate" refers to a compound in physical association with one or more molecules of a pharmaceutically acceptable solvent.

[00295] "Substituted" means that the referenced group may have attached one or more additional groups, radicals or moieties individually and independently selected from, for example, acyl, alkyl, alkylaryl, cycloalkyl, aralkyl, aryl, carbohydrate, carbonate, heteroaryl, heterocycloalkyl, hydroxy, alkoxy, aryloxy, mercapto, alkylthio, arylthio, cyano, halo, carbonyl, ester, thiocarbonyl, isocyanato, thiocyanato, isothiocyanato, nitro, oxo, perhaloalkyl, perfluoroalkyl, phosphate, silyl, sulfinyl, sulfonyl, sulfonamidyl, sulfoxyl, sulfonate, urea, and amino, including mono- and di-substituted amino groups, and protected derivatives thereof. The substituents themselves may be substituted, for example, a cycloalkyl substituent may itself have a halide substituent at one or more of its ring carbons. The term "optionally substituted" means optional substitution with the specified groups, radicals or moieties.

[00296] "Sulfanyl" refers to groups that include -S-(optionally substituted alkyl), -S-(optionally substituted aryl), -S-(optionally substituted heteroaryl) and -S-(optionally substituted heterocycloalkyl) .

[00297] "Sulfinyl" refers to groups that include -S(0)-H, -S(0)-(optionally substituted alkyl), -S(0)-(optionally substituted amino), -S(0)-(optionally substituted aryl), -S(O)-(optionally substituted heteroaryl) and -S(0)-(optionally substituted heterocycloalkyl).

[00298] "Sulfonyl" refers to groups that include $-S(=O)_2-H$, $-S(=O)_2$ -(optionally substituted alkyl), $-S(=O)_2$ -(optionally substituted amino), $-S(=O)_2$ -(optionally substituted aryl), $-S(=O)_2$ -(optionally substituted heteroaryl), and $-S(=O)_2$ -(optionally substituted heterocycloalkyl).

[00299] "Sulfonamidyl" or "sulfonamido" refers to a $-S(=O)_2-NRR$ radical, where each R is selected independently from the group consisting of hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl (bonded through a ring carbon) and heteroalicyclic (bonded through a ring carbon). The R groups in $-NRR$ of the $-S(=O)_2-NRR$ radical may be taken together with the nitrogen to which it is attached to form a 4-, 5-, 6- or 7-membered ring. A sulfonamido group is optionally substituted by one or more of the substituents described for alkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, respectively.

[00300] "Sulfoxyl" refers to a $-S(=O)_2OH$ radical.

[00301] "Sulfonate" refers to a $-S(=O)_2-OR$ radical, where R is selected from the group consisting of alkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl (bonded through a ring carbon) and heteroalicyclic (bonded through a ring carbon). A sulfonate group is optionally substituted on R by one or more of the substituents described for alkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, respectively.

[00302] Compounds of the invention also include crystalline and amorphous forms of those compounds, including, for example, polymorphs, pseudopolymorphs, solvates, hydrates, unsolvated polymorphs (including anhydrates), conformational polymorphs, and amorphous forms of the compounds, as well as mixtures thereof. "Crystalline form" and "polymorph" are intended to include all crystalline and amorphous forms of the compound, including, for example, polymorphs, pseudopolymorphs, solvates, hydrates, unsolvated polymorphs (including anhydrates), conformational polymorphs, and amorphous forms, as well as mixtures thereof, unless a particular crystalline or amorphous form is referred to.

[00303] Compounds of the invention also include antibodies. The terms "antibody" and its plural form "antibodies" refer to whole immunoglobulins and any antigen-binding fragment ("antigen-binding portion") or single chains thereof. An "antibody" further refers to a glycoprotein comprising at least two heavy (H) chains and two light (L) chains inter-connected by disulfide bonds, or an antigen-binding portion thereof. Each heavy chain is comprised of a heavy chain variable region (abbreviated herein as VH) and a heavy chain constant region. The heavy chain constant region is comprised of three domains, CH1, CH2 and CH3. Each light

chain is comprised of a light chain variable region (abbreviated herein as **V_L**) and a light chain constant region. The light chain constant region is comprised of one domain, **CL**. The **V_H** and **V_L** regions of an antibody may be further subdivided into regions of hypervariability, which are referred to as complementarity determining regions (CDR) or hypervariable regions (HVR), and which can be interspersed with regions that are more conserved, termed framework regions (FR). Each **V_H** and **V_L** is composed of three CDRs and four FRs, arranged from amino-terminus to carboxy-terminus in the following order: FR1, CDR1, FR2, CDR2, FR3, CDR3, FR4. The variable regions of the heavy and light chains contain a binding domain that interacts with an antigen epitope or epitopes. The constant regions of the antibodies may mediate the binding of the immunoglobulin to host tissues or factors, including various cells of the immune system (e.g., effector cells) and the first component (C1q) of the classical complement system.

[00304] The terms "monoclonal antibody," "mAb," "monoclonal antibody composition," or their plural forms refer to a preparation of antibody molecules of single molecular composition. A monoclonal antibody composition displays a single binding specificity and affinity for a particular epitope. Monoclonal antibodies specific to, e.g., CD19, CD20, PD-1, PD-L1, or PD-L2 can be made using knowledge and skill in the art of injecting test subjects with CD 19, CD20, PD-1, PD-L1, or PD-L2 antigen and then isolating hybridomas expressing antibodies having the desired sequence or functional characteristics. DNA encoding the monoclonal antibodies is readily isolated and sequenced using conventional procedures (e.g., by using oligonucleotide probes that are capable of binding specifically to genes encoding the heavy and light chains of the monoclonal antibodies). The hybridoma cells serve as a preferred source of such DNA. Once isolated, the DNA may be placed into expression vectors, which are then transfected into host cells such as *E. coli* cells, simian COS cells, Chinese hamster ovary (CHO) cells, or myeloma cells that do not otherwise produce immunoglobulin protein, to obtain the synthesis of monoclonal antibodies in the recombinant host cells. Recombinant production of antibodies will be described in more detail below.

[00305] The terms "antigen-binding portion" or "antigen-binding fragment" of an antibody (or simply "antibody portion"), as used herein, refers to one or more fragments of an antibody that retain the ability to specifically bind to an antigen (e.g., CD19, CD20, PD-1, PD-L1, or PD-L2). It has been shown that the antigen-binding function of an antibody can be performed by fragments of a full-length antibody. Examples of binding fragments encompassed within the

term "antigen-binding portion" of an antibody include (i) a Fab fragment, a monovalent fragment consisting of the V_L , V_H , C_L and CHI domains; (ii) a F(ab')₂ fragment, a bivalent fragment comprising two Fab fragments linked by a disulfide bridge at the hinge region; (iii) a Fd fragment consisting of the V_H and CHI domains; (iv) a Fv fragment consisting of the V_L and V_H domains of a single arm of an antibody, (v) a domain antibody (dAb) fragment (Ward *et al*, *Nature*, **1989**, 341, 544-546), which may consist of a V_H or a V_L domain; and (vi) an isolated complementarity determining region (CDR). Furthermore, although the two domains of the Fv fragment, V_L and V_H , are coded for by separate genes, they can be joined, using recombinant methods, by a synthetic linker that enables them to be made as a single protein chain in which the V_L and V_H regions pair to form monovalent molecules known as single chain Fv (scFv); see, *e.g.*, Bird *et al*, *Science* **1988**, 242, 423-426; and Huston *et al*, *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* **1988**, 85, 5879-5883). Such scFv antibodies are also intended to be encompassed within the terms "antigen-binding portion" or "antigen-binding fragment" of an antibody. These antibody fragments are obtained using conventional techniques known to those with skill in the art, and the fragments are screened for utility in the same manner as are intact antibodies.

[00306] The term "human antibody," as used herein, is intended to include antibodies having variable regions in which both the framework and CDR regions are derived from human germline immunoglobulin sequences. Furthermore, if the antibody contains a constant region, the constant region also is derived from human germline immunoglobulin sequences. The human antibodies of the invention may include amino acid residues not encoded by human germline immunoglobulin sequences (*e.g.*, mutations introduced by random or site-specific mutagenesis *in vitro* or by somatic mutation *in vivo*). The term "human antibody", as used herein, is not intended to include antibodies in which CDR sequences derived from the germline of another mammalian species, such as a mouse, have been grafted onto human framework sequences.

[00307] The term "human monoclonal antibody" refers to antibodies displaying a single binding specificity which have variable regions in which both the framework and CDR regions are derived from human germline immunoglobulin sequences. In one embodiment, the human monoclonal antibodies are produced by a hybridoma which includes a B cell obtained from a transgenic nonhuman animal, *e.g.*, a transgenic mouse, having a genome comprising a human heavy chain transgene and a light chain transgene fused to an immortalized cell.

[00308] The term "recombinant human antibody", as used herein, includes all human antibodies that are prepared, expressed, created or isolated by recombinant means, such as (a) antibodies isolated from an animal (e.g., a mouse) that is transgenic or transchromosomal for human immunoglobulin genes or a hybridoma prepared therefrom (described further below), (b) antibodies isolated from a host cell transformed to express the human antibody, e.g., from a transfectoma, (c) antibodies isolated from a recombinant, combinatorial human antibody library, and (d) antibodies prepared, expressed, created or isolated by any other means that involve splicing of human immunoglobulin gene sequences to other DNA sequences. Such recombinant human antibodies have variable regions in which the framework and CDR regions are derived from human germline immunoglobulin sequences. In certain embodiments, however, such recombinant human antibodies can be subjected to *in vitro* mutagenesis (or, when an animal transgenic for human Ig sequences is used, *in vivo* somatic mutagenesis) and thus the amino acid sequences of the V_H and V_L regions of the recombinant antibodies are sequences that, while derived from and related to human germline V_H and V_L sequences, may not naturally exist within the human antibody germline repertoire *in vivo*.

[00309] As used herein, "isotype" refers to the antibody class (e.g., IgM or IgG1) that is encoded by the heavy chain constant region genes.

[00310] The phrases "an antibody recognizing an antigen" and "an antibody specific for an antigen" are used interchangeably herein with the term "an antibody which binds specifically to an antigen."

[00311] The term "human antibody derivatives" refers to any modified form of the human antibody, e.g., a conjugate of the antibody and another active pharmaceutical ingredient or antibody. The terms "conjugate," "antibody-drug conjugate", "ADC," or "immunoconjugate" refers to an antibody, or a fragment thereof, conjugated to a therapeutic moiety, such as a bacterial toxin, a cytotoxic drug or a radionuclide-containing toxin. Toxic moieties can be conjugated to antibodies of the invention using methods available in the art.

[00312] The terms "humanized antibody," "humanized antibodies," and "humanized" are intended to refer to antibodies in which CDR sequences derived from the germline of another mammalian species, such as a mouse, have been grafted onto human framework sequences. Additional framework region modifications may be made within the human framework

sequences. Humanized forms of non-human (for example, murine) antibodies are chimeric antibodies that contain minimal sequence derived from non-human immunoglobulin. For the most part, humanized antibodies are human immunoglobulins (recipient antibody) in which residues from a hypervariable region of the recipient are replaced by residues from a 15 hypervariable region of a non-human species (donor antibody) such as mouse, rat, rabbit or nonhuman primate having the desired specificity, affinity, and capacity. In some instances, Fv framework region (FR) residues of the human immunoglobulin are replaced by corresponding non-human residues. Furthermore, humanized antibodies may comprise residues that are not found in the recipient antibody or in the donor antibody. These modifications are made to further refine antibody performance. In general, the humanized antibody will comprise substantially all of at least one, and typically two, variable domains, in which all or substantially all of the hypervariable loops correspond to those of a non-human immunoglobulin and all or substantially all of the FR regions are those of a human immunoglobulin sequence. The humanized antibody optionally also will comprise at least a portion of an immunoglobulin constant region (Fc), typically that of a human immunoglobulin. For further details, see Jones *et al*, *Nature* **1986**, 321, 522-525; Riechmann *et al*, *Nature* **1988**, 332, 323-329; and Presta, *Curr. Op. Struct. Biol.* **1992**, 2, 593-596.

[00313] The term "chimeric antibody" is intended to refer to antibodies in which the variable region sequences are derived from one species and the constant region sequences are derived from another species, such as an antibody in which the variable region sequences are derived from a mouse antibody and the constant region sequences are derived from a human antibody.

[00314] A "diabody" is a small antibody fragment with two antigen-binding sites. The fragments comprises a heavy chain variable domain (V_H) connected to a light chain variable domain (V_L) in the same polypeptide chain (V_H - V_L or V_L - V_H). By using a linker that is too short to allow pairing between the two domains on the same chain, the domains are forced to pair with the complementary domains of another chain and create two antigen-binding sites. Diabodies are described more fully in, *e.g.*, European Patent No. EP 404,097, International Patent Publication No. WO 93/1 1161; and Bolhger *et al*, *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* **1993**, 90, 6444-6448.

[00315] The term "glycosylation" refers to a modified derivative of an antibody. An

aglycosylated antibody lacks glycosylation. Glycosylation can be altered to, for example, increase the affinity of the antibody for antigen. Such carbohydrate modifications can be accomplished by, for example, altering one or more sites of glycosylation within the antibody sequence. For example, one or more amino acid substitutions can be made that result in elimination of one or more variable region framework glycosylation sites to thereby eliminate glycosylation at that site. Aglycosylation may increase the affinity of the antibody for antigen, as described in U.S. Patent Nos. 5,714,350 and 6,350,861. Additionally or alternatively, an antibody can be made that has an altered type of glycosylation, such as a hypofucosylated antibody having reduced amounts of fucosyl residues or an antibody having increased bisecting GlcNac structures. Such altered glycosylation patterns have been demonstrated to increase the ability of antibodies. Such carbohydrate modifications can be accomplished by, for example, expressing the antibody in a host cell with altered glycosylation machinery. Cells with altered glycosylation machinery have been described in the art and can be used as host cells in which to express recombinant antibodies of the invention to thereby produce an antibody with altered glycosylation. For example, the cell lines Ms704, Ms705, and Ms709 lack the fucosyltransferase gene, FUT8 (alpha (1,6) fucosyltransferase), such that antibodies expressed in the Ms704, Ms705, and Ms709 cell lines lack fucose on their carbohydrates. The Ms704, Ms705, and Ms709 FUT8^{-/-} cell lines were created by the targeted disruption of the FUT8 gene in CHO/DG44 cells using two replacement vectors (see e.g. U.S. Patent Publication No. 2004/01 10704 or Yamane-Ohnuki, *et al. Biotechnol. Bioeng.*, **2004**, 87, 614-622). As another example, European Patent No. EP 1,176,195 describes a cell line with a functionally disrupted FUT8 gene, which encodes a fucosyl transferase, such that antibodies expressed in such a cell line exhibit hypofucosylation by reducing or eliminating the alpha 1,6 bond-related enzyme, and also describes cell lines which have a low enzyme activity for adding fucose to the N-acetylglucosamine that binds to the Fc region of the antibody or does not have the enzyme activity, for example the rat myeloma cell line YB2/0 (ATCC CRL 1662). International Patent Publication WO 03/035835 describes a variant CHO cell line, Lec 13 cells, with reduced ability to attach fucose to Asn(297)-linked carbohydrates, also resulting in hypofucosylation of antibodies expressed in that host cell (see also Shields, *etal. J. Biol. Chem.* **2002**, 277, 26733-26740. International Patent Publication WO 99/54342 describes cell lines engineered to express glycoprotein-modifying glycosyl transferases (e.g., beta(1,4)-N-acetylglucosaminyltransferase III (GnTIII)) such that antibodies expressed in

the engineered cell lines exhibit increased bisecting GlcNac structures which results in increased ADCC activity of the antibodies (see also Umana, *et al*, *Nat. Biotech.* **1999**, *17*, 176-180). Alternatively, the fucose residues of the antibody may be cleaved off using a fucosidase enzyme. For example, the fucosidase alpha-L-fucosidase removes fucosyl residues from antibodies as described in Tarentino, *et al*, *Biochem.* **1975**, *14*, 5516-5523.

[00316] "Pegylation" refers to a modified antibody, or a fragment thereof, that typically is reacted with polyethylene glycol (PEG), such as a reactive ester or aldehyde derivative of PEG, under conditions in which one or more PEG groups become attached to the antibody or antibody fragment. Pegylation may, for example, increase the biological (e.g., serum) half life of the antibody. Preferably, the pegylation is carried out via an acylation reaction or an alkylation reaction with a reactive PEG molecule (or an analogous reactive water-soluble polymer). As used herein, the term "polyethylene glycol" is intended to encompass any of the forms of PEG that have been used to derivatize other proteins, such as mono (Ci-Cio) alkoxy- or aryloxy-polyethylene glycol or polyethylene glycol-maleimide. The antibody to be pegylated may be an aglycosylated antibody. Methods for pegylation are known in the art and can be applied to the antibodies of the invention, as described for example in European Patent Nos. EP 0154316 and EP 0401384.

[00317] The term "conservative amino acid substitutions" in means amino acid sequence modifications which do not abrogate the binding of the antibody to the antigen. Conservative amino acid substitutions include the substitution of an amino acid in one class by an amino acid of the same class, where a class is defined by common physicochemical amino acid side chain properties and high substitution frequencies in homologous proteins found in nature, as determined, for example, by a standard Dayhoff frequency exchange matrix or BLOSUM matrix. Six general classes of amino acid side chains have been categorized and include: Class I (Cys); Class II (Ser, Thr, Pro, Ala, Gly); Class III (Asn, Asp, Gin, Glu); Class IV (His, Arg, Lys); Class V (Ile, Leu, Val, Met); and Class VI (Phe, Tyr, Trp). For example, substitution of an Asp for another class III residue such as Asn, Gin, or Glu, is a conservative substitution. Thus, a predicted nonessential amino acid residue in an OX40 agonist antibody is preferably replaced with another amino acid residue from the same class. Methods of identifying amino acid conservative substitutions which do not eliminate antigen binding are well-known in the art (see, e.g., Brummell, *et al.*, *Biochemistry* **1993**, *32*, 1180-1187; Kobayashi, *et al.*, *Protein Eng.* **1999**,

12, 879-884 (1999); and Burks, *etal*, *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* **1997**, *94*, 412-417.

[00318] The terms "sequence identity," "percent identity," and "sequence percent identity" in the context of two or more nucleic acids or polypeptides, refer to two or more sequences or subsequences that are the same or have a specified percentage of nucleotides or amino acid residues that are the same, when compared and aligned (introducing gaps, if necessary) for maximum correspondence, not considering any conservative amino acid substitutions as part of the sequence identity. The percent identity can be measured using sequence comparison software or algorithms or by visual inspection. Various algorithms and software are known in the art that can be used to obtain alignments of amino acid or nucleotide sequences. Suitable programs to determine percent sequence identity include for example the BLAST suite of programs available from the U.S. Government's National Center for Biotechnology Information BLAST web site. Comparisons between two sequences can be carried using either the BLASTN or BLASTP algorithm. BLASTN is used to compare nucleic acid sequences, while BLASTP is used to compare amino acid sequences. ALIGN, ALIGN-2 (Genentech, South San Francisco, California) or MegAlign, available from DNASTAR, are additional publicly available software programs that can be used to align sequences. One skilled in the art can determine appropriate parameters for maximal alignment by particular alignment software. In certain embodiments, the default parameters of the alignment software are used.

[00319] Certain embodiments of the present invention comprise a variant of an antibody, *e.g.*, a CD19 inhibitor that is an antibody, an anti-CD20 antibody, an anti-PD-1 antibody, an anti-PD-L1 antibody, and/or an anti-PD-L2 antibody. As used herein, the term "variant" encompasses but is not limited to antibodies which comprise an amino acid sequence which differs from the amino acid sequence of a reference antibody by way of one or more substitutions, deletions and/or additions at certain positions within or adjacent to the amino acid sequence of the reference antibody. The variant may comprise one or more conservative substitutions in its amino acid sequence as compared to the amino acid sequence of a reference antibody. Conservative substitutions may involve, *e.g.*, the substitution of similarly charged or uncharged amino acids. The variant retains the ability to specifically bind to the antigen of the reference antibody.

[00320] The term "radioisotope-labeled complex" refers to both non-covalent and covalent attachment of a radioactive isotope, such as ^{90}Y , ^{111}In , or ^{131}I , to an antibody, including

conjugates.

[00321] The term "biosimilar" means a biological product that is highly similar to a U.S. licensed reference biological product notwithstanding minor differences in clinically inactive components, and for which there are no clinically meaningful differences between the biological product and the reference product in terms of the safety, purity, and potency of the product. Furthermore, a similar biological or "biosimilar" medicine is a biological medicine that is similar to another biological medicine that has already been authorized for use by the European Medicines Agency. The term "biosimilar" is also used synonymously by other national and regional regulatory agencies. Biological products or biological medicines are medicines that are made by or derived from a biological source, such as a bacterium or yeast. They can consist of relatively small molecules such as human insulin or erythropoietin, or complex molecules such as monoclonal antibodies. For example, if the reference anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is rituximab, an anti-CD20 biosimilar monoclonal antibody approved by drug regulatory authorities with reference to rituximab is a "biosimilar to" rituximab or is a "biosimilar thereof" of rituximab. In Europe, a similar biological or "biosimilar" medicine is a biological medicine that is similar to another biological medicine that has already been authorized for use by the European Medicines Agency (EMA). The relevant legal basis for similar biological applications in Europe is Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 726/2004 and Article 10(4) of Directive 2001/83/EC, as amended and therefore in Europe, the biosimilar may be authorised, approved for authorisation or subject of an application for authorisation under Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 726/2004 and Article 10(4) of Directive 2001/83/EC. The already authorized original biological medicinal product may be referred to as a "reference medicinal product" in Europe. Some of the requirements for a product to be considered a biosimilar are outlined in the CHMP Guideline on Similar Biological Medicinal Products. In addition, product specific guidelines, including guidelines relating to monoclonal antibody biosimilars, are provided on a product-by-product basis by the EMA and published on its website. A biosimilar as described herein may be similar to the reference medicinal product by way of quality characteristics, biological activity, mechanism of action, safety profiles and/or efficacy. In addition, the biosimilar may be used or be intended for use to treat the same conditions as the reference medicinal product. Thus, a biosimilar as described herein may be deemed to have similar or highly similar quality characteristics to a reference medicinal product. Alternatively, or in addition, a biosimilar as

described herein may be deemed to have similar or highly similar biological activity to a reference medicinal product. Alternatively, or in addition, a biosimilar as described herein may be deemed to have a similar or highly similar safety profile to a reference medicinal product. Alternatively, or in addition, a biosimilar as described herein may be deemed to have similar or highly similar efficacy to a reference medicinal product. As described herein, a biosimilar in Europe is compared to a reference medicinal product which has been authorised by the EMA. However, in some instances, the biosimilar may be compared to a biological medicinal product which has been authorised outside the European Economic Area (a non-EEA authorised "comparator") in certain studies. Such studies include for example certain clinical and in vivo non-clinical studies. As used herein, the term "biosimilar" also relates to a biological medicinal product which has been or may be compared to a non-EEA authorised comparator. Certain biosimilars are proteins such as antibodies, antibody fragments (for example, antigen binding portions) and fusion proteins. A protein biosimilar may have an amino acid sequence that has minor modifications in the amino acid structure (including for example deletions, additions, and/or substitutions of amino acids) which do not significantly affect the function of the polypeptide. The biosimilar may comprise an amino acid sequence having a sequence identity of 97% or greater to the amino acid sequence of its reference medicinal product, e.g., 97%, 98%, 99% or 100%. The biosimilar may comprise one or more post-translational modifications, for example, although not limited to, glycosylation, oxidation, deamidation, and/or truncation which is/are different to the post-translational modifications of the reference medicinal product, provided that the differences do not result in a change in safety and/or efficacy of the medicinal product. The biosimilar may have an identical or different glycosylation pattern to the reference medicinal product. Particularly, although not exclusively, the biosimilar may have a different glycosylation pattern if the differences address or are intended to address safety concerns associated with the reference medicinal product. Additionally, the biosimilar may deviate from the reference medicinal product in for example its strength, pharmaceutical form, formulation, excipients and/or presentation, providing safety and efficacy of the medicinal product is not compromised. The biosimilar may comprise differences in for example pharmacokinetic (PK) and/or pharmacodynamic (PD) profiles as compared to the reference medicinal product but is still deemed sufficiently similar to the reference medicinal product as to be authorised or considered suitable for authorisation. In certain circumstances, the biosimilar exhibits different

binding characteristics as compared to the reference medicinal product, wherein the different binding characteristics are considered by a Regulatory Authority such as the EMA not to be a barrier for authorisation as a similar biological product. The term "biosimilar" is also used synonymously by other national and regional regulatory agencies.

[00322] The term "binding molecule" as used herein includes molecules that contain at least one antigen binding site that specifically binds to CD 19, CD20, PD-1, PD-L1, or PD-L2. By "specifically binds" it is meant that the binding molecules exhibit essentially background binding to, *e.g.*, non-CD19 molecules. An isolated binding molecule that specifically binds to, *e.g.*, CD 19 may, however, have cross-reactivity to CD 19 molecules from other species. A CD 19 binding molecule may also be referred to herein as a "CD19 inhibitor." A PD-1 or PD-L1 binding molecule may also be referred to herein as a "PD-1 inhibitor" or a "PD-L1 inhibitor."

[00323] The term "hematological malignancy" refers to mammalian cancers and tumors of the hematopoietic and lymphoid tissues, including but not limited to tissues of the blood, bone marrow, lymph nodes, and lymphatic system. Hematological malignancies are also referred to as "liquid tumors." Hematological malignancies include, but are not limited to, ALL, CLL, SLL, acute myelogenous leukemia (AML), chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), acute monocytic leukemia (AMoL), Hodgkin's lymphoma, and non-Hodgkin's lymphomas. The term "B cell hematological malignancy" refers to hematological malignancies that affect B cells.

[00324] The term "solid tumor" refers to an abnormal mass of tissue that usually does not contain cysts or liquid areas. Solid tumors may be benign or malignant. The term "solid tumor cancer" refers to malignant, neoplastic, or cancerous solid tumors. Solid tumor cancers include, but are not limited to, sarcomas, carcinomas, and lymphomas, such as cancers of the lung, breast, prostate, colon, rectum, and bladder. The tissue structure of solid tumors includes interdependent tissue compartments including the parenchyma (cancer cells) and the supporting stromal cells in which the cancer cells are dispersed and which may provide a supporting microenvironment.

[00325] The term "microenvironment," as used herein, may refer to the tumor microenvironment as a whole or to an individual subset of cells within the microenvironment.

[00326] The term "autologous" refers to any material derived from the same individual to whom it is later to be re-introduced into the individual.

[00327] The term "allogeneic" refers to any material derived from a different animal of the same species as the individual to whom the material is introduced. Two or more individuals are said to be allogeneic to one another when the genes at one or more loci are not identical. In some aspects, allogeneic material from individuals of the same species may be sufficiently unlike genetically to interact antigenically.

[00328] The term "chimeric antigen receptor" refers to a recombinant polypeptide construct comprising at least an extracellular antigen binding domain, a transmembrane domain and a cytoplasmic signaling domain (also referred to as "an intracellular signaling domain") comprising a functional signaling domain derived from a stimulatory molecule as defined below. In an embodiment, the stimulatory molecule is the zeta (ζ) chain associated with the T cell receptor complex. In an embodiment, the cytoplasmic signaling domain further comprises one or more functional signaling domains derived from at least one costimulatory molecule. In one aspect, the costimulatory molecule is chosen from 4-1BB (CD137), CD27 and/or CD28. In an embodiment, the CAR comprises a chimeric fusion protein comprising an extracellular antigen recognition domain, a transmembrane domain and an intracellular signaling domain comprising a functional signaling domain derived from a stimulatory molecule. In an embodiment, the CAR comprises a chimeric fusion protein comprising an extracellular antigen recognition domain, a transmembrane domain and an intracellular signaling domain comprising a functional signaling domain derived from a co-stimulatory molecule and a functional signaling domain derived from a stimulatory molecule. In an embodiment, the CAR comprises a chimeric fusion protein comprising an extracellular antigen recognition domain, a transmembrane domain and an intracellular signaling domain comprising two functional signaling domains derived from one or more co-stimulatory molecule(s) and a functional signaling domain derived from a stimulatory molecule. In an embodiment, the CAR comprises a chimeric fusion protein comprising an extracellular antigen recognition domain, a transmembrane domain and an intracellular signaling domain comprising at least two functional signaling domains derived from one or more co-stimulatory molecule(s) and a functional signaling domain derived from a stimulatory molecule. In one aspect the CAR comprises an optional leader sequence at the amino-terminus (N-terminus) of the CAR fusion protein. In an embodiment, the CAR further comprises a leader sequence at the N-terminus of the extracellular antigen recognition domain, wherein the leader sequence is optionally cleaved from the antigen recognition domain (*e.g.*, a scFv) during cellular

processing and localization of the CAR to the cellular membrane. The term "signaling domain" refers to the functional portion of a protein which acts by transmitting information within the cell to regulate cellular activity via defined signaling pathways by generating second messengers or functioning as effectors by responding to such messengers.

[00329] For the avoidance of doubt, it is intended herein that particular features (for example integers, characteristics, values, uses, diseases, formulae, compounds or groups) described in conjunction with a particular aspect, embodiment or example of the invention are to be understood as applicable to any other aspect, embodiment or example described herein unless incompatible therewith. Thus such features may be used where appropriate in conjunction with any of the definition, claims or embodiments defined herein. All of the features disclosed in this specification (including any accompanying claims, abstract and drawings), and/or all of the steps of any method or process so disclosed, may be combined in any combination, except combinations where at least some of the features and/or steps are mutually exclusive. The invention is not restricted to any details of any disclosed embodiments. The invention extends to any novel one, or novel combination, of the features disclosed in this specification (including any accompanying claims, abstract and drawings), or to any novel one, or any novel combination, of the steps of any method or process so disclosed.

Co-administration of Compounds

[00330] An aspect of the invention is a composition, such as a pharmaceutical composition, comprising a combination of a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor.

[00331] Another aspect is a kit containing a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor, wherein each of the inhibitors is formulated into a separate pharmaceutical composition, and wherein said separate pharmaceutical compositions are formulated for co-administration.

[00332] Another aspect of the invention is a method of treating a disease or condition in a subject, in particular a hyperproliferative disorder such as leukemia, lymphoma or a solid tumor cancer in a subject, comprising co-administering to the subject in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of a combination of a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor. In an embodiment, the foregoing method exhibits synergistic effects that may result in greater efficacy, less side effects, the use of less active pharmaceutical ingredient to achieve a given clinical result, or other synergistic effects. A combination of a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor is a preferred

embodiment. The pharmaceutical composition comprising the combination, and the kit, are both for use in treating such disease or condition.

[00333] In a preferred embodiment, the solid tumor cancer is selected from the group consisting of breast, lung, colorectal, thyroid, bone sarcoma, and stomach cancers.

[00334] In a preferred embodiment, the leukemia is selected from the group consisting of acute myelogenous leukemia (AML), chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), B cell chronic lymphocytic leukemia (B-CLL), and chronic lymphoid leukemia (CLL).

[00335] In a preferred embodiment, the lymphoma is selected from the group consisting of Burkitt's lymphoma, mantle cell lymphoma, follicular lymphoma, indolent B-cell non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, histiocytic lymphoma, activated B-cell like diffuse large B cell lymphoma (DLBCL-ABC), germinal center B-cell like diffuse large B cell lymphoma (DLBCL-GCB), and diffuse large B cell lymphoma (DLBCL).

[00336] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is in the form of a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, complex, derivative, prodrug (such as an ester or phosphate ester), or cocrystal.

[00337] In a preferred embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is in the form of a monoclonal antibody, an antigen-binding fragment, an antibody-drug conjugate, or a biosimilar thereof. In a preferred embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is a NK cell or T cell expressing an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor.

[00338] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is administered to the subject before administration of the BTK inhibitor.

[00339] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is administered concurrently with the administration of the BTK inhibitor.

[00340] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is administered to the subject after administration of the BTK inhibitor.

[00341] In a preferred embodiment, the subject is a mammal, such as a human. In an embodiment, the subject is a human. In an embodiment, the subject is a companion animal. In an embodiment, the subject is a canine, feline, or equine.

- R₂ and R₃ form, together with the N and C atom they are attached to, a (C₃₋₇)heterocycloalkyl optionally substituted with one or more fluorine, hydroxyl, (Ci-3)alkyl, (Ci-3)alkoxy or oxo;
- R₄ is H or (Ci-₃)alkyl;
- R₅ is H, halogen, cyano, (Ci-₄)alkyl, (Ci-3)alkoxy, (C₃₋₆)cycloalkyl, any alkyl group of which is optionally substituted with one or more halogen; or R₅ is (C_{6-io})aryl or (C₂₋₆)heterocycloalkyl;
- R₆ is H or (Ci-3)alkyl; or
- R₅ and R₆ together may form a (C₃₋₇)cycloalkenyl or (C₂₋₆)heterocycloalkenyl, each optionally substituted with (Ci-3)alkyl or one or more halogens;
- R₇ is H, halogen, CF₃, (Ci-3)alkyl or (Ci-3)alkoxy;
- R₈ is H, halogen, CF₃, (Ci-3)alkyl or (Ci-3)alkoxy; or
- R₇ and R₈ together with the carbon atoms they are attached to, form (C_{6-io})aryl or (Ci-9)heteroaryl;
- R₉ is H, halogen, (Ci-3)alkyl or (Ci-3)alkoxy;
- R_{io} is H, halogen, (Ci-3)alkyl or (Ci-3)alkoxy;
- R₁₁ is independently selected from the group consisting of (Ci-6)alkyl, (C₂₋₆)alkenyl and (C₂₋₆)alkynyl, where each alkyl, alkenyl or alkynyl is optionally substituted with one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxyl, (Ci-₄)alkyl, (C₃₋₇)cycloalkyl, [(Ci-₄)alkyl]amino, di[(Ci-₄)alkyl]amino, (Ci-₃)alkoxy, (C₃₋₇)cycloalkoxy, (C_{6-io})aryl and (C₃₋₇)heterocycloalkyl; or R_n is (Ci-3)alkyl-C(0)-S-(Ci-3)alkyl; or
- R₁₁ is (Ci-₅)heteroaryl optionally substituted with one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen or cyano;
- R₁₂ and R₁₃ are independently selected from the group consisting of (C₂₋₆)alkenyl or (C₂₋₆)alkynyl, both optionally substituted with one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxyl, (Ci-₄)alkyl, (C₃₋₇)cycloalkyl, [(Ci-₄)alkyl]amino, di[(Ci-₄)alkyl]amino, (Ci-₃)alkoxy, (C₃₋₇)cycloalkoxy, (C_{6-io})aryl and (C₃₋₇)heterocycloalkyl; or a (Ci-₅)heteroaryl optionally substituted with one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen and cyano; and
- R₁₄ is independently selected from the group consisting of halogen, cyano, (C₂₋₆)alkenyl and (C₂₋₆)alkynyl, both optionally substituted with one or more substituents selected from the group

consisting of hydroxyl, (Ci-4)alkyl, (C₃₋₇)cycloalkyl, [(Ci-4)alkyl]amino, di[(Ci-4)alkyl]amino, (Ci₃)alkoxy, (C₃₋₇)cycloalkoxy, (C₆₋₁₀)aryl, (Ci-5)heteroaryl and (C₃₋₇)heterocycloalkyl;

with the proviso that:

0 to 2 atoms of X, Y, Z can simultaneously be a heteroatom;

when one atom selected from X, Y is O or S, then Z is a bond and the other atom selected from

X, Y can not be O or S;

when Z is C or N then Y is C(Re) or N and X is C or N;

0 to 2 atoms of B₁, B₂, B₃ and B₄ are N;

with the terms used having the following meanings:

(Ci-3)alkyl means a branched or unbranched alkyl group having 1-3 carbon atoms, being methyl, ethyl, propyl or isopropyl;

(Ci₄)alkyl means a branched or unbranched alkyl group having 1-4 carbon atoms, being methyl, ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, isobutyl, sec-butyl and tert-butyl, (Ci-3)alkyl groups being preferred;

(Ci₂)alkoxy means an alkoxy group having 1-2 carbon atoms, the alkyl moiety having the same meaning as previously defined;

(Ci₃)alkoxy means an alkoxy group having 1-3 carbon atoms, the alkyl moiety having the same meaning as previously defined. (Ci₂)alkoxy groups are preferred;

(C₂₋₆)alkenyl means a branched or unbranched alkenyl group having 2-6 carbon atoms, such as ethenyl, 2-butenyl, and n-pentenyl, (C₂₋₄)alkenyl groups being most preferred;

(C₂₋₆)alkynyl means a branched or unbranched alkynyl group having 2-6 carbon atoms, such as ethynyl, propynyl, n-butylnyl, n-pentynyl, isopentynyl, isoheptynyl or n-hexynyl. (C₂₋₄)alkynyl groups are preferred; (C₃₋₆)cycloalkyl means a cycloalkyl group having 3-6 carbon atoms, being cyclopropyl, cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl or cyclohexyl;

(C₃₋₇)cycloalkyl means a cycloalkyl group having 3-7 carbon atoms, being cyclopropyl, cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl or cycloheptyl;

(C₂₋₆)heterocycloalkyl means a heterocycloalkyl group having 2-6 carbon atoms, preferably 3-5 carbon atoms, and one or two heteroatoms selected from N, O and/or S, which may be attached via a heteroatom if feasible, or a carbon atom; preferred heteroatoms are N or O; also preferred are piperidine, morpholine, pyrrolidine and piperazine; with the most preferred

- (C₂₋₆)heterocycloalkyl being pyrrolidine; the heterocycloalkyl group may be attached via a heteroatom if feasible;
- (C₃₋₇)heterocycloalkyl means a heterocycloalkyl group having 3-7 carbon atoms, preferably 3-5 carbon atoms, and one or two heteroatoms selected from N, O and/or S. Preferred heteroatoms are N or O; preferred (C₃₋₇) heterocycloalkyl groups are azetidiny, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, homopiperidinyl or morpholinyl; more preferred (C₃₋₇)heterocycloalkyl groups are piperidine, morpholine and pyrrolidine; and the heterocycloalkyl group may be attached via a heteroatom if feasible;
- (C₃₋₇)cycloalkoxy means a cycloalkyl group having 3-7 carbon atoms, with the same meaning as previously defined, attached via a ring carbon atom to an exocyclic oxygen atom;
- (C₆₋₁₀)aryl means an aromatic hydrocarbon group having 6-10 carbon atoms, such as phenyl, naphthyl, tetrahydronaphthyl or indenyl; the preferred (C₆₋₁₀)aryl group is phenyl;
- (Ci₅)heteroaryl means a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic group having 1-5 carbon atoms and 1-4 heteroatoms selected from N, O and/or S; the (Ci₅)heteroaryl may optionally be substituted; preferred (Ci₅)heteroaryl groups are tetrazolyl, imidazolyl, thiadiazolyl, pyridyl, pyrimidyl, triazinyl, thienyl or furyl, a more preferred (Ci₅)heteroaryl is pyrimidyl;
- [(Ci₄)alkyl]amino means an amino group, monosubstituted with an alkyl group containing 1-4 carbon atoms having the same meaning as previously defined; preferred [(Ci₄)alkyl]amino group is methylamino;
- di[(Ci₄)alkyl]amino means an amino group, disubstituted with alkyl group(s), each containing 1-4 carbon atoms and having the same meaning as previously defined; preferred di[(Ci₄)alkyl]amino group is dimethylamino;
- halogen means fluorine, chlorine, bromine or iodine;
- (Ci₃)alkyl-C(=O)-S-(Ci₃)alkyl means an alkyl-carbonyl-thio-alkyl group, each of the alkyl groups having 1 to 3 carbon atoms with the same meaning as previously defined;
- (C₃₋₇)cycloalkenyl means a cycloalkenyl group having 3-7 carbon atoms, preferably 5-7 carbon atoms; preferred (C₃₋₇)cycloalkenyl groups are cyclopentenyl or cyclohexenyl; cyclohexenyl groups are most preferred;
- (C₂₋₆)heterocycloalkenyl means a heterocycloalkenyl group having 2-6 carbon atoms, preferably 3-5 carbon atoms; and 1 heteroatom selected from N, O and/or S; preferred (C₂₋₆)heterocycloalkenyl groups are oxycyclohexenyl and azacyclohexenyl group.

In the above definitions with multifunctional groups, the attachment point is at the last group. When, in the definition of a substituent, it is indicated that "all of the alkyl groups" of said substituent are optionally substituted, this also includes the alkyl moiety of an alkoxy group. A circle in a ring of Formula (1) indicates that the ring is aromatic. Depending on the ring formed, the nitrogen, if present in X or Y, may carry a hydrogen.

[00344] In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (1) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, wherein:

X is CH or S;

Y is C(R₆);

Z is CH or bond;

A is CH;

B₁ is N or C(R₇);

B₂ is N or C(Re);

B₃ is N or CH;

B₄ is N or CH;

R_i is R_{ii}C(=O),

R₂ is (C₁₋₃)alkyl;

R₃ is (C₁₋₃)alkyl; or

R₂ and R₃ form, together with the N and C atom they are attached to, a (C₃₋₇)heterocycloalkyl ring selected from the group consisting of azetidiny, pyrrolidiny, piperidiny, and morpholinyl, optionally substituted with one or more fluorine, hydroxyl, (C₁₋₃)alkyl, or (C₁₋₃)alkoxy;

R₅ is H;

R₅ is H, halogen, cyano, (C₁₋₄)alkyl, (C₁₋₃)alkoxy, (C₃₋₆)cycloalkyl, or an alkyl group which is optionally substituted with one or more halogen;

Re is H or (C₁₋₃)alkyl;

R₇ is H, halogen or (C₁₋₃)alkoxy;

R₈ is H or (C₁₋₃)alkyl; or

R₇ and R₈ form, together with the carbon atom they are attached to a (C₆₋₁₀)aryl or (C₆₋₁₀)heteroaryl;

R₅ and R₆ together may form a (C₃₋₇)cycloalkenyl or (C₂₋₆)heterocycloalkenyl, each optionally substituted with (C₁₋₃)alkyl or one or more halogen;

R₁₁ is independently selected from the group consisting of (C₂₋₆)alkenyl and (C₂₋₆)alkynyl, where each alkenyl or alkynyl is optionally substituted with one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxyl, (C₁₋₄)alkyl, (C₃₋₇)cycloalkyl, [(C₁₋₄)alkyl]amino, di[(C₁₋₄)alkyl]amino, (C₁₋₃)alkoxy, (C₃₋₇)cycloalkoxy, (C₆₋₁₀)aryl and (C₃₋₇)heterocycloalkyl; with the proviso that 0 to 2 atoms of B₁, B₂, B₃ and B₄ are N.

[00345] In an embodiment of Formula (1), B₁ is C(R₇); B₂ is C(R₈); B₃ is C(R₉); B₄ is C(R₁₀); R₇, R₉, and R₁₀ are each H; and R₈ is hydrogen or methyl.

[00346] In an embodiment of Formula (1), the ring containing X, Y and Z is selected from the group consisting of pyridyl, pyrimidyl, pyridazyl, triazinyl, thiazolyl, oxazolyl and isoxazolyl.

[00347] In an embodiment of Formula (1), the ring containing X, Y and Z is selected from the group consisting of pyridyl, pyrimidyl and pyridazyl.

[00348] In an embodiment of Formula (1), the ring containing X, Y and Z is selected from the group consisting of pyridyl and pyrimidyl.

[00349] In an embodiment of Formula (1), the ring containing X, Y and Z is pyridyl.

[00350] In an embodiment of Formula (1), R₅ is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, fluorine, methyl, methoxy and trifluoromethyl.

[00351] In an embodiment of Formula (1), R₅ is hydrogen.

[00352] In an embodiment of Formula (1), R₂ and R₃ together form a heterocycloalkyl ring selected from the group consisting of azetidiny, pyrrolidiny, piperidiny, homopiperidiny and morpholinyl, optionally substituted with one or more of fluoro, hydroxyl, (C₁₋₃)alkyl and (C₁₋₃)alkoxy.

[00353] In an embodiment of Formula (1), R₂ and R₃ together form a heterocycloalkyl ring selected from the group consisting of azetidiny, pyrrolidiny and piperidiny.

[00354] In an embodiment of Formula (1), R₂ and R₃ together form a pyrrolidiny ring.

[00355] In an embodiment of Formula (1), R_i is independently selected from the group consisting of (C₁₋₆)alkyl, (C₂₋₆)alkenyl or (C₂₋₆)alkynyl, each optionally substituted with one or

more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxyl, (Ci-4)alkyl, (C₃₋₇)cycloalkyl, [(Ci-4)alkyl]amino, di[(Ci-4)alkyl] amino, (Ci-3)alkoxy, (C₃₋₇)cycloalkoxy, (Ce-io)aryl and (C₃₋₇)heterocycloalkyl.

[00356] In an embodiment of Formula (1), Bi, B₂, B₃ and B₄ are CH; X is N; Y and Z are CH; R₅ is CH₃; A is N; R₂, R₃ and R₄ are H; and Ri is CO-CH₃.

[00357] In an embodiment of Formula (1), Bi, B₂, B₃ and B₄ are CH; X and Y are N; Z is CH; R₅ is CH₃; A is N; R₂, R₃ and R₄ are H; and Ri is CO-CH₃.

[00358] In an embodiment of Formula (1), Bi, B₂, B₃ and B₄ are CH; X and Y are N; Z is CH; R₅ is C^{3/4}; A is CH; R₂ and R₃ together form a piperidiny ring; R₄ is H; and Ri is CO-ethenyl.

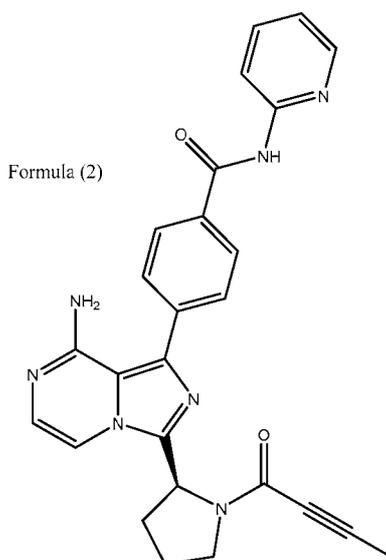
[00359] In an embodiment of Formula (1), Bi, B₂, B₃ and B₄ are CH; X, Y and Z are CH; R₅ is H; A is CH; R₂ and R₃ together form a pyrrolidiny ring; R₄ is H; and Ri is CO-propynyl.

[00360] In an embodiment of Formula (1), Bi, B₂, B₃ and B₄ are CH; X, Y and Z are CH; R₅ is C^{3/4}; A is CH; R₂ and R₃ together form a piperidiny ring; R₄ is H; and Ri is CO-propynyl.

[00361] In an embodiment of Formula (1), Bi, B₂, B₃ and B₄ are CH; X and Y are N; Z is CH; R₅ is H; A is CH; R₂ and R₃ together form a morpholinyl ring; R₄ is H; and Ri is CO-ethenyl.

[00362] In an embodiment of Formula (1), Bi, B₂, B₃ and B₄ are CH; X and Y are N; Z is CH; R₅ is C^{3/4}; A is CH; R₂ and R₃ together form a morpholinyl ring; R₄ is H; and Ri is CO-propynyl.

[00363] In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (2):

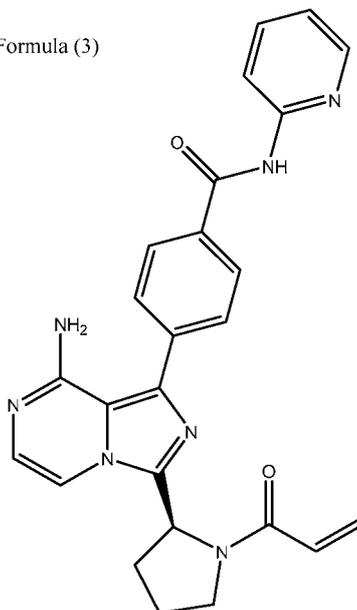


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. The preparation of this compound is described in International Patent Application Publication No. WO 2013/010868 and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0155385 A1, the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference.

[00364] In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is (S)-4-(8-amino-3-(1-(but-2-ynoyl)pyrrolidin-2-yl)imidazo[1,5-a]pyrazin-1-yl)-N-(pyridin-2-yl)benzamide or pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof.

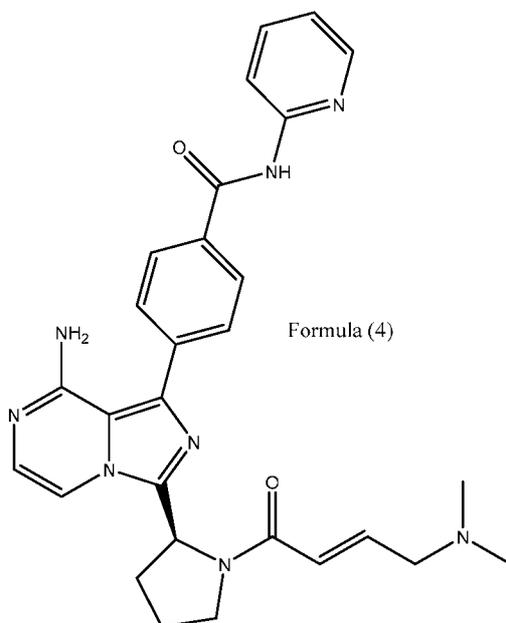
[00365] In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (3):

Formula (3)



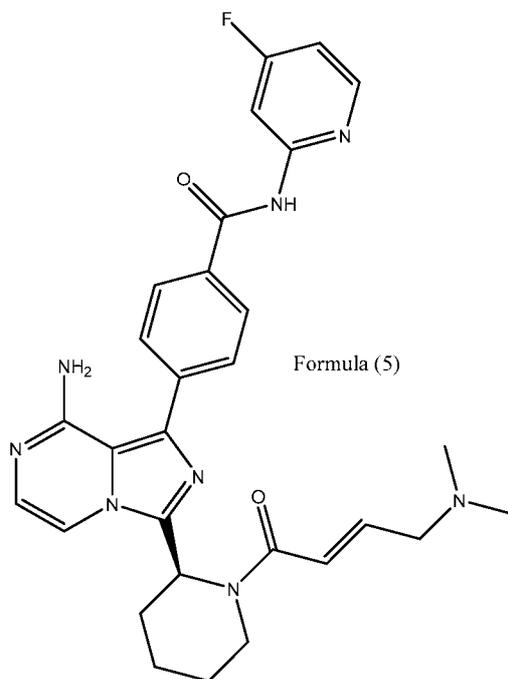
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. The preparation of this compound is described in International Patent Application Publication No. WO 2013/010868 and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0155385 A1, the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference.

[00366] In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (4):



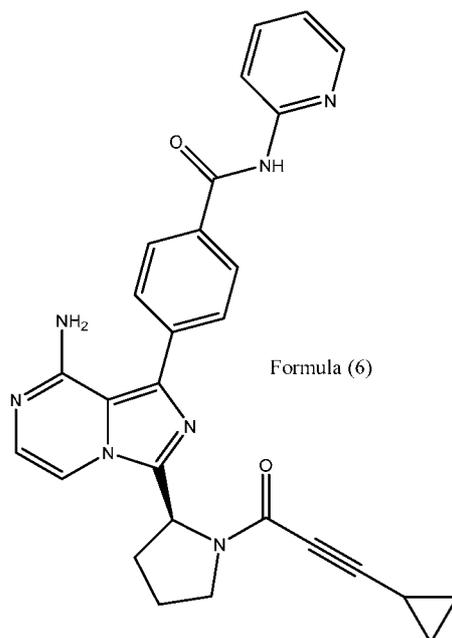
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. The preparation of this compound is described in International Patent Application Publication No. WO 2013/010868 and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0155385 A1, the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference.

[00367] In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (5):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. The preparation of this compound is described in International Patent Application Publication No. WO 2013/010868 and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0155385 A1, the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference.

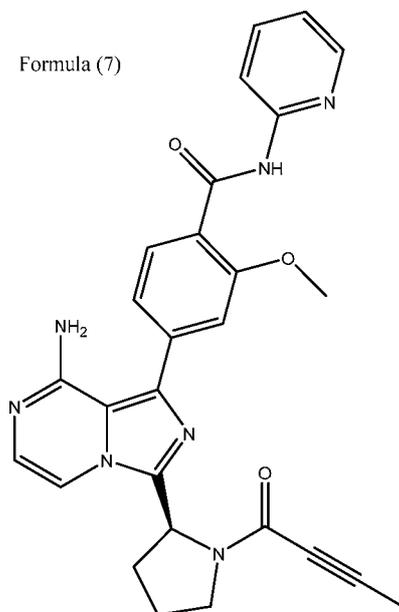
[00368] In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (6):



Formula (6)

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. The preparation of this compound is described in International Patent Application Publication No. WO 2013/010868 and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0155385 A1, the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference.

[00369] In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (7):

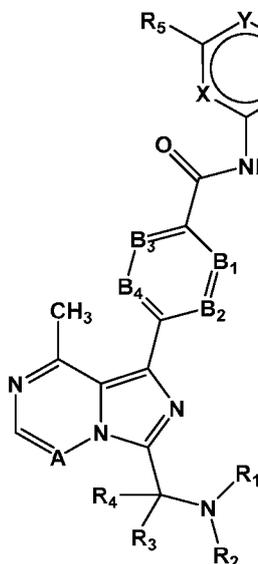


Formula (7)

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. The preparation of this compound is described in International Patent Application Publication No. WO 2013/010868 and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0155385 A1, the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference.

[00370] In other embodiments, the BTK inhibitors include, but are not limited to, those compounds described in International Patent Application Publication No. WO 2013/010868 and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0155385 A1, the disclosures of each of which are specifically incorporated by reference herein.

[00371] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (8):



Formula (8)

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein:

X is CH, N, O or S;

Y is C(R₆), N, O or S;

Z is CH, N or bond;

A is CH or N;

B₁ is N or C(R₇);

B₂ is N or C(R₈);

B₃ is N or C(R₉);

B₄ is N or C(R₁₀);

R_i is $R_{ii}C(O)$, $R_{i_2}S(O)$, $R_{13}SO_2$ or (C_{1-6}) alkyl optionally substituted with R_{14} ;
 R_2 is H, (C_{1-3}) alkyl or (C_{3-7}) cycloalkyl;
 R_3 is H, (C_{1-6}) alkyl or (C_{3-7}) cycloalkyl; or
 R_2 and R_3 form, together with the N and C atom they are attached to, a (C_{3-7}) heterocycloalkyl optionally substituted with one or more fluorine, hydroxyl, (C_{1-3}) alkyl, (C_{1-3}) alkoxy or oxo;
 R_4 is H or (C_{1-3}) alkyl;
 R_5 is H, halogen, cyano, (C_{1-4}) alkyl, (C_{1-3}) alkoxy, (C_{3-6}) cycloalkyl; all alkyl groups of R_5 are optionally substituted with one or more halogen; or R_5 is (C_{6-io}) aryl or (C_{2-6}) heterocycloalkyl;
 R_6 is H or (C_{1-3}) alkyl; or R_5 and R_6 together may form a (C_{3-7}) cycloalkenyl, or (C_{2-6}) heterocycloalkenyl; each optionally substituted with (C_{1-3}) alkyl, or one or more halogen;
 R_7 is H, halogen, CF_3 , (C_{1-3}) alkyl or (C_{1-3}) alkoxy;
 R_8 is H, halogen, CF_3 , (C_{1-3}) alkyl or (C_{1-3}) alkoxy; or
 R_7 and R_8 together with the carbon atoms they are attached to, form (C_{6-io}) aryl or (C_{1-5}) heteroaryl;
 R_9 is H, halogen, (C_{1-3}) alkyl or (C_{1-3}) alkoxy;
 R_{10} is H, halogen, (C_{1-3}) alkyl or (C_{1-3}) alkoxy;
 R_{11} is independently selected from a group consisting of (C_{1-6}) alkyl, (C_{2-6}) alkenyl and (C_{2-6}) alkynyl each alkyl, alkenyl or alkynyl optionally substituted with one or more groups selected from hydroxyl, (C_{1-4}) alkyl, (C_{3-7}) cycloalkyl, $[(C_{1-4})$ alkyl]amino, $di[(C_{1-4})$ alkyl]amino, (C_{1-3}) alkoxy, (C_{3-7}) cycloalkoxy, (C_{6-io}) aryl or (C_{3-7}) heterocycloalkyl, or
 R_{11} is (C_{1-3}) alkyl-C(O)-S-($C_{1-3})$ alkyl; or
 R_{11} is (C_{1-5}) heteroaryl optionally substituted with one or more groups selected from halogen or cyano.
 R_{12} and R_{13} are independently selected from a group consisting of (C_{2-6}) alkenyl or (C_{2-6}) alkynyl both optionally substituted with one or more groups selected from hydroxyl, (C_{1-4}) alkyl, (C_{3-7}) cycloalkyl, $[(C_{1-4})$ alkyl]amino, $di[(C_{1-4})$ alkyl]amino, (C_{1-3}) alkoxy, (C_{3-7}) cycloalkoxy, (C_{6-io}) aryl, or (C_{3-7}) heterocycloalkyl; or
 (C_{1-5}) heteroaryl optionally substituted with one or more groups selected from halogen or cyano;
 R_{14} is independently selected from a group consisting of halogen, cyano or (C_{2-6}) alkenyl or (C_{2-6}) alkynyl both optionally substituted with one or more groups selected from hydroxyl, (C_{1-3}) alkyl, (C_{1-3}) alkoxy, (C_{3-7}) cycloalkyl, $[(C_{1-4})$ alkyl]amino, $di[(C_{1-4})$ alkyl]amino, (C_{1-3}) alkoxy, (C_{3-7}) cycloalkoxy, (C_{6-io}) aryl, or (C_{3-7}) heterocycloalkyl.

(C_{3-7}) alkyl, (C_{3-7}) cycloalkyl, $[(C_{1-4})$ alkyl]amino, $di[(C_{1-4})$ alkyl]amino, (C_{1-3}) alkoxy, (C_{3-7}) cycloalkoxy, (C_{6-10}) aryl, (C_{1-5}) heteroaryl or (C_{3-7}) heterocycloalkyl;

with the proviso that

- 0 to 2 atoms of X, Y, Z can simultaneously be a heteroatom;
- when one atom selected from X, Y is O or S, then Z is a bond and the other atom selected from X, Y can not be O or S;
- when Z is C or N then Y is C(Re) or N and X is C or N;
- 0 to 2 atoms of B₁, B₂, B₃ and B₄ are N;

with the terms used having the following meanings:

(C_{1-3}) alkyl means a branched or unbranched alkyl group having 1-3 carbon atoms, being methyl, ethyl, propyl or isopropyl;

(C_{1-4}) alkyl means a branched or unbranched alkyl group having 1-4 carbon atoms, being methyl, ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, isobutyl, sec-butyl and tert-butyl, (C_{1-3}) alkyl groups being preferred;

(C_{1-6}) alkyl means a branched or unbranched alkyl group having 1-6 carbon atoms, for example methyl, ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, tert-butyl, n-pentyl and n-hexyl. (C_{1-5}) alkyl groups are preferred, (C_{1-4}) alkyl being most preferred;

(C_{1-2}) alkoxy means an alkoxy group having 1-2 carbon atoms, the alkyl moiety having the same meaning as previously defined;

(C_{1-3}) alkoxy means an alkoxy group having 1-3 carbon atoms, the alkyl moiety having the same meaning as previously defined, with (C_{1-2}) alkoxy groups preferred;

(C_{2-4}) alkenyl means a branched or unbranched alkenyl group having 2-4 carbon atoms, such as ethenyl, 2-propenyl, isobutenyl or 2-butenyl;

(C_{2-6}) alkenyl means a branched or unbranched alkenyl group having 2-6 carbon atoms, such as ethenyl, 2-butenyl, and n-pentenyl, with (C_{2-4}) alkenyl groups preferred, and (C_{2-3}) alkenyl groups even more preferred;

(C_{2-4}) alkynyl means a branched or unbranched alkynyl group having 2-4 carbon atoms, such as ethynyl, 2-propynyl or 2-butynyl;

(C_{2-6}) alkynyl means a branched or unbranched alkynyl group having 2-6 carbon atoms, such as ethynyl, propynyl, n-butynyl, n-pentynyl, isopentynyl, isohexynyl or n-hexynyl, with (C_{2-4}) alkynyl groups preferred, and (C_{2-3}) alkynyl groups more preferred;

- (C₃₋₇)cycloalkyl means a cycloalkyl group having 3-7 carbon atoms, being cyclopropyl, cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl or cycloheptyl;
- (C₂₋₆)heterocycloalkyl means a heterocycloalkyl group having 2-6 carbon atoms, preferably 3-5 carbon atoms, and one or two heteroatoms selected from N, O and/or S, which may be attached via a heteroatom if feasible, or a carbon atom; preferred heteroatoms are N or O; preferred groups are piperidine, morpholine, pyrrolidine and piperazine; a most preferred (C₂₋₆)heterocycloalkyl is pyrrolidine; and the heterocycloalkyl group may be attached via a heteroatom if feasible;
- (C₃₋₇)heterocycloalkyl means a heterocycloalkyl group having 3-7 carbon atoms, preferably 3-5 carbon atoms, and one or two heteroatoms selected from N, O and/or S; preferred heteroatoms are N or O; preferred (C₃₋₇) heterocycloalkyl groups are azetidiny, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, homopiperidinyl or morpholinyl; more preferred (C₃₋₇)heterocycloalkyl groups are piperidine, morpholine and pyrrolidine; even more preferred are piperidine and pyrrolidine; and the heterocycloalkyl group may be attached via a heteroatom if feasible;
- (C₃₋₇)cycloalkoxy means a cycloalkyl group having 3-7 carbon atoms, with the same meaning as previously defined, attached via a ring carbon atom to an exocyclic oxygen atom;
- (C₆₋₁₀)aryl means an aromatic hydrocarbon group having 6-10 carbon atoms, such as phenyl, naphthyl, tetrahydronaphthyl or indenyl; the preferred (C₆₋₁₀)aryl group is phenyl;
- (C₁₋₅)heteroaryl means a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic group having 1-5 carbon atoms and 1-4 heteroatoms selected from N, O and/or S, wherein the (C₁₋₅)heteroaryl may optionally be substituted.; preferred (C₁₋₅)heteroaryl groups are tetrazolyl, imidazolyl, thiazolyl, pyridyl, pyrimidyl, triazinyl, thienyl or furyl, and the more preferred (C₁₋₅)heteroaryl is pyrimidyl;
- [(C₁₋₄)alkyl]amino means an amino group, monosubstituted with an alkyl group containing 1-4 carbon atoms having the same meaning as previously defined; the preferred [(C₁₋₄)alkyl]amino group is methylamino;
- di[(C₁₋₄)alkyl]amino means an amino group, disubstituted with alkyl group(s), each containing 1-4 carbon atoms and having the same meaning as previously defined; the preferred di[(C₁₋₄)alkyl]amino group is dimethylamino;
- halogen means fluorine, chlorine, bromine or iodine;

(C₁₋₃)alkyl-C(=O)-S-(C₁₋₃)alkyl means an alkyl-carbonyl-thio-alkyl group, each of the alkyl groups having 1 to 3 carbon atoms with the same meaning as previously defined;

(C₃₋₇)cycloalkenyl means a cycloalkenyl group having 3-7 carbon atoms, preferably 5-7 carbon atoms; preferred (C₃₋₇)cycloalkenyl groups are cyclopentenyl or cyclohexenyl; and cyclohexenyl groups are most preferred;

(C₂₋₆)heterocycloalkenyl means a heterocycloalkenyl group having 2-6 carbon atoms, preferably 3-5 carbon atoms; and 1 heteroatom selected from N, O and/or S; the preferred (C₂₋₆)heterocycloalkenyl groups are oxycyclohexenyl and azacyclohexenyl groups.

In the above definitions with multifunctional groups, the attachment point is at the last group.

When, in the definition of a substituent, is indicated that "all of the alkyl groups" of said substituent are optionally substituted, this also includes the alkyl moiety of an alkoxy group.

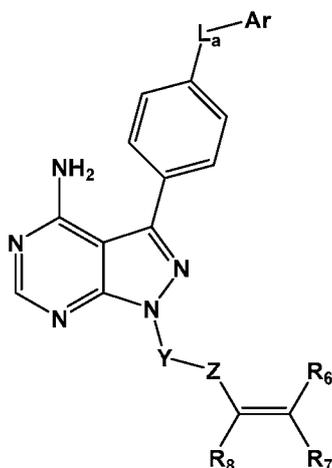
A circle in a ring of Formula (8) indicates that the ring is aromatic.

Depending on the ring formed, the nitrogen, if present in X or Y, may carry a hydrogen.

[00372] In a preferred embodiment, the invention relates to a compound according to Formula (8) wherein **B₁** is C(R₇); **B₂** is C(R₈); **B₃** is C(R₉) and **B₄** is C(R₁₀).

[00373] In other embodiments, the **BTK** inhibitors include, but are not limited to, those compounds described in International Patent Application Publication No. WO 2013/010869 and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0155406 A1, the disclosures of each of which are specifically incorporated by reference herein.

[00374] In an embodiment, the **BTK** inhibitor is a compound of Formula (9):



Formula (9)

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein:

L_a is CH_2 , O, NH or S;

Ar is a substituted or unsubstituted aryl, or a substituted or unsubstituted heteroaryl;

Y is an optionally substituted group selected from the group consisting of alkyl, heteroalkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl and heteroaryl;

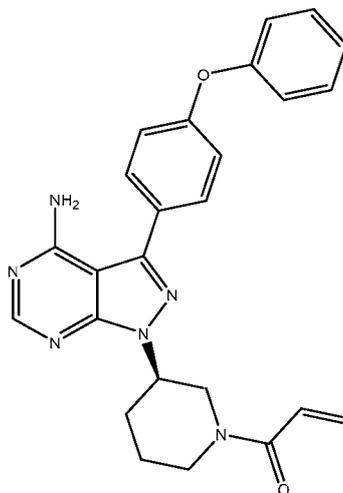
Z is $\text{C}(=\text{O})$, $\text{OC}(=\text{O})$, $\text{NRC}(=\text{O})$, $\text{C}(=\text{S})$, $\text{S}(=\text{O})_x$, $\text{OS}(=\text{O})_x$ or $\text{NRS}(=\text{O})_x$, where x is 1 or 2;

R^7 and R^8 are each independently H; or R^7 and R^8 taken together form a bond;

R^6 is H; and

R is H or $(\text{C}_1\text{-}_6)\text{alkyl}$.

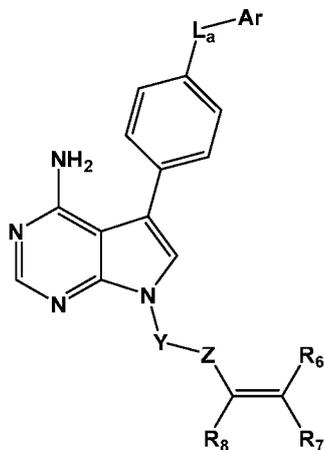
[00375] In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is ibrutinib or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is (i?)-1-(3-(4-amino-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazolo[3,4-*i*]pyrimidin-1-yl)piperidin-1-yl)prop-2-en-1-one. In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is 1-[(3i?)-3-[4-amino-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazolo[3,4-*i*]pyrimidin-1-yl]piperidin-1-yl]prop-2-en-1-one. In a preferred exemplary embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is (S)-1-(3-(4-amino-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1*H*-pyrazolo [3,4-*i*]pyrimidin-1-yl)piperidin-1-yl)prop-2-en-1-one. In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor has the structure of Formula (10):



Formu la (10)

or an enantiomer thereof, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof.

[00376] In an exemplary embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (11):



Formula (11)

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein:

L_a is CH₂, O, NH or S;

Ar is a substituted or unsubstituted aryl, or a substituted or unsubstituted heteroaryl;

Y is an optionally substituted group selected from the group consisting of alkyl, heteroalkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl and heteroaryl;

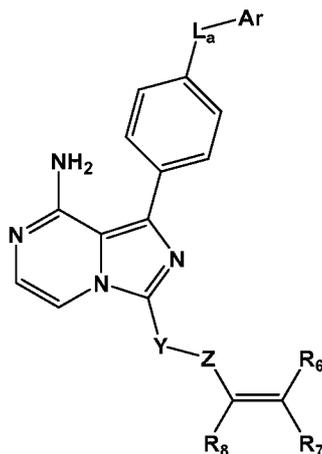
Z is C(=O), OC(=O), NRC(=O), C(=S), S(=O)_x, OS(=O)_x or NRS(=O)_x, where x is 1 or 2;

R⁷ and R⁸ are each H; or R⁷ and R⁸ taken together form a bond;

R⁶ is H; and

R is H or (C₁₋₆)alkyl.

[00377] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (12):



Formula (12)

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein:

L_a is CH₂, O, NH or S;

Ar is a substituted or unsubstituted aryl, or a substituted or unsubstituted heteroaryl;

Y is an optionally substituted group selected from the group consisting of alkyl, heteroalkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl and heteroaryl;

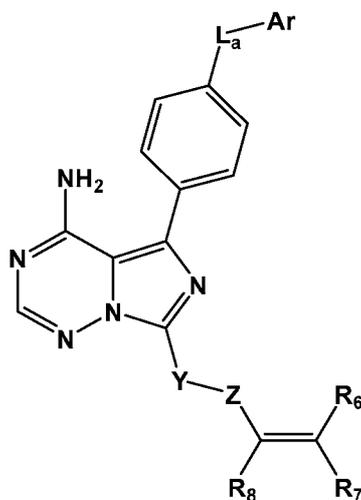
Z is C(=O), OC(=O), NRC(=O), C(=S), S(=O)_x, OS(=O)_x or NRS(=O)_x, where x is 1 or 2;

R⁷ and R⁸ are each H; or R⁷ and R⁸ taken together form a bond;

R⁶ is H; and

R is H or (C₁₋₆)alkyl.

[00378] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (13):



Formula (13)

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein:

L_a is CH₂, O, NH or S;

Ar is a substituted or unsubstituted aryl, or a substituted or unsubstituted heteroaryl;

Y is an optionally substituted group selected from the group consisting of alkyl, heteroalkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, aryl and heteroaryl;

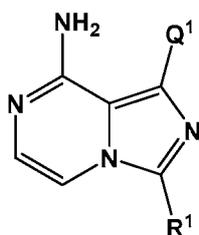
Z is C(=O), OC(=O), NRC(=O), C(=S), S(=O)_x, OS(=O)_x or NRS(=O)_x, where x is 1 or 2;

R⁷ and R⁸ are each H; or R⁷ and R⁸ taken together form a bond;

R⁶ is H; and

R is H or (C₁₋₆)alkyl.

[00379] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound disclosed in U.S. Patent No. 7,459,554, the disclosure of which is specifically incorporated herein by reference. In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (14):



Formula (14)

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein:

Q¹ is aryl¹, heteroaryl¹, cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, cycloalkenyl, or heterocycloalkenyl, any of which is optionally substituted by one to five independent G¹ substituents;

R¹ is alkyl, cycloalkyl, bicycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, aralkyl, heteroaralkyl, heterocyclyl, or heterobicycloalkyl, any of which is optionally substituted by one or more independent G¹¹ substituents;

G¹ and G⁴¹ are each independently halo, oxo, -CF₃, -OCF₃, -OR², -NR²R³(R^{3a})_i, -C(O)R², -CO₂R², -CONR²R³, -NO₂, -CN, -S(O)_jiR², -SO₂NR²R³, NR²(C=O)R³, NR²(C=O)OR³, NR²(C=O)NR²R³, NR²S(O)_jiR³, -(C=S)OR², -(C=O)SR², -NR²(C=NR³)NR^{2a}R^{3a}, -NR²(C=NR³)OR^{2a}, -NR²(C=NR³)SR^{3a}, -O(C=O)OR², -O(C=O)NR²R³, -O(C=O)SR², -S(C=O)OR², -S(C=O)NR²R³, (Co-io)alkyl, (C₂-i₀)alkenyl, (C₂-io)alkynyl, (Ci-i₀)alkoxy(Ci-i₀)alkyl, (Ci-i₀)alkoxy(C₂-i₀)alkenyl, (Ci-io)alkoxy(C₂-io)alkynyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(Ci-io)alkyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(C₂-io)alkenyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(C₂-io)alkynyl, cyclo(C₃-8)alkyl, cyclo(C₃-8)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃-8)alkyl(Ci-io)alkyl, cyclo(C₃-8)alkenyl(Ci-io)alkyl, cyclo(C₃-8)alkyl(C₂-io)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃-8)alkenyl(C₂-io)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃-8)alkyl(C₂-io)alkynyl, cyclo(C₃-8)alkenyl(C₂-io)alkynyl, heterocyclyl-(Co-io)alkyl, heterocyclyl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or heterocyclyl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, oxo, -CF₃, -OCF₃, -OR²²², -NR²²²R³³³(R^{333a})_{i_a}, -C(O)R²²², -CO₂R²²², -CONR²²²R³³³, -NO₂, -CN, -S(O)_{j_a}i_aR²²², -SO₂NR²²²R³³³, NR²²²(C=O)R³³³, NR²²²(C=O)OR³³³, NR²²²(C=O)NR²²²R³³³, NR²²²S(O)_{j_a}i_aR³³³, -(C=S)OR²²², -(C=O)SR²²², -NR²²²(C=NR³³³)NR^{222a}R^{333a}, -NR²²²(C=NR³³³)OR^{222a}, -NR²²²(C=NR³³³)SR^{333a}, -O(C=O)OR²²², -O(C=O)NR²²²R³³³, -O(C=O)SR²²², -S(C=O)OR²²², or -S(C=O)NR²²²R³³³ substituents; or -(X¹)_n-(Y¹)_m-R⁴; or aryl-(Co-io)alkyl, aryl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or aryl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, -CF₃, -OCF₃, -OR²²², -NR²²²R³³³(R^{333a})_{j_{2a}}, -C(O)R²²², -CO₂R²²², -CONR²²²R³³³, -NO₂, -CN, -S(O)_{j_{2a}}R²²², -SO₂NR²²²R³³³, NR²²²(C=O)R³³³, NR²²²(C=O)OR³³³, NR²²²(C=O)NR²²²R³³³, NR²²²S(O)_{j_{2a}}R³³³, -(C=S)OR²²², -(C=O)SR²²², -NR²²²(C=NR³³³)NR^{222a}R^{333a}, -NR²²²(C=NR³³³)OR^{222a}, -NR²²²(C=NR³³³)SR^{333a}, -O(C=O)OR²²², -O(C=O)NR²²²R³³³, -O(C=O)SR²²², -S(C=O)OR²²², or -S(C=O)NR²²²R³³³ substituents; or hetaryl-(Co-io)alkyl, hetaryl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or hetaryl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, -CF₃, -OCF₃, -OR²²², -

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G^{11} is halo, oxo, $-\text{CF}_3, -\text{OCF}_3, -\text{OR}^{21}, -\text{NR}^2\text{R}^{31}(\text{R}^{3\text{a}1})_{\text{j}4}, -\text{C}(\text{O})\text{R}^{21}, -\text{C}_2\text{R}^{21}, -\text{CONR}^2\text{R}^{31}, -\text{NO}_2, -\text{CN}, -\text{S}(\text{O})_{\text{j}4}\text{R}^{21}, -\text{SO}_2\text{NR}^2\text{R}^{31}, \text{NR}^2(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{R}^{31}, \text{NR}^2(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{OR}^{31}, \text{NR}^2(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{NR}^2\text{R}^{31},$
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 $\text{NR}^{2221}\text{S}(\text{O})_{\text{j}4\text{a}}\text{R}^{3331}, -(\text{C}=\text{S})\text{OR}^{2221}, -(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{SR}^{2221}, -\text{NR}^{2221}(\text{C}=\text{NR}^{3331})\text{NR}^{222\text{a}1}\text{R}^{333\text{a}1}, -\text{NR}^{2221}(\text{C}=\text{NR}^{3331})\text{OR}^{222\text{a}1}, -\text{NR}^{2221}(\text{C}=\text{NR}^{3331})\text{SR}^{333\text{a}1}, -\text{O}(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{OR}^{2221}, -\text{O}(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{NR}^{2221}\text{R}^{3331}, -\text{O}(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{SR}^{2221}, -\text{S}(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{OR}^{2221}, -\text{P}(\text{O})\text{OR}^{2221}\text{OR}^{3331}, \text{ or } -\text{S}(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{NR}^{2221}\text{R}^{3331} \text{ substituents; or aryl}(\text{C}_0\text{-io})\text{alkyl}, \text{ aryl}(\text{C}_2\text{-io})\text{alkenyl}, \text{ or } \text{aryl}(\text{C}_2\text{-io})\text{alkynyl}, \text{ any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, } -\text{CF}_3, -\text{OCF}_3, -\text{OR}^{2221}, -\text{NR}^{2221}\text{R}^{3331}\text{1}(\text{R}^{333\text{a}1})_{\text{j}5\text{a}}, -\text{C}(\text{O})\text{R}^{2221}, -\text{C}_2\text{R}^{2221}, -\text{CONR}^{2221}\text{R}^{3331}, -\text{NO}_2, -\text{CN}, -\text{S}(\text{O})_{\text{j}5\text{a}}\text{R}^{2221}, -\text{SO}_2\text{NR}^{2221}\text{R}^{3331}, \text{NR}^{2221}(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{R}^{3331}, \text{NR}^{2221}(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{OR}^{3331}, \text{NR}^{2221}(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{NR}^{2221}\text{R}^{3331}, \text{NR}^{2221}\text{S}(\text{O})_{\text{j}5\text{a}}\text{R}^{3331}, -(\text{C}=\text{S})\text{OR}^{2221}, -(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{SR}^{2221}, -\text{NR}^{2221}(\text{C}=\text{NR}^{3331})\text{NR}^{222\text{a}1}\text{R}^{333\text{a}1}, -\text{NR}^{2221}(\text{C}=\text{NR}^{3331})\text{OR}^{222\text{a}1}, -\text{NR}^{2221}(\text{C}=\text{NR}^{3331})\text{SR}^{333\text{a}1}, -\text{O}(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{OR}^{2221}, -\text{O}(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{NR}^{2221}\text{R}^{3331}, -\text{O}(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{SR}^{2221}, -\text{S}(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{OR}^{2221}, -\text{P}(\text{O})\text{OR}^{2221}\text{R}^{3331}, \text{ or } -\text{S}(\text{C}=\text{O})\text{NR}^{2221}\text{R}^{3331} \text{ substituents; or hetaryl}(\text{C}_0\text{-io})\text{alkyl}, \text{ hetaryl}(\text{C}_2\text{-io})\text{alkenyl}, \text{ or } \text{hetaryl}(\text{C}_2\text{-io})\text{alkynyl}, \text{ any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, } -\text{CF}_3, -\text{OCF}_3, -\text{OR}^{2221}, -\text{NR}^{2221}\text{R}^{3331}\text{1}(\text{R}^{333\text{a}1})_{\text{j}6\text{a}}, -\text{C}(\text{O})\text{R}^{2221},$

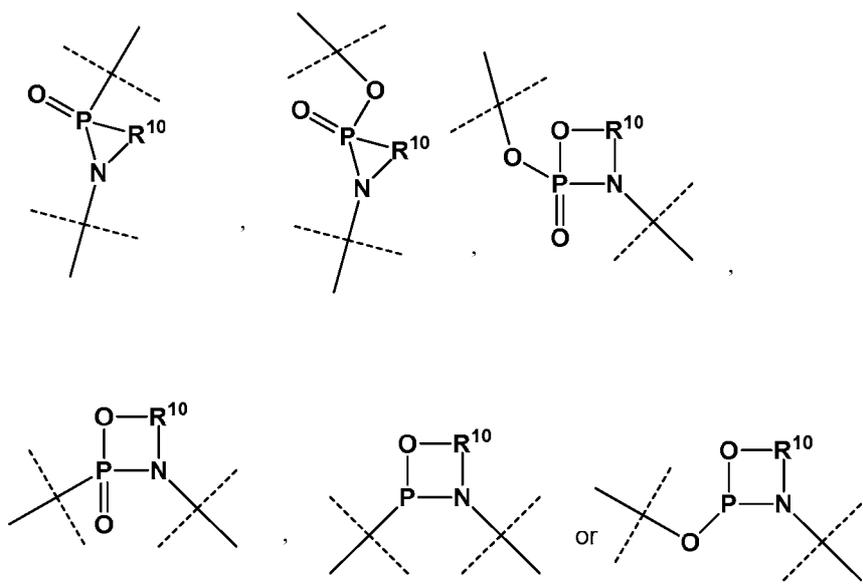
-CO₂R²²²¹, -CONR²²²¹R³³³¹, -NO₂, -CN, -S(O)_jR²²²¹, -SO₂NR²²²¹R³³³¹, NR²²²¹(C=O)R³³³¹, NR²²²¹(C=O)OR³³³¹, NR²²²¹(C=O)NR²²²¹R³³³¹, NR²²²¹S(O)_jR³³³¹, -(C=S)OR²²²¹, -(C=O)SR²²²¹, -NR²²²¹(C=NR³³³¹)NR^{222a1}R^{333a1}, -NR²²²¹(C=NR³³³¹)OR^{222a1}, -NR²²²¹(C=NR³³³¹)SR^{333a1}, -O(C=O)OR²²²¹, -O(C=O)NR²²²¹R³³³¹, -O(C=O)SR²²²¹, -S(C=O)OR²²²¹, -P(O)OR²²²¹OR³³³¹, or -S(C=O)NR²²²¹R³³³¹ substituents; or G¹¹ is taken together with the carbon to which it is attached to form a double bond which is substituted with R⁵ and G¹¹¹;

R², R^{2a}, R³, R^{3a}, R²²², R^{222a}, R³³³, R^{333a}, R²¹, R^{2a1}, R³¹, R^{3a1}, R²²²¹, R^{222a1}, R³³³¹, and R^{333a1} are each independently equal to (Co-io)alkyl, (C₂-io)alkenyl, (C₂-io)alkynyl, (C₁₋₁₀)alkoxy(C₁₋₁₀)alkyl, (C₁₋₁₀)alkoxy(C₂₋₁₀)alkenyl, (C₁₋₁₀)alkoxy(C₂₋₁₀)alkynyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(Ci-io)alkyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(C₂-io)alkenyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(C₂-io)alkynyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl(Ci-io)alkyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl(Ci-io)alkyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl(C₂-io)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl(C₂-io)alkynyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl(C₂-io)alkynyl, heterocyclyl-(Co-io)alkyl, heterocyclyl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or heterocyclyl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, any of which is optionally substituted by one or more G¹¹¹ substituents; or aryl-(Co-io)alkyl, aryl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or aryl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, hetaryl-(Co-io)alkyl, hetaryl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or hetaryl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, any of which is optionally substituted by one or more G¹¹¹ substituents; or in the case of -NR²R³(R^{3a})_i or -NR²²²R³³³(R^{333a})_{ja} or -NR²²²R³³³(R^{333a})_{2a} or -NR²²²¹R³³³¹(R^{333a1})_{3a} or -NR²²²¹R³³³¹(R^{333a1})_{4a} or -NR²²²¹R³³³¹(R^{333a1})_{5a} or -NR²²²¹R³³³¹(R^{333a1})_{6a}, R² and R³ or R²²² and R³³³ or R²²²¹ and R³³³¹ taken together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached form a 3-10 membered saturated ring, unsaturated ring, heterocyclic saturated ring, or heterocyclic unsaturated ring, wherein said ring is optionally substituted by one or more G¹¹¹ substituents;

X¹ and Y¹ are each independently -O-, -NR⁷-, -S(O)_{j7}-, -CR⁵R⁶-, -N(C(O)OR⁷)-, -N(C(O)R⁷)-, -N(SO₂R⁷)-, -CH₂O-, -CH₂S-, -CH₂N(R⁷)-, -CH(NR⁷)-, -CH₂N(C(O)R⁷)-, -CH₂N(C(O)OR⁷)-, -CH₂N(SO₂R⁷)-, -CH(NHR⁷)-, -CH(NHC(O)R⁷)-, -CH(NHSO₂R⁷)-, -CH(NHC(O)OR⁷)-, -CH(OC(O)R⁷)-, -CH(OC(O)NHR⁷)-, -CH=CH-, -C.ident.C-, -C(=NOR⁷)-, -C(O)-, -CH(OR⁷)-, -C(O)N(R⁷)-, -N(R⁷)C(O)-, -N(R⁷)S(O)-, -N(R⁷)S(O)₂-, -OC(O)N(R⁷)-, -N(R⁷)C(O)N(R⁷)-, -NR⁷C(O)O-, -S(O)N(R⁷)-, -S(O)₂N(R⁷)-, -N(C(O)R⁷)S(O)-, -N(C(O)R⁷)S(O)₂-, -N(R⁷)S(O)N(R⁷)-, -N(R⁷)S(O)₂N(R⁷)-, -C(O)N(R⁷)C(O)-, -S(O)N(R⁷)C(O)-, -S(O)₂N(R⁷)C(O)-, -OS(O)N(R⁷)-, -OS(O)₂N(R⁷)-, -

$N(R^7)S(O)O$, $-N(R^7)S(O)_2O-$, $-N(R^7)S(O)C(O)-$, $-N(R^7)S(O)_2C(O)-$, $-SON(C(O)R^7)-$, $-S(O)_2N(C(O)R^7)-$, $-N(R^7)SON(R^7)-$, $-N(R^7)S(O)_2N(R^7)-$, $-C(O)O-$, $-N(R^7)P(OR^8)O-$, $-N(R^7)P(OR^8)-$, $-N(R^7)P(O)(OR^8)O-$, $-N(R^7)P(O)(OR^8)-$, $-N(C(O)R^7)P(OR^8)O-$, $-N(C(O)R^7)P(OR^8)-$, $-N(C(O)R^7)P(O)(OR^8)O-$, $-N(C(O)R^7)P(OR^8)-$, $-CH(R^7)S(O)-$, $-CH(R^7)S(O)_2-$, $-CH(R^7)N(C(O)OR^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(C(O)R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(S(O)_2R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)O-$, $-CH(R^7)S-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(C(O)R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(C(O)OR^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(S(O)_2R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)C(=NOR^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)C(O)-$, $-CH(R^7)CH(OR^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)C(O)N(R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)C(O)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)S(O)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)S(O)_2-$, $-CH(R^7)OC(O)N(R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)C(O)N(R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)NR^7C(O)O-$, $-CH(R^7)S(O)N(R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)S(O)_2N(R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(C(O)R^7)S(O)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(C(O)R^7)S(O)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)S(O)N(R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)S(O)_2N(R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)C(O)N(R^7)C(O)-$, $-CH(R^7)S(O)N(R^7)C(O)-$, $-CH(R^7)S(O)_2N(R^7)C(O)-$, $-CH(R^7)OS(O)N(R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)OS(O)_2N(R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)S(O)O-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)S(O)_2O-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)S(O)C(O)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)S(O)_2C(O)-$, $-CH(R^7)SON(C(O)R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)S(O)_2N(C(O)R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)SON(R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)S(O)_2N(R^7)-$, $-CH(R^7)C(O)O-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)P(OR^8)O-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)P(OR^8)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)P(O)(OR^8)O-$, $-CH(R^7)N(R^7)P(O)(OR^8)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(C(O)R^7)P(OR^8)O-$, $-CH(R^7)N(C(O)R^7)P(OR^8)-$, $-CH(R^7)N(C(O)R^7)P(O)(OR^8)O-$, or $-CH(R^7)N(C(O)R^7)P(OR^8)-$;

or X^1 and Y^1 are each independently represented by one of the following structural formulas:



R^{10} , taken together with the phosphinamide or phosphonamide, is a 5-, 6-, or 7-membered aryl, heteroaryl or heterocyclyl ring system;

R^5 , R^6 , and G^{111} are each independently a (Co-io)alkyl, (C₂-io)alkenyl, (C₂-io)alkynyl, (Ci-io)alkoxy(Ci-io)alkyl, (Ci-io)alkoxy(C₂-io)alkenyl, (Ci-io)alkoxy(C₂-io)alkynyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(Ci-io)alkyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(C₂-io)alkenyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(C₂-io)alkynyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl(Ci-io)alkyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl(Ci-io)alkyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl(C₂-io)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl(C₂-io)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl(C₂-io)alkynyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl(C₂-io)alkynyl, heterocyclyl-(Co-io)alkyl, heterocyclyl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or heterocyclyl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, -CF₃, -OCF₃, -OR⁷⁷, -NR⁷⁷R⁸⁷, -C(O)R⁷⁷, -C(O)₂R⁷⁷, -CONR⁷⁷R⁸⁷, -NO₂, -CN, -S(O)_{j5a}R⁷⁷, -SO₂NR⁷⁷R⁸⁷, NR⁷⁷(C=O)R⁸⁷, NR⁷⁷(C=O)OR⁸⁷, NR⁷⁷(C=O)NR⁷⁸R⁸⁷, NR⁷⁷S(O)_{j5a}R⁸⁷, -(C=S)OR⁷⁷, -(C=O)SR⁷⁷, -NR⁷⁷(C=NR⁸⁷)NR⁷⁸R⁸⁸, -NR⁷⁷(C=NR⁸⁷)OR⁷⁸, -NR⁷⁷(C=NR⁸⁷)SR⁷⁸, -O(C=O)OR⁷⁷, -O(C=O)NR⁷⁷R⁸⁷, -O(C=O)SR⁷⁷, -S(C=O)OR⁷⁷, -P(O)OR⁷⁷OR⁸⁷, or -S(C=O)NR⁷⁷R⁸⁷ substituents; or aryl-(Co-io)alkyl, aryl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or aryl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, -CF₃, -OCF₃, -OR⁴⁴, -NR¹¹R⁸⁷, -C(O)R⁷⁷, -C(O)₂R⁷⁷, -CONR⁷⁷R⁸⁷, -NO₂, -CN, -S(O)_{j5a}R⁷⁷, -SO₂NR⁷⁷R⁸⁷, NR⁷⁷(C=O)R⁸⁷, NR⁷⁷(C=O)OR⁸⁷, NR⁷⁷(C=O)NR⁷⁸R⁸⁷, NR⁷⁷S(O)_{j5a}R⁸⁷, -(C=S)OR⁷⁷, -(C=O)SR⁷⁷, -NR⁷⁷(C=NR⁸⁷)NR⁷⁸R⁸⁸, -NR⁷⁷(C=NR⁸⁷)OR⁷⁸, -NR⁷⁷(C=NR⁸⁷)SR⁷⁸, -O(C=O)OR⁷⁷, -O(C=O)NR⁷⁷R⁸⁷, -O(C=O)SR⁷⁷, -S(C=O)OR⁷⁷, -P(O)OR⁷⁷R⁸⁷, or -S(C=O)NR⁷⁷R⁸⁷ substituents; or hetaryl-(Co-io)alkyl, hetaryl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or hetaryl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, -CF₃, -OCF₃, -OR¹¹, -NR⁷⁷R⁸⁷, -C(O)R⁷⁷, -C(O)₂R⁷⁷, -CONR⁷⁷R⁸⁷, -NO₂, -CN, -S(O)_{j5a}R⁷⁷, -SO₂NR⁷⁷R⁸⁷, NR⁷⁷(C=O)R⁸⁷, NR⁷⁷(C=O)OR⁸⁷, NR⁷⁷(C=O)NR⁷⁸R⁸⁷, NR⁷⁷S(O)_{j5a}R⁸⁷, -(C=S)OR⁷⁷, -(C=O)SR⁷⁷, -NR⁷⁷(C=NR⁸⁷)NR⁷⁸R⁸⁸, -NR⁷⁷(C=NR⁸⁷)OR⁷⁸, -NR⁷⁷(C=NR⁸⁷)SR⁷⁸, -O(C=O)OR⁷⁷, -O(C=O)NR⁷⁷R⁸⁷, -O(C=O)SR⁷⁷, -S(C=O)OR⁷⁷, -P(O)OR⁷⁷OR⁸⁷, or -S(C=O)NR⁷⁷R⁸⁷ substituents; or R⁵ with R⁶ taken together with the respective carbon atom to which they are attached, form a 3-10 membered saturated or unsaturated ring, wherein said ring is optionally substituted with R⁶⁹; or R⁵ with R⁶ taken together with the respective carbon atom to which they are attached, form a 3-10 membered

saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic ring, wherein said ring is optionally substituted with R⁶⁹;

R⁷ and R⁸ are each independently H, acyl, alkyl, alkenyl, aryl, heteroaryl, heterocyclyl or cycloalkyl, any of which is optionally substituted by one or more G¹¹¹ substituents;

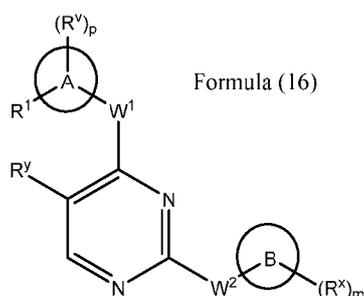
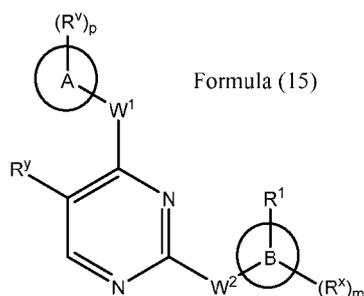
R⁴ is H, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, heteroaryl, cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, cycloalkenyl, or heterocycloalkenyl, any of which is optionally substituted by one or more G⁴¹ substituents;

R⁶⁹ is equal to halo, -OR⁷⁸, -SH, -NR⁷⁸R⁸⁸, -CO₂R⁷⁸, -CONR⁷⁸R⁸⁸, -NO₂, -CN, -S(O)₁₋₈R⁷⁸, -SO₂NR⁷⁸R⁸⁸, (Co-io)alkyl, (C₂-i₀)alkenyl, (C₂-i₀)alkynyl, (Ci-io)alkoxy(Ci-io)alkyl, (Ci-io)alkoxy(C₂-i₀)alkenyl, (Ci-i₀)alkoxy(C₂-i₀)alkynyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(Ci-io)alkyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(C₂-io)alkenyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(C₂-io)alkynyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl(Ci-io)alkyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl(Ci-io)alkyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl(C₂-io)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl(C₂-io)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl(C₂-io)alkynyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl(C₂-io)alkynyl, heterocyclyl-(Co-io)alkyl, heterocyclyl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or heterocyclyl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, cyano, nitro, -OR⁷⁷⁸, -SO₂NR⁷⁷⁸R⁸⁸⁸, or -NR⁷⁷⁸R⁸⁸⁸ substituents; or aryl-(Co-io)alkyl, aryl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or aryl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, cyano, nitro, -OR⁷⁷⁸, (Ci-io)alkyl, (C₂-io)alkenyl, (C₂-io)alkynyl, halo(Ci-io)alkyl, halo(C₂-io)alkenyl, halo(C₂-io)alkynyl, -COOH, (Ci-₄)alkoxycarbonyl, -CONR⁷⁷⁸R⁸⁸⁸, -SO₂NR⁷⁷⁸R⁸⁸⁸, or -NR⁷⁷⁸R⁸⁸⁸ substituents; or hetaryl-(C₀-io)alkyl, hetaryl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or hetaryl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, cyano, nitro, -OR⁷⁷⁸, (Ci-io)alkyl, (C₂-io)alkenyl, (C₂-io)alkynyl, halo(Ci-io)alkyl, halo(C₂-io)alkenyl, halo(C₂-io)alkynyl, -COOH, (Ci-₄)alkoxycarbonyl, -CONR⁷⁷⁸R⁸⁸⁸, -SO₂NR⁷⁷⁸R⁸⁸⁸, or -NR⁷⁷⁸R⁸⁸⁸ substituents; or mono(Ci-₆alkyl)amino(Ci-6)alkyl, di((Ci-6)alkyl)amino(Ci-6)alkyl, mono(aryl)amino(Ci-₆)alkyl, di(aryl)amino(Ci-6)alkyl, or -N((Ci-6)alkyl)-(Ci-6)alkyl-aryl, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, cyano, nitro, -OR⁷⁷⁸, (Ci-io)alkyl, (C₂-io)alkenyl, (C₂-io)alkynyl, halo(Ci-io)alkyl, halo(C₂-io)alkenyl, halo(C₂-io)alkynyl, -COOH, (Ci-₄)alkoxycarbonyl, -CONR⁷⁷⁸R⁸⁸⁸, -SO₂NR⁷⁷⁸R⁸⁸⁸, or -NR⁷⁷⁸R⁸⁸⁸ substituents; or in the case of -NR⁷⁸R⁸⁸, R⁷⁸ and R⁸⁸ taken together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached form a 3-10 membered saturated ring, unsaturated ring, heterocyclic saturated ring, or heterocyclic unsaturated ring, wherein said ring is optionally substituted with one or more

independent halo, cyano, hydroxy, nitro, (Ci-io)alkoxy, $-SO_2NR^{778}R^{888}$, or $-NR^{778}R^{888}$ substituents;

R^{77} , R^{78} , R^{87} , R^{88} , R^{778} , and R^{888} are each independently (Co-io)alkyl, (C₂-io)alkenyl, (C₂-io)alkynyl, (Ci-i₀)alkoxy(Ci-i₀)alkyl, (C₁₋₁₀)alkoxyC₂₋₁₀alkenyl, (Ci-i₀)alkoxy(C₂-io)alkynyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(Ci-io)alkyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(C₂-io)alkenyl, (Ci-io)alkylthio(C₂-io)alkynyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl(Ci-io)alkyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl(Ci-io)alkyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl(C₂-io)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl(C₂-io)alkenyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkyl(C₂-io)alkynyl, cyclo(C₃₋₈)alkenyl(C₂-io)alkynyl, heterocyclyl-(Co-io)alkyl, heterocyclyl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, heterocyclyl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, (Ci-io)alkylcarbonyl, (C₂-io)alkenylcarbonyl, (C₂-io)alkynylcarbonyl, (Ci-io)alkoxycarbonyl, (Ci-io)alkoxycarbonyl(Ci-io)alkyl, mono(Ci-6)alkylaminocarbonyl, di(Ci-6)alkylaminocarbonyl, mono(aryl)aminocarbonyl, di(aryl)aminocarbonyl, or (Ci-io)alkyl(aryl)aminocarbonyl, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, cyano, hydroxy, nitro, (Ci-io)alkoxy, $-SO_2N((C_{0-4})alkyl)((C_{0-4})alkyl)$, or $-N((Co-4)alkyl)((C_{0-4})alkyl)$ substituents; or aryl-(Co-io)alkyl, aryl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or aryl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, cyano, nitro, $-O((Co-4)alkyl)$, (Ci-io)alkyl, (C₂-io)alkenyl, (C₂-io)alkynyl, halo(Ci-io)alkyl, halo(C₂-io)alkenyl, halo(C₂-io)alkynyl, $-COOH$, (Ci-₄)alkoxycarbonyl, $-CON((Co-4)alkyl)((C_{0-10})alkyl)$, $-SO_2N((C_{0-4})alkyl)((C_{0-4})alkyl)$, or $-N((Co-4)alkyl)((Co-4)alkyl)$ substituents; or hetaryl-(Co-io)alkyl, hetaryl-(C₂-io)alkenyl, or hetaryl-(C₂-io)alkynyl, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, cyano, nitro, $-O((Co-4)alkyl)$, (Ci-io)alkyl, (C₂-io)alkenyl, (C₂-io)alkynyl, halo(Ci-io)alkyl, halo(C₂-io)alkenyl, halo(C₂-io)alkynyl, $-COOH$, (Ci-₄)alkoxycarbonyl, $-CON((Co-4)alkyl)((C_{0-4})alkyl)$, $-SO_2N((C_{0-4})alkyl)((C_{0-4})alkyl)$, or $-N((C_{0-4})alkyl)((C_{0-4})alkyl)$ substituents; or mono((Ci-6)alkyl)amino(Ci-6)alkyl, di((Ci-6)alkyl)amino(Ci-6)alkyl, mono(aryl)amino(Ci-6)alkyl, di(aryl)amino(Ci-6)alkyl, or $-N((Ci-6)alkyl)-(Ci-6)alkyl-aryl$, any of which is optionally substituted with one or more independent halo, cyano, nitro, $-O((C_{0-4})alkyl)$, (Ci-io)alkyl, (C₂-i₀)alkenyl, (C₂-i₀)alkynyl, halo(Ci-io)alkyl, halo(C₂-io)alkenyl, halo(C₂-i₀)alkynyl, $-COOH$, (Ci-₄)alkoxycarbonyl, $-CON((C_{0-4})alkyl)((C_{0-4})alkyl)$, $-SO_2N((C_{0-4})alkyl)((C_{0-4})alkyl)$, or $-N((C_{0-4})alkyl)((C_{0-4})alkyl)$ substituents; and n, m, j1, j1a, j2a, j3a, j4, j4a, j5a, j6a, j7, and j8 are each independently equal to 0, 1, or 2.

[00380] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound selected from the structures disclosed in U.S. Patent Nos. 8,450,335 and 8,609,679, and U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. 2010/0029610 A1, 2012/0077832 A1, 2013/0065879 A1, 2013/0072469 A1, and 2013/0165462 A1, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein. In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (15) or Formula (16):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein:
 Ring A is an optionally substituted group selected from phenyl, a 3-7 membered saturated or partially unsaturated carbocyclic ring, an 8-10 membered bicyclic saturated, partially unsaturated or aryl ring, a 5-6 membered monocyclic heteroaryl ring having 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, a 4-7 membered saturated or partially unsaturated heterocyclic ring having 1-3 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, an optionally substituted 7-10 membered bicyclic saturated or partially unsaturated heterocyclic ring having 1-5 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, or an 8-10 membered bicyclic heteroaryl ring having 1-5 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur;
 Ring B is an optionally substituted group selected from phenyl, a 3-7 membered saturated or partially unsaturated carbocyclic ring, an 8-10 membered bicyclic saturated, partially unsaturated or aryl ring, a 5-6 membered monocyclic heteroaryl ring having 1-4 heteroatoms

independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, a 4-7 membered saturated or partially unsaturated heterocyclic ring having 1-3 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, an optionally substituted 7-10 membered bicyclic saturated or partially unsaturated heterocyclic ring having 1-5 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, or an 8-10 membered bicyclic heteroaryl ring having 1-5 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur;

R^1 is a warhead group;

R^y is hydrogen, halogen, $-\text{CN}$, $-\text{CF}_3$, C_{1-4} aliphatic, C_{1-4} haloaliphatic, $-\text{OR}$, $-\text{C}(0)\text{R}$, or $-\text{C}(0)\text{N}(\text{R})_2$;

each R group is independently hydrogen or an optionally substituted group selected from C_{1-6} aliphatic, phenyl, an optionally substituted 4-7 membered heterocyclic ring having 1-2 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, or a 5-6 membered monocyclic heteroaryl ring having 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur;

W^1 and W^2 are each independently a covalent bond or a bivalent C_{1-3} alkylene chain wherein one methylene unit of W^1 or W^2 is optionally replaced by $-\text{NR}^2-$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^2)\text{C}(0)-$, $-\text{C}(0)\text{N}(\text{R}^2)-$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^2)\text{S}(\text{O})_2-$, $-\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{N}(\text{R}^2)-$, $-\text{O}-$, $-\text{O}(0)-$, $-\text{OC}(0)-$, $-\text{C}(0)\text{O}-$, $-\text{S}-$, $-\text{SO}-$ or $-\text{S}(\text{O})_2-$;

R^2 is hydrogen, optionally substituted C_{1-6} aliphatic, or $-\text{C}(0)\text{R}$, or:

R^2 and a substituent on Ring A are taken together with their intervening atoms to form a 4-6 membered saturated, partially unsaturated, or aromatic fused ring, or:

R^2 and R^y are taken together with their intervening atoms to form an optionally substituted 4-7 membered partially unsaturated or aromatic fused ring;

m and p are independently 0-4; and

R^x and R^y are independently selected from $-\text{R}$, halogen, $-\text{OR}$, $-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_q\text{OR}$, $-\text{CN}$, $-\text{NO}_2$, $-\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{R}$, $-\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{N}(\text{R})_2$, $-\text{SOR}$, $-\text{C}(0)\text{R}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})_2\text{R}$, $-\text{C}(0)\text{N}(\text{R})_2$, $-\text{NRC}(0)\text{R}$, $-\text{NRC}(0)\text{NR}_2$, $-\text{NRS}(\text{O})_2\text{R}$, or $-\text{N}(\text{R})_2$, wherein q is 1-4; or:

R^x and R^1 when concurrently present on Ring B are taken together with their intervening atoms to form an optionally substituted 5-7 membered saturated, partially unsaturated, or aryl ring having 0-3 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, wherein

said ring is substituted with a warhead group and 0-3 groups independently selected from oxo, halogen, —CN, or C₁₋₆ aliphatic; or

R^v and R^l when concurrently present on Ring A are taken together with their intervening atoms to form an optionally substituted 5-7 membered saturated, partially unsaturated, or aryl ring having 0-3 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, wherein said ring is substituted with a warhead group and 0-3 groups independently selected from oxo, halogen, —CN, or C₁₋₆ aliphatic.

[00381] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (15) or Formula (16), wherein:

Ring A is selected from phenyl, a 3-7 membered saturated or partially unsaturated carbocyclic ring, an 8-10 membered bicyclic saturated, partially unsaturated or aryl ring, a 5-6 membered monocyclic heteroaryl ring having 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, an optionally substituted 4-7 membered saturated or partially unsaturated heterocyclic ring having 1-3 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, an optionally substituted 7-10 membered bicyclic saturated or partially unsaturated heterocyclic ring having 1-5 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, or an 8-10 membered bicyclic heteroaryl ring having 1-5 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur;

Ring B is selected from phenyl, a 3-7 membered saturated or partially unsaturated carbocyclic ring, an 8-10 membered bicyclic saturated, partially unsaturated or aryl ring, a 5-6 membered monocyclic heteroaryl ring having 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, an optionally substituted 4-7 membered saturated or partially unsaturated heterocyclic ring having 1-3 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, an optionally substituted 7-10 membered bicyclic saturated or partially unsaturated heterocyclic ring having 1-5 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, or an 8-10 membered bicyclic heteroaryl ring having 1-5 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur;

R^l is -L-Y, wherein:

L is a covalent bond or a bivalent C₁₋₈ saturated or unsaturated, straight or branched, hydrocarbon chain, wherein one, two, or three methylene units of L are optionally and independently replaced by cyclopropylene, —NR—, —N(R)C(=O)—, —C(=O)N(R)—, —N(R)S(=O)₂—, —

$S_2N(R)-$, $-O-$, $-C(O)-$, $-OC(O)-$, $-C(O)O-$, $-S-$, $-SO-$, $-S_2-$, $-C(=S)-$, $-C(=NR)-$, $-N=N-$, or $-C(=N_2)-$;

Y is hydrogen, C_{1-6} aliphatic optionally substituted with oxo, halogen, or CN, or a 3-10 membered monocyclic or bicyclic, saturated, partially unsaturated, or aryl ring having 0-3 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, and wherein said ring is substituted with at 1-4 groups independently selected from -Q-Z, oxo, N_2 , halogen, CN, or C_{1-6} aliphatic, wherein:

Q is a covalent bond or a bivalent C_{1-6} saturated or unsaturated, straight or branched, hydrocarbon chain, wherein one or two methylene units of Q are optionally and independently replaced by $-NR-$, $-S-$, $-O-$, $-C(O)-$, $-SO-$, or $-S_2-$; and

Z is hydrogen or C_{1-6} aliphatic optionally substituted with oxo, halogen, or CN;

R^y is hydrogen, halogen, $-CN$, $-CF_3$, C_{1-4} aliphatic, C_{1-4} haloaliphatic, $-OR$, $-C(O)R$, or $-C(O)N(R)_2$;

each R group is independently hydrogen or an optionally substituted group selected from C_{1-6} aliphatic, phenyl, an optionally substituted 4-7 membered heterocyclic ring having 1-2 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, or a 5-6 membered monocyclic heteroaryl ring having 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur;

W^1 and W^2 are each independently a covalent bond or a bivalent C_{1-3} alkylene chain wherein one methylene unit of W^1 or W^2 is optionally replaced by $-NR^2-$, $-N(R^2)C(O)-$, $-C(O)N(R^2)-$, $-N(R^2)S_2-$, $-S_2N(R^2)-$, $-O-$, $-O(O)-$, $-OC(O)-$, $-C(O)O-$, $-S-$, $-SO-$ or $-S_2-$;

R^2 is hydrogen, optionally substituted C_{1-6} aliphatic, or $-C(O)R$, or:

R^2 and a substituent on Ring A are taken together with their intervening atoms to form a 4-6 membered partially unsaturated or aromatic fused ring; or

R^2 and R^y are taken together with their intervening atoms to form a 4-6 membered saturated, partially unsaturated, or aromatic fused ring;

m and p are independently 0-4; and

R^x and R^y are independently selected from $-R$, halogen, $-OR$, $-O(CH_2)_qOR$, $-CN$, $-N_2$, $-S_2R$, $-S_2N(R)_2$, $-SOR$, $-C(O)R$, $-CO_2R$, $-C(O)N(R)_2$, $-NRC(O)R$, $-NRC(O)NR_2$, $-NRS_2R$, or $-N(R)_2$, wherein R is independently selected from the group

consisting of hydrogen, cycloalkyl, alkenyl, cycloalkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, heteroaryl, and heterocycly; or:

R^x and R^l when concurrently present on Ring B are taken together with their intervening atoms to form a 5-7 membered saturated, partially unsaturated, or aryl ring having 0-3 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, wherein said ring is substituted with a warhead group and 0-3 groups independently selected from oxo, halogen, —CN, or C₁₋₆ aliphatic; or

R^v and R^l when concurrently present on Ring A are taken together with their intervening atoms to form a 5-7 membered saturated, partially unsaturated, or aryl ring having 0-3 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, wherein said ring is substituted with a warhead group and 0-3 groups independently selected from oxo, halogen, —CN, or C₁₋₆ aliphatic.

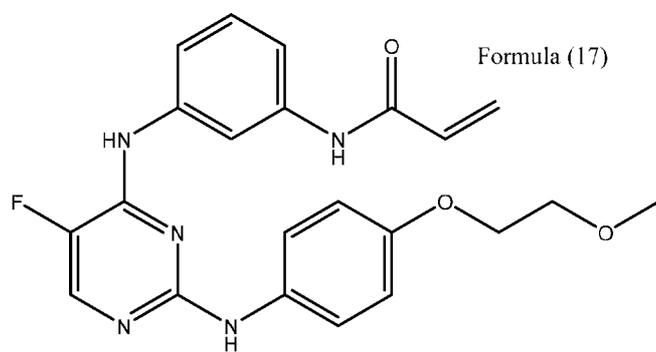
[00382] As defined generally above, Ring A is selected from phenyl, a 3-7 membered saturated or partially unsaturated carbocyclic ring, an 8-10 membered bicyclic saturated, partially unsaturated or aryl ring, a 5-6 membered monocyclic heteroaryl ring having 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, an optionally substituted 4-7 membered saturated or partially unsaturated heterocyclic ring having 1-3 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, an optionally substituted 7-10 membered bicyclic saturated or partially unsaturated heterocyclic ring having 1-5 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, or an 8-10 membered bicyclic heteroaryl ring having 1-5 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur.

[00383] In preferred embodiments, Ring A is an optionally substituted phenyl group. In some embodiments, Ring A is an optionally substituted naphthyl ring or an optionally substituted bicyclic 8-10 membered heteroaryl ring having 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur. In certain other embodiments, Ring A is an optionally substituted 3-7 membered carbocyclic ring. In yet other embodiments, Ring A is an optionally substituted 4-7 membered heterocyclic ring having 1-3 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur. In preferred embodiments, Ring B is an optionally substituted phenyl group.

[00384] In certain embodiments, Ring A in Formula (15) or Formula (16) is substituted as defined herein. In some embodiments, Ring A is substituted with one, two, or three groups

independently selected from halogen, R^o, or —(CH₂)₀₋₄OR^o, or —O(CH₂)₀₋₄R^o, wherein each R^o is independently selected from the group consisting of cycloalkyl, alkenyl, cycloalkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, heteroaryl, and heterocyclyl. Exemplary substituents on Ring A include Br, I, Cl, methyl, —CF₃, —C≡CH, —OCH₂phenyl, —OCH₂(fluorophenyl), or —OCH₂pyndyl.

[00385] In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is CC-292 (also known as AVL-292), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, preferably a hydrochloride salt or a besylate salt thereof. In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (17):



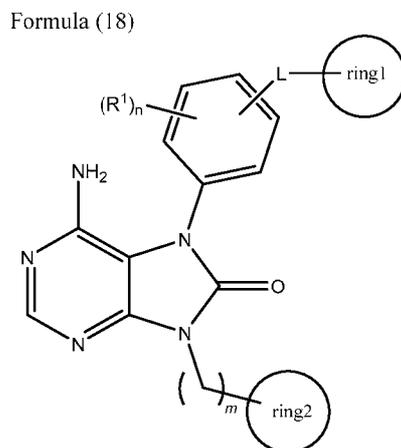
which is *N*-(3-((5-fluoro-2-((4-(2-methoxyethoxy)phenyl)amino)pyrimidin-4-yl)amino)phenyl)acrylamide, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, or in an exemplary embodiment is a hydrochloride salt or a besylate salt thereof. The preparation of this compound is described in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2010/0029610 A1 at Example 20, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein. The preparation of the besylate salt of this compound is described in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2012/0077832 A1, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein. In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound selected from the structures disclosed in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2010/0029610 A1 or No. 2012/0077832 A1, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein.

[00386] In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is *N*-(3-((5-fluoro-2-((4-(2-methoxyethoxy)phenyl)amino)pyrimidin-4-yl)amino)phenyl)acrylamide or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, or a hydrochloride salt thereof. The preparation of this compound is described in U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos.

2010/0029610 A1 and 2012/0077832 A1, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein.

[00387] In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is (*N*-(3-(5-fluoro-2-(4-(2-methoxyethoxy)phenylamino)pyrimidin-4-ylamino)phenyl)acrylamide), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, or preferably a besylate salt thereof. The preparation of this compound is described in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2010/0029610 A1 at Example 20, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein. The preparation of its besylate salt is described in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2012/0077832 A1, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein.

[00388] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (18):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, hydrate, solvate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein

L represents (1) **-O-**, (2) **-S-**, (3) **-SO-**, (4) **-SO₂-**, (5) **-NH-**, (6) **-C(O)-**, (7) **-CH₂O-**, (8) **-O-CH₂-**, (9) **-CH₂-**, or (10) **-CH(OH)-**;

R¹ represents (1) a halogen atom, (2) a **Ci₄** alkyl group, (3) a **Ci₄** alkoxy group, (4) a **Ci₄** haloalkyl group, or (5) a **Ci₄** haloalkoxy group;

ring1 represents a 4- to 7-membered cyclic group, which may be substituted by from one to five substituents each independently selected from the group consisting of (1) halogen atoms, (2) **Ci₄** alkyl groups, (3) **Ci₄** alkoxy groups, (4) nitrile, (5) **Ci₄** haloalkyl groups, and (6) **Ci₄** haloalkoxy groups, wherein when two or more substituents are present on ring1, these

substituents may form a 4- to 7-membered cyclic group together with the atoms in ring1 to which these substituents are bound;

ring2 represents a 4- to 7-membered saturated heterocycle, which may be substituted by from one to three $-K-R^2$; K represents (1) a bond, (2) a C_{1-4} alkylene, (3) $-C(O)-$, (4) $-C(O)-CH_2-$, (5) $-CH_2-C(O)-$, (6) $-C(O)O-$, or (7) $-SO_2-$ (wherein the bond on the left is bound to the ring2);

R^2 represents (1) a C_{1-4} alkyl, (2) a C_{2-4} alkenyl, or (3) a C_{2-4} alkynyl group, each of which may be substituted by from one to five substituents each independently selected from the group consisting of (1) NR^3R^4 , (2) halogen atoms, (3) $CONR^5R^6$, (4) CO_2R^7 , and (5) OR^8 ;

R^3 and R^4 each independently represent (1) a hydrogen atom, or (2) a C_{1-4} alkyl group which may be substituted by OR^9 or $CONR^{10}R^{11}$; R^3 and R^4 may, together with the nitrogen atom to which they are bound, form a 4- to 7-membered nitrogenous saturated heterocycle, which may be substituted by an oxo group or a hydroxyl group;

R^5 and R^6 each independently represent (1) a hydrogen atom, (2) a C_{1-4} alkyl group, or (3) a phenyl group;

R^7 represents (1) a hydrogen atom or (2) a C_{1-4} alkyl group;

R^8 represents (1) a hydrogen atom, (2) a C_{1-4} alkyl group, (3) a phenyl group, or (4) a benzotriazolyl group; R^9 represents (1) a hydrogen atom or (2) a C_{1-4} alkyl group;

R^{10} and R^{11} each independently represent (1) a hydrogen atom or (2) a C_{1-4} alkyl group;

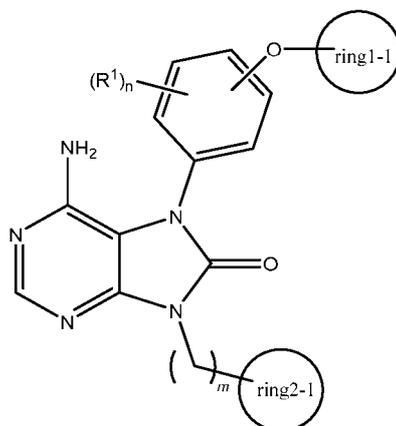
n represents an integer from 0 to 4;

m represents an integer from 0 to 2; and

when n is two or more, the R^1 's may be the same as each other or may differ from one another).

[00389] In an exemplary embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (19):

Formula (19)



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, hydrate, solvate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein

R^1 represents (1) a halogen atom, (2) a C_{1-4} alkyl group, (3) a C_{1-4} alkoxy group, (4) a C_{1-4} haloalkyl group, or (5) a C_{1-4} haloalkoxy group;

ring1 represents a benzene, cyclohexane, or pyridine ring, each of which may be substituted by from one to five substituents each independently selected from the group consisting of (1) halogen atoms, (2) C_{1-4} alkyl groups, (3) C_{1-4} alkoxy groups, (4) nitrile, (5) CF_3 ;

ring2 represents a 4- to 7-membered nitrogenous saturated heterocycle, which may be substituted by from one to three $-K-R^2$; wherein K represents (1) a bond, (2) a C_{1-4} alkylene, (3) $-C(O)-$, (4) $-C(O)-CH_2-$, (5) $-CH_2-C(O)-$, (6) $-C(O)O-$, or (7) $-SO_2-$ (wherein the bond on the left is bound to the ring2);

R^2 represents (1) a C_{1-4} alkyl, (2) a C_{2-4} alkenyl, or (3) a C_{2-4} alkynyl group, each of which may be substituted by from one to five substituents each independently selected from the group consisting of (1) NR^3R^4 , (2) halogen atoms, (3) $CONR^5R^6$, (4) CO_2R^7 , and (5) OR^8 ;

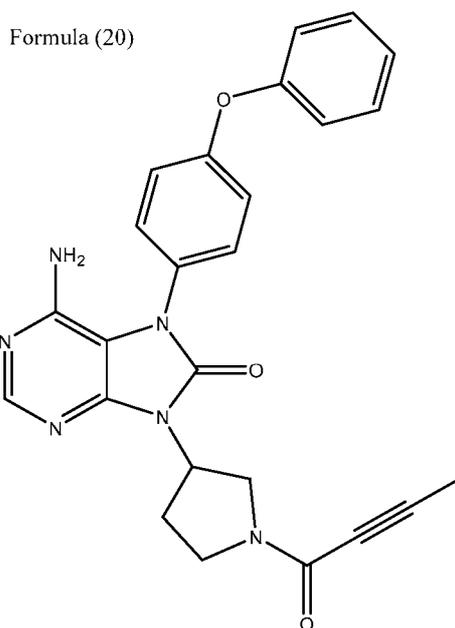
R^3 and R^4 each independently represent (1) a hydrogen atom, or (2) a C_{1-4} alkyl group which may be substituted by OR^9 or $CONR^{10}R^{11}$; R^3 and R^4 may, together with the nitrogen atom to which they are bound, form a 4- to 7-membered nitrogenous saturated heterocycle, which may be substituted by an oxo group or a hydroxyl group;

R^5 and R^6 each independently represent (1) a hydrogen atom, (2) a C_{1-4} alkyl group, or (3) a phenyl group;

R^7 represents (1) a hydrogen atom or (2) a C_{1-4} alkyl group;

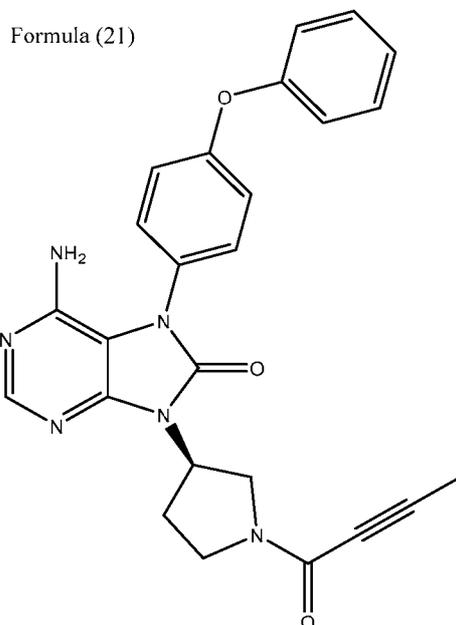
R^8 represents (1) a hydrogen atom, (2) a C_{1-4} alkyl group, (3) a phenyl group, or (4) a benzotriazolyl group; R^9 represents (1) a hydrogen atom or (2) a C_{1-4} alkyl group; R^{10} and R^{11} each independently represent (1) a hydrogen atom or (2) a C_{1-4} alkyl group; n represents an integer from 0 to 4; m represents an integer from 0 to 2; and when n is two or more, the R^i 's may be the same as each other or may differ from one another).

[00390] In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (20):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, preferably a hydrochloride salt thereof. The preparation of this compound is described in International Patent Application Publication No. WO 2013/081016 A1 and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0330015 A1, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein. In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is 6-amino-9-(1-(but-2-ynoyl)pyrrolidin-3-yl)-7-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-7,9-dihydro-8*H*-purin-8-one or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, or preferably a hydrochloride salt thereof. In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is 6-amino-9-[(3*S*)-1-(2-butynoyl)-3-pyrrolidinyl]-7-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-7,9-dihydro-8*H*-purin-8-one or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, or a hydrochloride salt thereof.

[00391] The *i*?-enantiomer of Formula (20) is also known as ONO-4059, and is given by Formula (21). In a preferred embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (21):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, preferably a hydrochloride salt thereof.

[00392] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is 6-amino-9-[(3*i*?)]-1-(2-butynoyl)-3-pyrrolidinyl]-7-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-7,9-dihydro-8*H*-purin-8-one or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, preferably a hydrochloride salt thereof.

[00393] The preparation of Formula (21) is described in International Patent Application Publication No. WO 2013/081016 A1, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein. In brief, the BTK inhibitor of Formula (21) can be prepared by the following procedure.

[00394] Step 1: A solution of dibenzylamine (10.2 g) in dichloromethane (30 mL) is dripped into a solution of 4,6-dichloro-5-nitropyrimidine (10 g) in dichloromethane (70 mL) on an ice bath. Then triethylamine (14.4 mL) is added, and the mixture is stirred for 1 hour. Water is added to the reaction mixture, the organic layer is washed with a saturated aqueous sodium chloride solution and dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, and the solvent is concentrated under reduced pressure to obtain *N,N*-dibenzyl-6-chloro-5-nitropyrimidine-4-amine (19.2 g).

[00395] Step 2: The compound prepared in Step 1 (19 g) and *tert*-butyl (3*R*)-3-aminopyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (10.5 g) are dissolved in dioxane (58 mL). Triethylamine (8.1 mL) is added, and the mixture is stirred for 5 hours at 50 °C. The reaction mixture is returned to room temperature, the solvent is distilled off, water is added, and extraction is performed with ethyl acetate. The organic layer is washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride solution, then dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, and the solvent is distilled off. The residue is purified by silica gel column chromatography to obtain *tert*-butyl (3*i*?)-3-[[6-(dibenzylamino)-5-nitropyrimidin-4-yl]amino]pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (27.0 g).

[00396] Step 3: An ethyl acetate (360 mL) solution of the compound prepared in Step 2 (17.5 g) is dripped into a mixture of zinc (23.3 g) and a 3.0 M aqueous ammonium chloride solution (11.4 g) on an ice bath, and the temperature is immediately raised to room temperature. After stirring for 2 hours, the reaction mixture is filtered through CELITE and the solvent is distilled off. The residue is purified by silica gel column chromatography to obtain *tert*-butyl (3*R*)-3-[[5-amino-6-(dibenzylamino)pyrimidin-4-yl]amino]pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (12.4 g).

[00397] Step 4: The compound prepared in Step 3 (8.4 g) and I, Γ -carbonyl diimidazole (5.9 g) are dissolved in tetrahydrofuran (120 mL) and the solution is stirred for 15 hours at 60 °C. The solvent is distilled off from the reaction mixture, water is added, and extraction with ethyl acetate is performed. The organic layer is washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride solution, dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, and the solvent is distilled off. The residue is purified by silica gel column chromatography to obtain *tert*-butyl (3*i*?)-3-[6-(dibenzylamino)-8-oxo-7,8-dihydro-9*H*-purin-9-yl]pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (7.8 g).

[00398] Step 5: The compound prepared in Step 4 (7.8 g) is dissolved in methanol (240 mL) and ethyl acetate (50 mL), 20% Pearlman's catalyst (Pd(OH)₂/C) (8.0 g, 100 wt %) is added, hydrogen gas replacement is carried out, and stirring is performed for 7.5 hours at 60 °C. The reaction mixture is filtered through CELITE and the solvent is distilled off to obtain *tert*-butyl (3*i*?)-3-(6-amino-8-oxo-7,8-dihydro-9*H*-purin-9-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5.0 g).

[00399] Step 6: At room temperature *p*-phenoxy phenyl boronic acid (2.1 g), copper(II) acetate (1.48 g), molecular sieve 4A (2.5 g), and pyridine (0.82 mL) are added to a dichloromethane suspension (200 mL) of the compound prepared in Step 5 (2.5 g), followed by stirring for 21 hours. The reaction mixture is filtered through CELITE and the residue is purified by silica gel

column chromatography to obtain *tert*-butyl (3i?)-3-[6-amino-8-oxo-7-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-7,8-dihydro-9*H*-purin-9-yl]pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (1.3 g).

[00400] Step 7: At room temperature 4 N HCl/dioxane (13 mL) is added to a methanol (13 mL) suspension of the compound prepared in Step 6 (1.3 g 2.76 mmol, 1.0 equivalent), and the mixture is stirred for 1 hour. The solvent is then distilled off to obtain (3i?)-6-amino-9-pyrrolidin-3-yl-7-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-7,9-dihydro-8 *H*-purin-8-one dihydrochloride (1.5 g).

[00401] Step 8: After 2-butynoic acid (34 mg), 1-ethyl-3-(3-dimethylaminopropyl) carbodiimide hydrochloride (EDC) (78 mg), 1-hydroxybenzotriazole (HOBt) (62 mg), and triethylamine (114 mL) are added to a solution of the compound prepared in Step 7 (100 mg) in dimethyl formamide (3 mL), the mixture is stirred at room temperature for 3 hours. Water is added to the reaction mixture and extraction with ethyl acetate is performed. The organic layer is washed with saturated sodium carbonate solution and saturated aqueous sodium chloride solution, then dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, and the solvent is distilled off. The residue is purified by thin layer chromatography (dichloromethane:methanol:28% ammonia water=90:10:1) to obtain 6-amino-9-[(3i?)-1-(2-butynoyl)-3-pyrrolidinyl]-7-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-7,9-dihydro-8*H*-purin-8-one (Formula (21)) (75 mg).

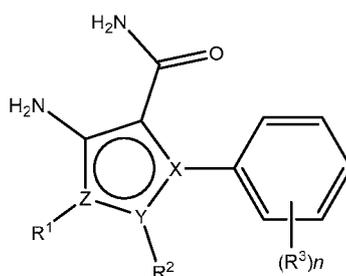
[00402] The hydrochloride salt of the compound of Formula (21) can be prepared as follows: 6-amino-9-[(3i?)-1-(2-butynoyl)-3-pyrrolidinyl]-7-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-7,9-dihydro-8 *H*-purin-8-one (3.0 g) (which may be prepared as described above) is placed in a 300 mL 3-neck pear-shaped flask, ethyl acetate (30 mL) and 1-propanol (4.5 mL) are added, and the external temperature is set at 70 °C (internal temperature 61 °C). After it is confirmed that the compound prepared in Step 8 has dissolved completely, 10% HCl/methanol (3.5 mL) is added, and after precipitation of crystals is confirmed, the crystals are ripened by the following sequence: external temperature 70 °C for 30 min, external temperature 60 °C for 30 min, external temperature 50 °C for 60 min, external temperature 40 °C for 30 min, room temperature for 30 min, and an ice bath for 30 min. The resulting crystals are filtered, washed with ethyl acetate (6 mL), and dried under vacuum at 50 °C to obtain white crystals of 6-amino-9-[(3i?)-1-(2-butynoyl)-3-pyrrolidinyl]-7-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-7,9-dihydro-8 *H*-purin-8-one hydrochloride (2.76 g).

[00403] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound selected from the structures disclosed in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0330015 A1, the disclosure of

which is incorporated by reference herein.

[00404] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (22):

Formula (22)



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein:

X-Y-Z is N-C-C and R² is present, or C-N-N and R² is absent;

R¹ is a 3-8 membered, N-containing ring, wherein the N is unsubstituted or substituted with R⁴;

R² is H or lower alkyl, particularly methyl, ethyl, propyl or butyl; or

R¹ and R² together with the atoms to which they are attached, form a 4-8 membered ring, preferably a 5-6 membered ring, selected from cycloalkyl, saturated or unsaturated heterocycle, aryl, and heteroaryl rings unsubstituted or substituted with at least one substituent L-R⁴;

R³ is in each instance, independently halogen, alkyl, S-alkyl, CN, or OR⁵;

n is 1, 2, 3, or 4, preferably 1 or 2;

L is a bond, NH, heteroalkyl, or heterocyclyl;

R⁴ is COR, CO₂R, or SO₂R, wherein R is substituted or unsubstituted alkyl, substituted or unsubstituted alkenyl, substituted or unsubstituted alkynyl;

R⁵ is H or unsubstituted or substituted heteroalkyl, alkyl, cycloalkyl, saturated or unsaturated heterocyclyl, aryl, or heteroaryl.

[00405] In some embodiments, the BTK inhibitor is one of the following particular embodiments of Formula (22):

X--Y--Z is C--N--N and R² is absent; and R¹ is 3-8 membered, N-containing ring, N-substituted with R⁴;

X--Y--Z is N--C--C and R² is present, R¹ is 3-8 membered, N-containing ring, N-substituted with R⁴; and R² is H or lower alkyl;

X--Y--Z is N--C--C and R² is present; and R¹ and R² together with the atoms to which they are attached, form a 4-8 membered ring selected from cycloalkyl, saturated or unsaturated heterocycle, aryl, and heteroaryl rings unsubstituted or substituted with at least one substituent L-R⁴, wherein preferred rings of R¹ and R² are 5-6-membered, particularly dihydropyrrole, tetrahydropyridine, tetrahydroazepine, phenyl, or pyridine;

X--Y--Z is N--C--C and R² is present; and R¹ and R² together with the atoms to which they are attached, form a 5-6 membered ring, preferably (a) phenyl substituted with a single -L-R⁴, or (b) dihydropyrrole or tetrahydropyridine, N-substituted with a single -L-R⁴ wherein L is bond;

R¹ is piperidine or azaspiro[3.3]heptane, preferably N-substituted with R⁴;

R⁴ is COR or SO₂R, particularly wherein R is substituted or unsubstituted alkenyl, particularly substituted or unsubstituted ethenyl; or

R⁵ is unsubstituted or substituted alkyl or aryl, particularly substituted or unsubstituted phenyl or methyl, such as cyclopropyl-substituted methyl with or tetrabutyl-substituted phenyl.

[00406] In some embodiments, the BTK inhibitor is one of the following particular embodiments of Formula (22):

R¹ is piperidine or azaspiro[3.3]heptane, N-substituted with R⁴, wherein R⁴ is H, COR or SO₂R, and R is substituted or unsubstituted alkenyl, particularly substituted or unsubstituted ethenyl;

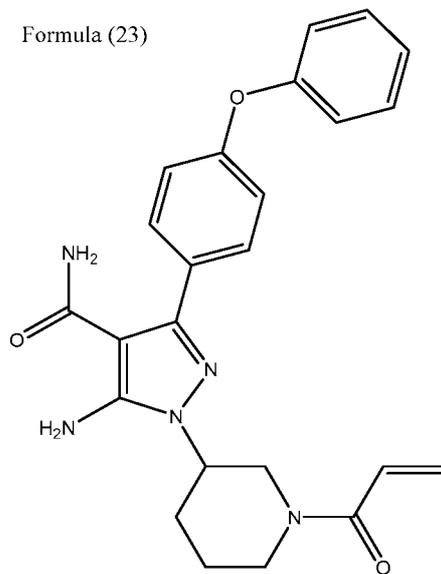
R³ is -OR⁵, R⁵ is phenyl, and n is 1;

R¹ and R², together with the atoms to which they are attached, form a 5-6 membered ring, preferably (a) phenyl substituted with a single -L-R⁴, or (b) dihydropyrrole or tetrahydropyridine, N-substituted with a single -L-R⁴ wherein L is bond; R³ is -OR⁵; n is 1; R⁴ is COR, and R is ethenyl; and R⁵ is phenyl; and

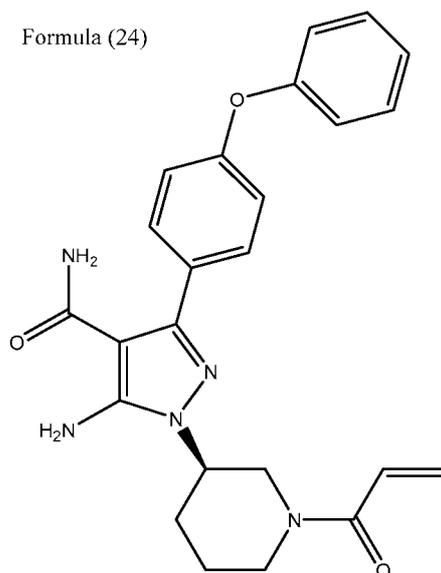
X--Y--Z is C--N--N and R² is absent; R¹ is piperidine, N-substituted with R⁴; R³ is -OR⁵; n is 1; R⁴ is COR, and R is unsubstituted or substituted alkenyl, particularly ethenyl; and R⁵ is substituted or unsubstituted aryl, particularly phenyl.

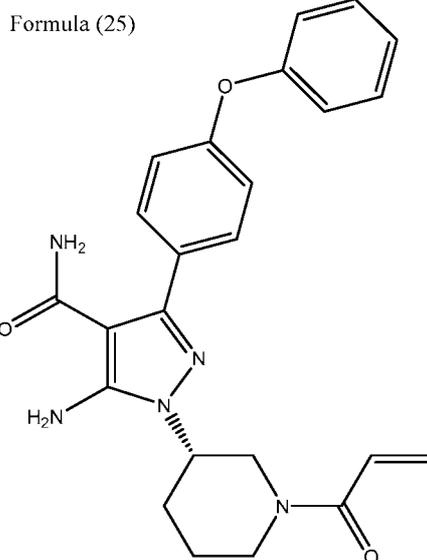
[00407] In some embodiments, the BTK inhibitor is a compound selected from the group consisting of Formula (23), Formula (24), or Formula (25):

Formula (23)



Formula (24)

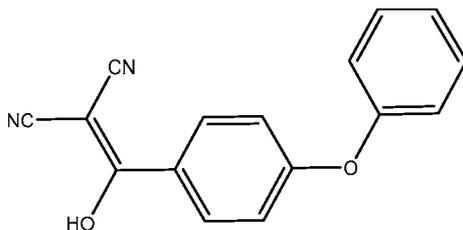




or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. Formula (24) is also known as BGB-31 11. The preparation of these compounds is described in International Patent Application Publication No. WO 2014/173289 A1 and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2015/0005277 A1, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein.

[00408] In brief, the BTK inhibitor of Formula (23) can be prepared by the following procedure.

[00409] Step 1. Preparation of 2-(hydroxy(4-phenoxyphenyl)methylene)malononitrile:

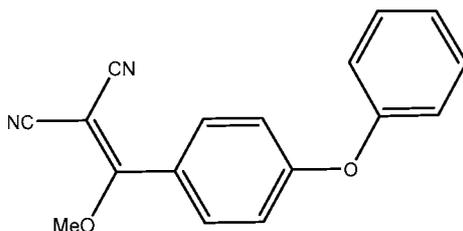


[00410] A solution of 4-phenoxybenzoic acid (300 g, 1.4 mol) in SOCl_2 (1.2 L) is stirred at 80° C under N_2 for 3 hours. The mixture is concentrated in vacuum to give the intermediate (315 g) which is used for next step without further purification.

[00411] To a solution of propanedinitrile (89.5 g, 1355 mmol) and *N,N*-diisopropylethylamine (DIEA) (350 g, 2710 mmol) in THF (800 mL) is added dropwise a solution of the intermediate (315 g) in toluene (800 mL) at 0-5 °C over 2 hours. The resultant mixture is allowed to warm to

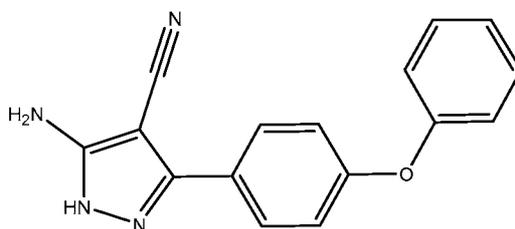
RT and stirred for 16 hours. The reaction is quenched with water (2.0 L) and extracted with of EA (2.0 L \times 3). The combined organic layers are washed with 1000 mL of 3 N HCl aqueous solution, brine (2.0 L \times 3), dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product (330 g, 93%).

[00412] Step 2. Preparation of 2-(methoxy(4-phenoxyphenyl)methylene)malononitrile:



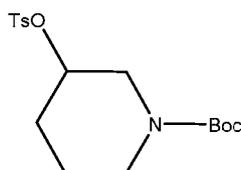
[00413] A solution of 2-(hydroxy(4-phenoxyphenyl)methylene)malononitrile (50 g, 190.8 mmol) in CH(OMe)₃ (500 mL) is heated to 75 °C for 16 hours. Then the mixture is concentrated to a residue and washed with MeOH (50 mL) to give 25 g (47.5%) of 2-(methoxy(4-phenoxyphenyl)methylene)malononitrile as a yellow solid.

[00414] Step 3. Preparation of 5-amino-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazole-4-carbonitrile:



[00415] To a solution of 2-(methoxy(4-phenoxyphenyl)methylene)malononitrile (80 g, 290 mmol) in ethanol (200 mL) is added hydrazine hydrate (20 mL). The mixture is stirred at RT for 16 hours then is concentrated to give the crude product and washed with MeOH (30 mL) to afford 55 g (68.8%) of 5-amino-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazole-4-carbonitrile as a off-white solid.

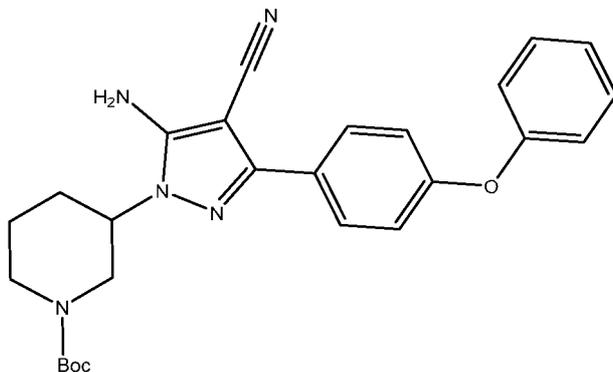
[00416] Step 4. Preparation of *tert*-butyl 3-(tosyloxy)piperidine-1-carboxylate:



wherein "Boc" represents a *tert*-butyloxycarbonyl protecting group.

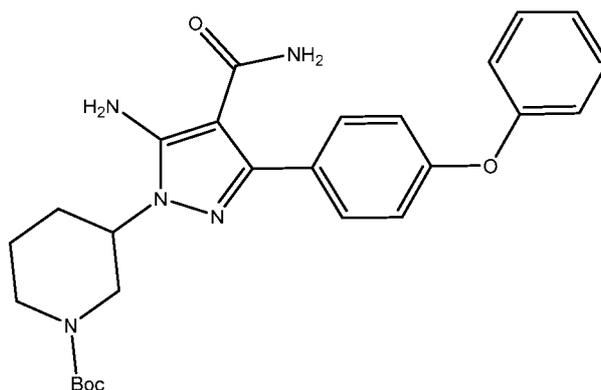
[00417] To a solution of *tert*-butyl 3-hydroxypiperidine-1-carboxylate (1.05 g, 5.0 mmol) in pyridine (8 mL) is added TsCl (1.425 g, 7.5 mmol). The mixture is stirred at RT under N₂ for two days. The mixture is concentrated and partitioned between 100 mL of EA and 100 mL of HCl (1 N) aqueous solution. The organic layer is separated from aqueous layer, washed with saturated NaHCO₃ aqueous solution (100 mL x 2), brine (100 mL x 3) and dried over Na₂SO₄. The organic layer is concentrated to afford 1.1 g (60%) of *tert*-butyl 3-(tosyloxy)piperidine-1-carboxylate as a colorless oil.

[00418] Step 5. Preparation of *tert*-butyl 3-(5-amino-4-cyano-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazol-1-yl)piperidine-1-carboxylate:



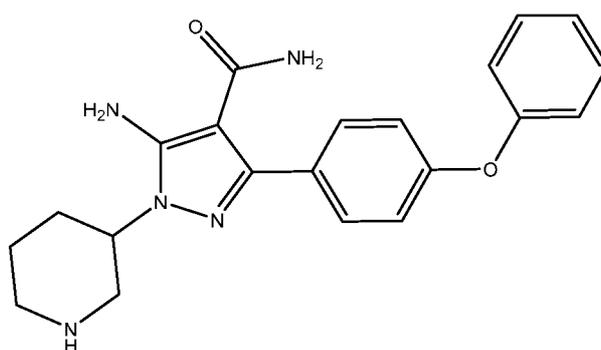
[00419] To a solution of *tert*-butyl 3-(tosyloxy)piperidine-1-carboxylate (355 mg, 1.0 mmol) and 5-amino-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazole-4-carbonitrile (276 mg, 1.0 mmol) in 5 mL of DMF is added Cs₂CO₃ (650 mg, 2.0 mmol). A tosyloxy leaving group is employed in this reaction. The mixture is stirred at RT for 16 hours, 75 °C for 3 hours and 60 °C for 16 hours. The mixture is concentrated washed with brine (100 mL x 3) and dried over Na₂SO₄. The material is concentrated and purified by chromatography column on silica gel (eluted with petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 3/1) to afford 60 mg (13%) of *tert*-butyl 3-(5-amino-4-cyano-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazol-1-yl)piperidine-1-carboxylate as a yellow oil.

[00420] Step 6. Preparation of *tert*-butyl 3-(5-amino-4-carbamoyl-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazol-1-yl)piperidine-1-carboxylate:



[00421] To a solution of *tert*-butyl 3-(5-amino-4-cyano-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazol-1-yl)piperidine-1-carboxylate (100 mg, 0.22 mmol) in DMSO (2 mL) and ethanol (2 mL) was added the solution of NaOH (200 mg, 5 mmol) in water (1 mL) and H₂O₂ (1 mL). The mixture is stirred at 60 °C for 15 min and concentrated to remove EtOH, after which 10 mL of water and 50 mL of ethyl acetate are added. The organic layer is separated from aqueous layer, washed with brine (30 mL \times 3) and dried over Na₂S₄. After concentration, 50 mg of residue is used directly in the next step, wherein 50 mg of residue is purified by pre-TLC (eluted with petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 1/1) to afford 12 mg (30%) of *tert*-butyl 3-(5-amino-4-carbamoyl-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazol-1-yl)piperidine-1-carboxylate as a white solid.

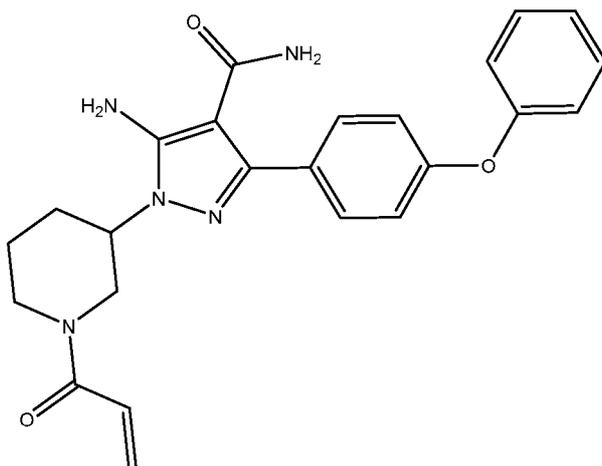
[00422] Step 7. Preparation of 5-amino-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1-(piperidin-3-yl)-1 *H*-pyrazole-4-carboxamide:



[00423] To a solution of *tert*-butyl 3-(5-amino-4-carbamoyl-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazol-1-yl)piperidine-1-carboxylate (50 mg, 0.11 mmol) in ethyl acetate (1 mL) is added concentrated HCl (0.75 mL). The mixture is stirred at RT for 1 hour. Then saturated NaHCO₃ is added until pH > 7, followed by ethyl acetate (50 mL). The organic layer is separated from aqueous layer, washed with brine (50 mL \times 3) and dried over Na₂S₄. The resulting product is concentrated

and purified by Pre-TLC (eluted with dichloromethane/MeOH/NH₃-H₂O=5/1/0.01) to afford 10 mg (25%) of 5-amino-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1-(piperidin-3-yl)-1 *H*-pyrazole-4-carboxamide as a white solid.

[00424] Step 8. Preparation of 1-(1-acryloylpiperidin-3-yl)-5-amino-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazole-4-carboxamide:



[00425] To a solution of 5-amino-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1-(piperidin-3-yl)-1 *H*-pyrazole-4-carboxamide (63 mg, 0.17 mmol) in dichloromethane (4 mL) is added pyridine (27 mg, 0.34 mmol). Then a solution of acryloyl chloride (12 mg, 0.17 mmol) in dichloromethane (1 mL) is added dropwise. After stirring at RT for 4 hours, the mixture is partitioned between 100 mL of dichloromethane and 100 mL of brine. The organic layer is separated from aqueous layer, washed with brine (100 mL \times 2) and dried over Na₂SO₄. The material is concentrated and purified by Pre-TLC (eluted with dichloromethane/MeOH=10/1) to afford 4 mg (5.5%) of 1-(1-acryloylpiperidin-3-yl)-5-amino-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazole-4-carboxamide as a white solid.

[00426] The enantiomers of Formula (23) provided by the procedure above may be prepared from 5-amino-3-(phenoxyphenyl)-1 *H*-pyrazole-4-carbonitrile and (*S*)-*tert*-butyl 3-hydroxypiperidine-1-carboxylate using a similar procedure (step 4 to 8) for Formula (24), or from (*R*)-*tert*-butyl 3-hydroxypiperidine-1-carboxylate using a similar procedure (step 4 to 8) for Formula (25). Under appropriate conditions recognized by one of ordinary skill in the art, a racemic mixture of Formula (23) may be separated by chiral HPLC, the crystallization of chiral

salts, or other means described above to yield Formula (24) and Formula (25) of high enantiomeric purity.

[00427] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound selected from the structures disclosed in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2015/0005277A1, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein.

[00428] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound selected from the structures disclosed in U.S. Patent No. 8,957,065, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein. In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is HM-71224, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is *N*-(3-(2-(4-(4-methylpiperazin-1-yl)phenylamino)thieno[3,2-*i*]pyrimidine-4-yl)oxy)phenyl)acrylamide, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is *N*-(3-((2-(2-methoxy-4-(4-methylpiperazin-1-yl)phenyl)amino)thieno[3,2-*i*]pyrimidin-4-yl)oxy)phenyl)acrylamide, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof.

[00429] In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is 7-acryloyl-2-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-5, 6,7,8-tetrahydro-4*H*-pyrazolo[5',1':2,3]imidazo[4,5-*c*]pyridine-3-carboxamide, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof.

[00430] Other BTK inhibitors suitable for use in the described combinations with a CD 19 inhibitor also include, but are not limited to, those described in International Patent Application Publication Nos. WO 2013/010868, WO 2012/158843, WO 2012/135944, WO 2012/135937, U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 201 1/017701 1, and U.S. Patent Nos. 8,501,751, 8,476,284, 8,008,309, 7,960,396, 7,825,1 18, 7,732,454, 7,514,444, 7,459,554, 7,405,295, and 7,393,848, the disclosures of each of which are incorporated herein by reference.

CD 19 Inhibitors, Anti-CD 19 Antibodies, and Anti-CD 19 Cell Therapies

[00431] The CD 19 inhibitor may be any CD 19 inhibitor known in the art. In particular, it is one of the CD 19 inhibitors described in more detail in the following paragraphs. In preferred embodiments, the compositions described herein provide a combination of a CD 19 inhibitor with a BTK inhibitor, or methods of using a combination of a CD 19 inhibitor with a BTK inhibitor.

[00432] In a preferred embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 antibody, such as an anti-CD 19 monoclonal antibody (*i.e.*, an antibody derived from a single cell line). In a preferred embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is an antibody that binds specifically to CD 19 antigen. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is a CD 19 receptor antagonist. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is a CD 19 receptor blocker. In some embodiments, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 antibody, such as an anti-CD 19 monoclonal antibody, conjugated to a small molecule that is cytotoxic. In some embodiments, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 antibody, such as an anti-CD¹⁹ monoclonal antibody, conjugated to a radioisotope. In some embodiments, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 antibody that effects its function through antibody-dependent cellular toxicity (ADCC), for example through NK cell cytotoxicity. In some embodiments, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 antibody that effects its function through antibody-dependent cell phagocytosis (ADCP). In some embodiments, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 antibody that effects its function through complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC).

[00433] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods described include a CD 19 inhibitor that binds human CD 19 with a K_D of about 100 pM or lower, binds human CD 19 with a K_D of about 90 pM or lower, binds human CD 19 with a K_D of about 80 pM or lower, binds human CD 19 with a K_D of about 70 pM or lower, binds human CD 19 with a K_D of about 60 pM or lower, binds human CD-19 with a K_D of about 50 pM or lower, binds human CD 19 with a K_D of about 40 pM or lower, or binds human CD 19 with a K_D of about 30 pM or lower.

[00434] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods described include a CD 19 inhibitor that binds to human CD 19 with a k_{assoc} of about 7.5×10^5 1/M·s or faster, binds to human CD 19 with a k_{assoc} of about 7.5×10^5 1/M·s or faster, binds to human CD 19 with a k_{assoc} of about 8×10^5 1/M·s or faster, binds to human CD19 with a k_{assoc} of about 8.5×10^5 1/M·s or faster, binds to human CD19 with a k_{assoc} of about 9×10^5 1/M·s or faster, binds to human CD19 with a k_{assoc} of about 9.5×10^5 1/M·s or faster, or binds to human CD19 with a k_{assoc} of about 1×10^6 1/M·s or faster.

10^6 I/Ms or faster.

[00435] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods described include a CD 19 inhibitor that binds to human CD 19 with a $k_{di_{ssoc}}$ of about 2×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human CD 19 with a $k_{di_{ssoc}}$ of about 2.1×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human CD 19 with a $k_{di_{ssoc}}$ of about 2.2×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human CD 19 with a $k_{di_{ssoc}}$ of about 2.3×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human CD 19 with a $k_{di_{ssoc}}$ of about 2.4×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human CD 19 with a $k_{di_{ssoc}}$ of about 2.5×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human CD 19 with a $k_{di_{ssoc}}$ of about 2.6×10^{-5} 1/s or slower or binds to human CD 19 with a $k_{di_{ssoc}}$ of about 2.7×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human CD 19 with a $k_{di_{ssoc}}$ of about 2.8×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human CD 19 with a $k_{di_{ssoc}}$ of about 2.9×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, or binds to human CD19 with a $k_{di_{ssoc}}$ of about 3×10^{-5} 1/s or slower.

[00436] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods described include a CD 19 inhibitor that binds to human CD 19 with an IC_{50} of about 10 nM or lower, binds to human CD 19 with an IC_{50} of about 9 nM or lower, binds to human CD 19 with an IC_{50} of about 8 nM or lower, binds to human CD 19 with an IC_{50} of about 7 nM or lower, binds to human CD 19 with an IC_{50} of about 6 nM or lower, binds to human CD 19 with an IC_{50} of about 5 nM or lower, binds to human CD 19 with an IC_{50} of about 4 nM or lower, binds to human CD 19 with an IC_{50} of about 3 nM or lower, binds to human CD 19 with an IC_{50} of about 2 nM or lower, or binds to human CD 19 with an IC_{50} of about 1 nM or lower.

[00437] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is blinatumomab, also known as AMG103, BITE MT-103, MEDI-538, and MT103, or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof. Blinatumomab is an immunoglobulin scFv-scFv construct. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has the format scFv-scFv. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has the format SCFV(VL[kappa]-VH) - (scFv-VH-VL[kappa]), where VH represents an immunoglobulin heavy chain, VL represents an immunoglobulin heavy chain, and kappa represents a human light chain encoded by the immunoglobulin kappa locus. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is a bispecific T cell engager (BITE) antibody construct. Garber, *Nature Rev. Drug Disc.* **2014**, *13*, 799-801. In an embodiment, blinatumomab has disulfide bridges located at 23-92, 148-222, 277-351, and 415-479; and N-glycosylation sites located at 307 (but a Pro located at 308). Blinatumomab has been described for the treatment of B cell diseases such as

relapsed B cell non-Hodgkin lymphoma and chronic lymphocytic leukemia. Baeuerle, *et al*, *Cancer Res.* **2009**, *69*, 4941 -4944. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor comprises a bispecific single chain antibody construct comprising binding domains specific for human CD3 and human CD19, wherein the corresponding variable heavy chain regions (V_H) and the corresponding variable light chain regions (V_L) regions are arranged, from N-terminus to C-terminus, in the order, $V_H(\text{CD19})-V_L(\text{CD19})-V_H(\text{CD3})-V_L(\text{CD3})$, or $V_H(\text{CD3})-V_L(\text{CD3})-V_H(\text{CD19})-V_L(\text{CD19})$.

[00438] In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor is an anti-CD19 biosimilar monoclonal antibody approved by drug regulatory authorities with reference to blinatumomab. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 1. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 1. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 96% to SEQ ID NO: 1. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 97% to SEQ ID NO: 1. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO: 1. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 1.

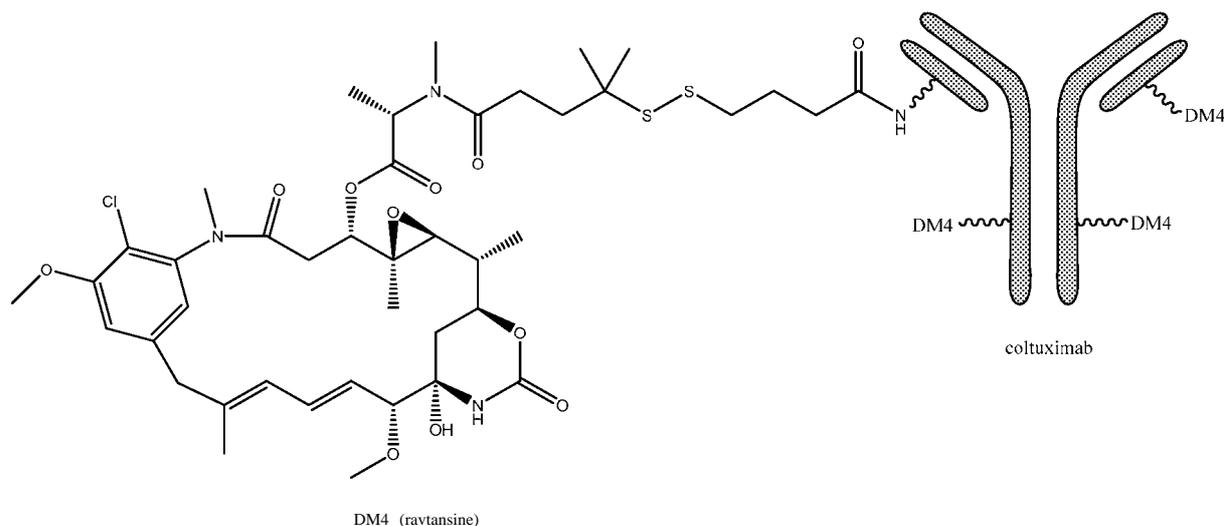
[00439] In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor is an anti-CD19 monoclonal antibody comprising a V_H region comprising at least one CDR1 region comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 2; at least one CDR2 region comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 3; and at least one CDR3 region comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 4; and a V_L region comprising at least one CDR1 region comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 5; at least one CDR2 region comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 6; and at least one CDR3 region comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 7.

[00440] In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor is an anti-CD19 antibody construct described in U.S. Patent No. 7,635,472, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein.

[00441] In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor is coltuximab, or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor is a coltuximab conjugate. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor is a coltuximab maytansinoid conjugate. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor is coltuximab ravtansine. The preparation and properties of coltuximab ravtansine are described in, *e.g.*, Hong, *et al.*, *Mol. Pharm.* **2015**, *12*, 1703-16. Coltuximab ravtansine (also known as SAR3419 or huB4-DM4) is an antibody-drug conjugate

(ADC) targeting CD19 that is a conjugate of a derivative of the potent microtubule-acting cytotoxic agent, maytansine, to a version of the anti-CD19 antibody, anti-B4, which was humanized as an IgG1 by variable domain resurfacing. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor comprises a monoclonal antibody having a heavy chain sequence of SEQ ID NO: 8, a light chain sequence of SEQ ID NO:9, intra-heavy chain disulfide bridges at the following positions: 22-96, 147-203, 264-324, 370-428, 22"-96", 147"-203", 264"-324", and 370"-428", intra-light chain disulfide bridges at the following positions: 23'-87', 13Γ-19Γ, 23'''-87''', and 131'''-191''', inter-heavy-light chain disulfide bridges at the following positions: 223-211', 223"-211Γ", inter-heavy-heavy chain bridges at the following positions: 229-229", 232-232", and N-glycosylation sites at 300 and 300', wherein the monoclonal antibody is conjugated to N2'-Deacetyl-N2'-(4-mercapto-4-methyl-1-oxopentyl)-maytansine (ravtansine; DM4) by N-succinimidyl-4-(2-pyridyldithio)butyrate (SPDB) linkers. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor is a compound of Formula (44):

Formula (44)



wherein the wavy line () represents a SPDB linker, or antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, or biosimilars thereof. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor of Formula (44) has a ravtansine (DM4) substitution, reported as a ravtansine to antibody ratio, of between 3 to 1 and 5 to 1. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor of Formula (44) has a ravtansine (DM4) substitution, reported as a ravtansine:antibody ratio, of between 3.5 to 1 and 4.5 to 1. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor of Formula (44) has an average ravtansine (DM4) substitution,

reported as a ravnansine:antibody ratio, selected from the group consisting of 3 to 1, 3.2 to 1, 3.4 to 1, 3.6 to 1, 3.8 to 1, 4.0 to 1, 4.2 to 1, 4.4 to 1, 4.6 to 1, 4.8 to 1, and 5.0 to 1.

[00442] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor includes a cleavable linker selected from the group consisting of: hydrazone and hydrazide moieties; disulfide containing linkers such as N-succinimidyl-4-(2-pyridyldithio)pentanoate (SPP) and N-succinimidyl-4-(2-pyridyldithio)butyrate (SPDB); 4-(4'-acetylphenoxy)butanoic acid (AcBut) linker; dipeptides valine-citrulline (Val-Cit) and phenylalanine-lysine (Phe-Lys) and non-cleavable linkers which include: amide moieties; SMCC (succinimidyl-4-[N-maleimidomethyl]cyclohexane-1-carboxylate) and maleimidocaproyl (mc) moieties.

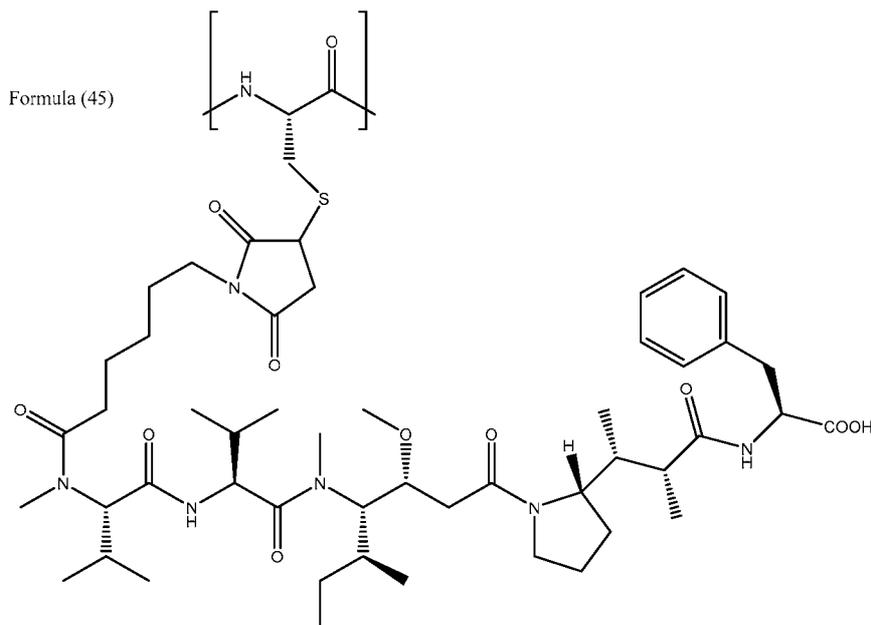
[00443] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 biosimilar monoclonal antibody or conjugate thereof approved by drug regulatory authorities with reference to coltuximab or coltuximab ravnansine. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 8. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 9. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 8. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 9. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 96% to SEQ ID NO: 8. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 96% to SEQ ID NO: 9. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 97% to SEQ ID NO: 8. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 97% to SEQ ID NO: 9. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO: 8. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO: 9. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 8. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 9.

[00444] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 monoclonal antibody comprising a V_H region comprising at least one CDR1 region comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 10; at least one CDR2 region comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 11; and at least one CDR3 region comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 12; and wherein said V_L region comprises at least one CDR1 region comprising the amino

acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 13; at least one CDR2 region comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 14; and at least one CDR3 region comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 15.

[00445] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 antibody described in U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. US 2004/0235840 A1 and US 2014/0199300 A1 and U.S. Patent Nos. 7,276,497, 7,473,796, 7,851,432, 8,435,528, and 8,841,425, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein.

[00446] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is denintuzumab, also known as huBU12, or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is a denintuzumab conjugate. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is denintuzumab mafodotin, also known as SGN-19A, SGN-CD19A, and hBU12-491, or antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, or biosimilars thereof. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor comprises a monoclonal antibody having a heavy chain sequence of SEQ ID NO: 17, a light chain sequence of SEQ ID NO: 18, disulfide bridges at the following positions: 22-97, 22"-97", 23'-87\ 23'''-87", 133'-193\ 133'''-193"\ 147-203, 147"-203", 223-213', 223"-213"\ 229-229", 232-232", 264-324, 264"-324", 370-428, and 370"-428" (where an average of two disulfide bridges are not present, giving an average of 4 cysteine linked to mafodotin), and N-glycosylation sites at Asn-300 and Asn-300", wherein the monoclonal antibody is conjugated to mafodotin via cysteine residues as shown in Formula (45):



[00447] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is an immunoglobulin G1, anti-(human CD 19 antigen) (human-Mus musculus monoclonal hBU12 heavy chain), disulfide with human-Mus musculus monoclonal hBU12 κ -chain, dimer, tetrakis(thioether) with N-[6-(3-mercapto-2,5-dioxo-1-pyrrolidinyl)-1-oxohexyl]-N-methyl-L-valyl-L-valyl-(3R,4S,5S)-3-methoxy-5-methyl-4-(methylamino)heptanoyl- (α R, β R,2S)-P-methoxy- α -methyl-2-pyrrolidinepropanoyl-L-phenylalanine. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is an immunoglobulin G1-kappa auristatin F conjugate, anti-[Homo sapiens CD 19 (B lymphocyte surface antigen B4, Leu- 12)], humanized monoclonal antibody; gammal heavy chain (1-450) [humanized VH (Homo sapiens IGHV4-31*02 (84.80%) -(IGHD)-IGHJ4*01) [10.7.12] (1-120) -Homo sapiens IGHG1*01 (CHI (121-218), hinge (219-233), CH2 (234- 343), CH3 (344-448), CHS (449-450)) (121-450)], (223-213')-disulfide with kappa light chain (1'-213') [humanized V-KAPPA (Homo sapiens IGKV3-11*01 (85.30%) -IGKJ2*02) [5.3.9] (Γ -106') - Homo sapiens IGKC*01 (107'-213')]; dimer (229-229":232-232")- bisdisulfide; conjugated, on an average of 4 cysteinyl, to monomethylauristatin F (MMAF), via a noncleavable maleimidocaproyl (mc) linker.

[00448] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 biosimilar monoclonal antibody or conjugate thereof approved by drug regulatory authorities with reference to denintuzumab or denintuzumab mafodotin. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 16. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 17. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 16. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 17. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 96% to SEQ ID NO: 16. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 96% to SEQ ID NO: 17. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 97% to SEQ ID NO: 16. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 97% to SEQ ID NO: 17. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO: 16. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO: 17. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 16. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor has a sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 17.

[00449] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor comprises an anti-CD 19 monoclonal antibody

comprising a **VH** region comprising at least one CDR1 region comprising the amino acid sequence of **SEQ ID NO: 18**; at least one CDR2 region comprising the amino acid sequence of **SEQ ID NO: 19**; and at least one CDR3 region comprising the amino acid sequence of **SEQ ID NO: 20**; and wherein said **VL** region comprises at least one CDR1 region comprising the amino acid sequence of **SEQ ID NO: 21**; at least one CDR2 region comprising the amino acid sequence of **SEQ ID NO: 22**; and at least one CDR3 region comprising the amino acid sequence of **SEQ ID NO: 23**.

[00450] In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor comprises an anti-CD19 antibody construct described in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2009/0136526 A1 and U.S. Patent No. 7,968,687, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein.

[00451] In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor comprises a single-chain variable fragment (scFv) antibody construct, or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor comprises an anti-CD19 scFv antibody comprising a variable heavy (**VH**) chain selected from the group consisting of **SEQ ID NO: 24** and **SEQ ID NO: 26**. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor comprises an anti-CD19 scFv antibody comprising a variable light (**VL**) chain selected from the group consisting of **SEQ ID NO: 25** and **SEQ ID NO: 27**. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor comprises an anti-CD19 scFv antibody, the preparation of which is described, e.g., in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2014/0271635 A1, the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor comprises an anti-CD19 scFv antibody selected from the group consisting of **SEQ ID NO: 28**, **SEQ ID NO: 29**, **SEQ ID NO: 30**, **SEQ ID NO: 31**, **SEQ ID NO: 32**, **SEQ ID NO: 33**, **SEQ ID NO: 34**, **SEQ ID NO: 35**, **SEQ ID NO: 36**, **SEQ ID NO: 37**, **SEQ ID NO: 38**, and **SEQ ID NO: 39**. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor comprises an anti-CD19 scFv antibody having a sequence identity of greater than 99% to an scFv antibody selected from the group consisting of **SEQ ID NO: 28**, **SEQ ID NO: 29**, **SEQ ID NO: 30**, **SEQ ID NO: 31**, **SEQ ID NO: 32**, **SEQ ID NO: 33**, **SEQ ID NO: 34**, **SEQ ID NO: 35**, **SEQ ID NO: 36**, **SEQ ID NO: 37**, **SEQ ID NO: 38**, and **SEQ ID NO: 39**. In an embodiment, the CD19 inhibitor comprises an anti-CD¹⁹ scFv antibody having a sequence identity of greater than 98% to an scFv antibody selected from the group consisting of **SEQ ID NO: 28**, **SEQ ID NO: 29**, **SEQ ID NO: 30**, **SEQ ID NO: 31**, **SEQ ID NO: 32**, **SEQ ID NO: 33**, **SEQ ID NO: 34**, **SEQ ID NO: 35**, **SEQ ID NO: 36**, **SEQ ID NO: 37**, **SEQ ID NO: 38**, and **SEQ ID NO: 39**.

[00452] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of MDX-1342 (Bristol-Myers Squibb), inebilizumab (also known as MEDI-551, AstraZeneca), MOR-208 (Morphosys), DT2219ARL (Scott and White Hospital and Clinic), AFM1 1 (Affimed), GBR401 (Glenmark), CD19xCD3 dual affinity retargeting antibody (DART, MacroGenics), and Combotox (Montefiore Medical Center). Additional examples of CD 19 inhibitors comprising anti-CD19 antibodies are disclosed in U.S. Patent Nos. 7,919,576; 8,097,703; 8,242,252; 7,968,687; 9,073,993; 8,679,492; 8,840,888; 7,812,116; 8,524,867; 8,679,492; 8,323,653; 8,444,973; 7,575,923; 8,147,831; 8,883,992; 8,337,840; 8,097,703; 7,902,338; 8,486,395; 8,624,001; U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. US 2009/0142349, US 2012/0294853, US 2009/0136526, US 2011/0312088, US 2009/0068235, US 2010/0272723, US 2012/0082664, US 2014/0086906, US 2008/0260731, US 2014/0112916, US 2010/0104509, US 2014/0286934, US 2010/0215651, US 2014/0271635, US 2015/0086575, US 2012/0121504, US 2012/0141505, US 2011/0165185, US 2012/0328618, US 2004/0136908, US 2005/0048071, US 2015/0071928, US 2013/0115657, US 2007/0166306, US 2014/0056896, US 2006/0233791, US 2010/0158901, US 2006/0148008, US 2011/0104150, US 2013/0084294, US 2006/0263357, US 2006/0280738, US 2009/0220501, US 2009/0246195, and US 2014/0199307; and PCT Patent Application Publication Nos. WO 2009/052431, WO 2003/055907, WO 2011/147834, WO 2010/095031, WO 2008/109493, WO 2010/132532, WO 2002/077029, WO 2002/080987, WO 2003/048209, WO 2007/082715, WO 2011/051307, and WO 2012/146394, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein.

[00453] Non-limiting embodiments of anti-CD 19 antibody amino acid sequences are summarized in Table 1.

TABLE 1. Anti-CD 19 antibody sequences.

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)
SEQ ID NO:1 blinatumomab	DIQLTQSPAS LAVSLGQRAT ISCKASQSV D YDGSYLNWY QQIPGQPPKL LIYDASNLVS 60 GIPPRFSGSG SGTDFTLNIH PVEKVDAATY HCQQSTEDPW TFGGGTKLEI KGGGGSGGGG 120 SGGGGSQVQL QSGAELVRP GSSVKISCKA SGYAFSSYWM NWKQRPQGQ LEWIGQIWPQ 180 DGDNTYNGKF KGKATLTADE SSSTAYMQLS SLASEDSAVY FCARRETTTV GRYYYYAMDY 240 GQGTTVTVSS GGGGSDIKLQ QSGAELARPG ASVKMSCKTS GYTFTRYTMH WVKQRPQGL 300 EWIGYINPSR GYTNYNQKFK DKATLTTDKS SSTAYMQLSS LTSSEDSAVY CARYYDDHYC 360 LDYWGQGTTL TVSSVEGGSG GSGGSGGSGG VDDIQLTQSP AIMSASPGEK VTMTCRASSS 420 VSYMNWYQQK SGTSPKRWIY DTSKVASGVP YRFGSGSGSGT SYSLTISSME AEDAATYYCQ 480 QWSSNPLTFG AGTKLELKH HHHH 504
SEQ ID NO:2 blinatumomab variable heavy chain CDR1	GYTFTRYTMH 10

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)
SEQ ID NO:3 blinatumomab variable heavy chain CDR2	YINPSRGYTN YNQKVK 16
SEQ ID NO:4 blinatumomab variable heavy chain CDR3	YYDDHYCLDY 10
SEQ ID NO:5 blinatumomab variable light chain CDR1	RASSSVSYMN 10
SEQ ID NO:6 blinatumomab variable light chain CDR2	DTSKVAS 7
SEQ ID NO:7 blinatumomab variable light chain CDR3	QQWSSNPLT 9
SEQ ID NO:8 coltuximab heavy chain	QVQLVQPGAE WKPGASVKL SCKTSGYFT SNWMHWKQA PGQGLEWIGE IDPSDSYTN 60 NQNFQKAKL TVDKSTSTAY MEVSSLRSDD TAVYYCARGS NPYYYAMDYV GQGTSTVTVSS 120 ASTKGPSVFP LAPSSKSTSG GTAALGCLVK DYFPEPVTVS WNSGALTSKV HTFPVAVLQSS 180 GLYSLSSWT VPSSSLGTQT YICNVNHKPS NTKVDKKEV KSCDKTHTCP PCPAPPELLGG 240 PSVFLFPPKP KDTLMI SRTP EVTCVWDVS HEDPEVKFNW YVDGVEVHNA KTKPREEQYN 300 STYRWSVLT VLHQDWLNGK EYKCKVSNKA LPAPIEKTIS KAKGQPREPQ VYTLPPSRDE 360 LTKNQVSLTC LVKGFYPSDI AVEWESNGQP ENNYKTPPV LDSDGSFFLY SKLTVDKSRW 420 QQGNVFSCSV MHEALHNHYT QKSLSLSPGK 450
SEQ ID NO:9 coltuximab light chain	EIVLTQSPAI MSASPGERV MTCSASSGVN YMHVYQKPG TSPRRWI YDT SKLASGVPAR 60 FSGSGSGTDY SLTISSMEPE DAATYYCHQR GSYTFGGGK LEIKRTVAAP SVFIFPPSDE 120 QLKSGTASW CLLNMFYPRE AKVQWKVDNA LQSGNSQESV TEQDSKDYT SLSSTLTLTK 180 ADYEKHKVYA CEVTHQGLSS PVTKSFNRGE C 211
SEQ ID NO:10 coltuximab variable heavy chain CDR1	SNWMH 5
SEQ ID NO:11 coltuximab variable heavy chain CDR2	EIDPSDS YTN 10
SEQ ID NO:12 coltuximab variable heavy chain CDR3	GSNPYYYAMD Y 11
SEQ ID NO:13 coltuximab variable light chain CDR1	SASSGVNYMH 10
SEQ ID NO:14 coltuximab variable light chain CDR2	DTSKLAS 7
SEQ ID NO:15 coltuximab variable light chain CDR3	HQRGSYT 7
SEQ ID NO:16 denintuzumab heavy chain	QVQLQESGPG LVKPSQTLISL TCTVSGGSIS TSGMGVWIR QHPGKLEWI GHIWDDDKR 60 YNPALKSRVT ISVDTSKNQF SLKLSVTAA DTAVYYCARM ELWSYFDYV GQGTSLTVSS 120 ASTKGPSVFP LAPSSKSTSG GTAALGCLVK DYFPEPVTVS WNSGALTSKV HTFPVAVLQSS 180 GLYSLSSWT VPSSSLGTQT YICNVNHKPS NTKVDKKEV KSCDKTHTCP PCPAPPELLGG 240 PSVFLFPPKP KDTLMI SRTP EVTCVWDVS HEDPEVKFNW YVDGVEVHNA KTKPREEQYN 300 STYRWSVLT VLHQDWLNGK EYKCKVSNKA LPAPIEKTIS KAKGQPREPQ VYTLPPSRDE 360 LTKNQVSLTC LVKGFYPSDI AVEWESNGQP ENNYKTPPV LDSDGSFFLY SKLTVDKSRW 420 QQGNVFSCSV MHEALHNHYT QKSLSLSPGK 450
SEQ ID NO:17 denintuzumab	EIVLTQSPAT LSLSPGERAT LSCSASSSVS YMHVYQKPG QAPRLIYDT SKLASGI PAR 60 FSGSGSGTDF TLTISLEPE DVAVYYCFQG SVYPTFGQG TKLEIKRTVA APSVIFPPS 120

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)	
light chain	DEQLKSGTAS WCLLNNFYP REAKVQWKVD NALQSGNSQE SVTEQDSKDS TYSLSSTLTL SKADYEKHKV YACEVTHQGL SSPVTKSFNR GEC	180 213
SEQ ID NO:18 denintuzumab variable heavy chain CDR1	TSGMGVG	7
SEQ ID NO:19 denintuzumab variable heavy chain CDR2	HIWDDDKRY NPALKS	16
SEQ ID NO:20 denintuzumab variable heavy chain CDR3	MELWS YYFDY	10
SEQ ID NO:21 denintuzumab variable light chain CDR1	SASSSVSYMH	10
SEQ ID NO:22 denintuzumab variable light chain CDR2	DTSKLAS	7
SEQ ID NO:23 denintuzumab variable light chain CDR3	FQGSVYPFT	9
SEQ ID NO:24 FMC63 scFv variable heavy chain (V _H) domain	DIQMTQTTSS LSASLGDRVT ISCRASQDIS KYLNWYQQKP DGTVKLLIYH TSRLHSGVPS RFSGSGSGTD YSLTISNLEQ EDIATYFCQQ GNTLPYTFGG GTKLEIT	60 107
SEQ ID NO:25 FMC63 scFv variable light chain (V _L) domain	EVKLQESGPG LVAPSQSLSV TCTVSGVSLP DYGVSWIRQP PRKGLEWLGV IWGSETTYYN SALKSRLTII KDNSKSNQVFL KMNSLQTDIT A IYYCAKHYY YGGSYAMDYV GQGTSTVTVSS	60 120
SEQ ID NO:26 SJ25C1 scFv variable heavy chain (V _H) domain	LESQAELVRP GSSVKISCKA SGYAFSSYWM NWKVQRPQGG LEWIGQIYPG DGDTNYNGKF KGQATLTADK SSSTAYMQLS GLTSEDSAVY SCARKTISSV VDFYFDNWGQ GTTVT	60 115
SEQ ID NO:27 SJ25C1 scFv variable light chain (V _L) domain	ELVLTQSPKF MSTSVGDRVS VTCASQNVG TNVAWYQQKP GQSPKPLIYS ATYRNSGVDP RFTGSGSGTD FTLTITNVQS KDLADYFYFC QYRNPYPTSG GGTKLEIKRR S	60 111
SEQ ID NO:28 humanized scFv domain	EIVMTQSPAT LSLSPGERAT LSCRASQDIS KYLNWYQQKP GQAPRLLIYH TSRLHSGIPA RFSGSGSGTD YTLTISSLQP EDFAVYFCQQ GNTLPYTFGQ GTKLEIKGGG GSGGGGSGGG GSQVQLQESG PGLVKPSETL SLTCTVSGVS LPDYGVSWIR QPPGKGLEWI GVIWGSETTY YSSSLKSRVT ISKDNSKNQV SLKLSSVTAA DTAVYYCAKH YYYGGSYAMD YWQGTSLVTV SS	60 120 180 240 242
SEQ ID NO:29 humanized scFv domain	EIVMTQSPAT LSLSPGERAT LSCRASQDIS KYLNWYQQKP GQAPRLLIYH TSRLHSGIPA RFSGSGSGTD YTLTISSLQP EDFAVYFCQQ GNTLPYTFGQ GTKLEIKGGG GSGGGGSGGG GSQVQLQESG PGLVKPSETL SLTCTVSGVS LPDYGVSWIR QPPGKGLEWI GVIWGSETTY YSSSLKSRVT ISKDNSKNQV SLKLSSVTAA DTAVYYCAKH YYYGGSYAMD YWQGTSLVTV SS	60 120 180 240 242
SEQ ID NO:30 humanized scFv domain	QVQLQESGPG LVKPSSETLSL TCTVSGVSLP DYGVSWIRQP PGKLEWIGV IWGSETTYYS SSLKSRVTIS KDNSKNQVSL KLSSVTAADT AVYYCAKHYY YGGSYAMDYV GQGTSLVTVSS GGGGSGGGGS GGGGSEIVMT QSPATLSLSP GERATLSCRA SQDISKYLNV YQKPKGQAPR LLIYHTRSLH SGIPARFSGS GSGTDYTLTI SSLQPEDFAV YFCQQGNTLP YTFGQGTKLE IK	60 120 180 240 242
SEQ ID NO:31 humanized scFv domain	QVQLQESGPG LVKPSSETLSL TCTVSGVSLP DYGVSWIRQP PGKLEWIGV IWGSETTYIQ SSLKSRVTIS KDNSKNQVSL KLSSVTAADT AVYYCAKHYY YGGSYAMDYV GQGTSLVTVSS GGGGSGGGGS GGGGSEIVMT QSPATLSLSP GERATLSCRA SQDISKYLNV YQKPKGQAPR LLIYHTRSLH SGIPARFSGS GSGTDYTLTI SSLQPEDFAV YFCQQGNTLP YTFGQGTKLE IK	60 120 180 240 242
SEQ ID NO:32 humanized scFv domain	EIVMTQSPAT LSLSPGERAT LSCRASQDIS KYLNWYQQKP GQAPRLLIYH TSRLHSGIPA RFSGSGSGTD YTLTISSLQP EDFAVYFCQQ GNTLPYTFGQ GTKLEIKGGG GSGGGGSGGG GSGGGGSQVQ LQESGPGLVK PSETLSLTCT VSGVSLPDYV VSWIRQPPGK GLEWIGVIWV SETTYYSLSL KSRVTI SKDN SKNQVSLKLS SVTAADTAVY YCAKHYYGG SYAMDYWGQ	60 120 180 240

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)						
	TLVTVSS						247
SEQ ID NO:33 humanized scFv domain	EIVMTQSPAT RFSGSGSGTD GSGGGGSQVQ SETTYYQSSL TLVTVSS	LSLSPGERAT YTLTISLQP LQESGPGLVK KSRVTI SKDN	LSCRASQDIS EDFAVYFCQQ PSETLSLTCT SKNQVSLKLS	KYLNWYQQKP GNTLPTYTFGQ VSGVSLPDYG SVTAADTAVY	GQAPRLLIYH GTKLEIKGGG VSWIRQPPGK YCAKHYYGG	TSRLHSGIPA GSGGGGSGGG GLEWIGVIWG SYAMDYWGQG	60 120 180 240 247
SEQ ID NO:34 humanized scFv domain	QVQLQESGPG SSLKSRVTIS GGGGSGGGGS GQAPRLLIYH GTKLEIK	LVKPSSETLSL KDNSKNQVSL GGGGSGGGGS TSRLHSGIPA	TCTVSGVSLP KLSSVTAADT EIVMTQSPAT RFSGSGSGTD	DYGVSWIRQP AVYYCAKHYY LSSLSPGERAT YTLTISLQP	PGKGLEWIGV YGGSYAMDYW LSCRASQDIS EDFAVYFCQQ	IWGSETTYYS GQGLTLTVSS KYLNWYQQKP GNTLPTYTFGQ	60 120 180 240 247
SEQ ID NO:35 humanized scFv domain	QVQLQESGPG SSLKSRVTIS GGGGSGGGGS GQAPRLLIYH GTKLEIK	LVKPSSETLSL KDNSKNQVSL GGGGSGGGGS TSRLHSGIPA	TCTVSGVSLP KLSSVTAADT EIVMTQSPAT RFSGSGSGTD	DYGVSWIRQP AVYYCAKHYY LSSLSPGERAT YTLTISLQP	PGKGLEWIGV YGGSYAMDYW LSCRASQDIS EDFAVYFCQQ	IWGSETTYIQ GQGLTLTVSS KYLNWYQQKP GNTLPTYTFGQ	60 120 180 240 247
SEQ ID NO:36 humanized scFv domain	EIVMTQSPAT RFSGSGSGTD GSGGGGSQVQ SETTYYNSSL TLVTVSS	LSLSPGERAT YTLTISLQP LQESGPGLVK KSRVTI SKDN	LSCRASQDIS EDFAVYFCQQ PSETLSLTCT SKNQVSLKLS	KYLNWYQQKP GNTLPTYTFGQ VSGVSLPDYG SVTAADTAVY	GQAPRLLIYH GTKLEIKGGG VSWIRQPPGK YCAKHYYGG	TSRLHSGIPA GSGGGGSGGG GLEWIGVIWG SYAMDYWGQG	60 120 180 240 247
SEQ ID NO:37 humanized scFv domain	QVQLQESGPG SSLKSRVTIS GGGGSGGGGS GQAPRLLIYH GTKLEIK	LVKPSSETLSL KDNSKNQVSL GGGGSGGGGS TSRLHSGIPA	TCTVSGVSLP KLSSVTAADT EIVMTQSPAT RFSGSGSGTD	DYGVSWIRQP AVYYCAKHYY LSSLSPGERAT YTLTISLQP	PGKGLEWIGV YGGSYAMDYW LSCRASQDIS EDFAVYFCQQ	IWGSETTYYN GQGLTLTVSS KYLNWYQQKP GNTLPTYTFGQ	60 120 180 240 247
SEQ ID NO:38 humanized scFv domain	EIVMTQSPAT RFSGSGSGTD GSQVQLQESG YNSLKRVT SS	LSLSPGERAT YTLTISLQP PGLVKPSETL ISKDNSKNQV	LSCRASQDIS EDFAVYFCQQ SLTCTVSGVS SLKLSVTA	KYLNWYQQKP GNTLPTYTFGQ LPDYGVSWIR DTAVYYCAKH	GQAPRLLIYH GTKLEIKGGG QPPGKLEWI YYYGGSYAMD	TSRLHSGIPA GSGGGGSGGG GVIWGSETTY YWGQGLTVTV	60 120 180 240 242
SEQ ID NO:39 humanized scFv domain	QVQLQESGPG SSLKSRVTIS GGGGSGGGGS LLIYHTSRLH IK	LVKPSSETLSL KDNSKNQVSL GGGGSEIVMT SGIPARFSGS	TCTVSGVSLP KLSSVTAADT QSPATLSLSP GSGTDYTLTI	DYGVSWIRQP AVYYCAKHYY GERATLSCRA SSLQPEDFAV	PGKGLEWIGV YGGSYAMDYW SQDISKYLNW YFCQQGNTLP	IWGSETTYYN GQGLTLTVSS YQKPKGQAPR YTFGQGTKLE	60 120 180 240 242

[00454] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is a cell modified to express an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is a T cell modified to express an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor (CAR-T). In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is a CD8⁺ T cell modified to express an anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor (CAR-T). In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is a natural killer (NK) cell modified to express an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor (CAR-NK). In an embodiment, the chimeric antigen receptor includes an intracellular signaling domain, a transmembrane domain, and an anti-CD 19 extracellular domain. In an embodiment, the chimeric antigen receptor includes an intracellular signaling domain, a transmembrane domain, and an anti-CD 19 extracellular domain wherein the heavy variable chain is selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:24 and SEQ ID NO:26 and the light variable chain is selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:25 and SEQ ID NO:27. In an embodiment, the chimeric antigen receptor includes an intracellular signaling domain, a

transmembrane domain, and an anti-CD 19 extracellular domain selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29, SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:32, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34, SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:37, SEQ ID NO:38, and SEQ ID NO:39. In an embodiment, the chimeric antigen receptor includes an intracellular signaling domain, a transmembrane domain, and an anti-CD 19 extracellular domain, wherein the anti-CD 19 extracellular domain has a sequence identity of greater than 99% to a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29, SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:32, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34, SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:37, SEQ ID NO:38, and SEQ ID NO:39. In an embodiment, the chimeric antigen receptor includes an intracellular signaling domain, a transmembrane domain, and an anti-CD 19 extracellular domain, wherein the anti-CD 19 extracellular domain has a sequence identity of greater than 98% to a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29, SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:32, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34, SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:37, SEQ ID NO:38, and SEQ ID NO:39. In an embodiment, the chimeric antigen receptor includes an intracellular signaling domain, a transmembrane domain, and an anti-CD 19 extracellular domain, wherein the anti-CD 19 extracellular domain has a sequence identity of greater than 97% to a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29, SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:32, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34, SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:37, SEQ ID NO:38, and SEQ ID NO:39. In an embodiment, the chimeric antigen receptor includes an intracellular signaling domain, a transmembrane domain, and an anti-CD 19 extracellular domain, wherein the anti-CD 19 extracellular domain has a sequence identity of greater than 96% to a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29, SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:32, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34, SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:37, SEQ ID NO:38, and SEQ ID NO:39. In an embodiment, the chimeric antigen receptor includes an intracellular signaling domain, a transmembrane domain, and an anti-CD 19 extracellular domain, wherein the anti-CD 19 extracellular domain has a sequence identity of greater than 95% to a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29, SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:32, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34, SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:37, SEQ ID NO:38, and SEQ ID NO:39. In an embodiment, the chimeric antigen receptor includes an intracellular signaling domain, a

transmembrane domain, and an anti-CD 19 extracellular domain wherein the anti-CD 19 extracellular domain is a Fab.

[00455] In an embodiment, anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptors may be prepared by synthesis of polynucleotides translated from any of the sequences provided herein, followed by insertion of the polynucleotide into a viral vector to transduce cells that produce virus for transfection of isolated human T cells or NK cells, which may be expanded and subsequently adoptively transferred back into the human to treat a disease. In an embodiment, a lentiviral vector is used to transduce cells that produce virus for transfection of isolated human T cells or NK cells, which may be subsequently adoptively transferred back into the human to treat a disease. Suitable lentiviral transduction methods for T cells and NK cells are described in U.S. Patent No. 6,627,442, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein. Lentiviral transduction is generally described in Dull, *etal*, *J. Virology* **1998**, *72*, 8463-71, and Zufferey, *etal*, *Nature Biotechnol.* **1997**, *15*, 871-75. In an embodiment, a gammaretroviral vector is used to transduce cells that produce virus for transfection of isolated human T cells or NK cells, which may be subsequently adoptively transferred back into the human to treat a disease. In an embodiment, ribonucleic acid (RNA) electroporation is used to transduce isolated human T cells or NK cells, which may be subsequently adoptively transferred back into the human to treat a disease. Suitable RNA electroporation methods are described in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0227237 A1, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein. RNA electroporation methods suitable for use with CARs are generally described in Zhao, *etal*, *Cancer Res.* **2010**, *70*, 9053-61. In an embodiment, transposon based methods such as the Sleeping Beauty (SB) system are used to transduce isolated human T cells or NK cells, which may be subsequently adoptively transferred back into the human to treat a disease. Suitable SB transposon methods are described in International Patent Application Publication No. WO 2014/1 86469 A2, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein. SB transposon systems suitable for use with CARs are generally described in Hackett, *etal*, *Mol. Therapy* **2010**, *18*, 674-83.

[00456] In an embodiment, the adoptively transferred cells are autologous. In an embodiment, the adoptively transferred cells are allogeneic. The preparation of allogeneic cells is described in US 2014/0349402 A1, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference herein.

[00457] In an embodiment, the transfected T cells or NK cells are expanded prior to adoptive transfer to a human. Suitable expansion methods for T cells and NK cells are described in U.S. Patent Nos. 5,858,358; 7,977,095; 7,435,596; and 8,026,097; and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2015/0225697 A1, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein. In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hyperproliferative disease in a patient, comprising co-administering to a mammal in need thereof therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a plurality of T cells or NK cells modified to express an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor (CAR), wherein the plurality of T cells or NK cells is first obtained from the patient by apheresis, the plurality of T cells or NK cells is modified to express the CAR by viral transfection, the plurality of T cells or NK cells is expanded and activated by a cell expansion method, and the plurality of T cells or NK cells is adoptively transferred (*e.g.*, by injection or transplantation) into the patient, and (2) a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof.

[00458] The preparation of anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptors suitable for use with the presently discloses methods and compositions is described in U.S. Patent Nos. 7,446,179 and 7,446,190, and U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. US 2004/0126363 A1, US 2015/0038684 A1, US 2013/0287748 A1, and US 2013/0288368 A1, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein.

[00459] In an embodiment, the anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor includes one or more signaling domains selected from the group consisting of a CD3 ζ signaling domain, a CD28 signaling domain, a 4-1BB (CD137) signaling domain, a CD27 signaling domain, an ICOS signaling domain, an OX40 signaling domain, an Fc γ RIII signaling domain, and an Fc ϵ RI signaling domain. In an embodiment, the anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor includes one or more signaling domains selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41, and SEQ ID NO:42. In an embodiment, the anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor includes one or more signaling domains with a sequence identity of greater than 99% to a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41, and SEQ ID NO:42. In an embodiment, the anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor includes one or more signaling domains with a sequence identity of greater than 98% to a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41, and SEQ ID NO:42. In an embodiment, the anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor includes one or more signaling domains with a sequence identity of

greater than 97% to a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41, and SEQ ID NO:42. In an embodiment, the anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor includes one or more signaling domains with a sequence identity of greater than 96% to a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41, and SEQ ID NO:42. In an embodiment, the anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor includes one or more signaling domains with a sequence identity of greater than 95% to a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41, and SEQ ID NO:42. Several non-limiting signaling domains for use with chimeric antigen receptors are given in Table 2. Signaling domains suitable for use with CD19 chimeric antigen receptors are described in U.S. Patent Nos. 6,410,319; 7,446,190; 7,070,995 and 7,265,209; and U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. US 2014/0219975 A1, US 2014/0322275 A1, US 2015/0031624 A1, and US 2014/0301993, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein.

[00460] In an embodiment, the anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor includes a transmembrane domain. In an embodiment, the anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor includes a hinge domain. Suitable, non-limiting transmembrane and hinge domains for use with anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptors are given in SEQ ID NO:43 and SEQ ID NO:44 in Table 2. Other suitable transmembrane and hinge domains for use with CD 19 chimeric antigen receptors are described below in the examples of chimeric antigen receptors, and also in U.S. Patent Nos. 7,446,179 and 7,446,190, and U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. US 2004/0126363 A1, US 2015/0038684 A1, US 2013/0287748 A1, and US 2013/0288368 A1, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein.

TABLE 2. Signaling, transmembrane, and hinge domains for use with anti-CD 19 CARs.

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)	
SEQ ID NO:40 CD3(signaling domain)	RVKFSRSADA PAYQQGQNQL YNELNLGRRE EYDVLDKRRG RDPEMGGKPR RKNPQEGLYN ELQKDKMAEA YSEIGMKGER RRGKGDGLY QGLSTATKDT YDALHMQALP PR	60 112
SEQ ID NO:41 CD28 signaling domain	RSKRSRLLS DYMNMTPRRP GPTRKHYQPY APPRDFAAAYR S	41
SEQ ID NO:42 4-1BB (CD137) signaling domain	KRGRKLLLYI FKQPFMRPVQ TTQEEGDCSC RFPEEEEGGC EL	42
SEQ ID NO:43 CD8a transmembrane domain	IYIWAPLACT CGVLLLSLVI TLYC	24
SEQ ID NO:44 CD8a hinge	TTTPAPRPPT PAPTIASQPL SLRPEACRPA AGGAVHTRGL DFACD	45

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)
domain	

[00461] In a preferred embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor selected from the group consisting of an anti-CD19:transmembrane:CD3 ζ chimeric antigen receptor, an anti-CD19:transmembrane:4-1BB:CD3 ζ chimeric antigen receptor, an anti-CD19:transmembrane:CD28:CD3 ζ chimeric antigen receptor, an anti-CD19:transmembrane:4-1BB:CD28:CD3ζ chimeric antigen receptor, an anti-CD19:transmembrane:CD28:4-1BB:CD3 ζ chimeric antigen receptor, an anti-CD19:transmembrane:CD27 chimeric antigen receptor, an anti-CD19:transmembrane:CD27:CD3 ζ chimeric antigen receptor, an anti-CD 19:transmembrane:OX40 chimeric antigen receptor, and an anti-CD19:transmembrane:OX40:CD3 ζ chimeric antigen receptor. In an embodiment, the anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor further comprises a "suicide switch" domain that allows for cells transduced with the receptor to be controlled through, *e.g.*, administration of a compound to a subject to activate the switch. In an embodiment, the suicide switch is a caspase 9 suicide switch.

[00462] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:45, SEQ ID NO:46, SEQ ID NO:47, SEQ ID NO:48, SEQ ID NO:49, SEQ ID NO:50, SEQ ID NO:51, SEQ ID NO:52, SEQ ID NO:53, SEQ ID NO: 54, SEQ ID NO: 55, SEQ ID NO: 56, SEQ ID NO: 57, SEQ ID NO: 58, and SEQ ID NO:59. Other suitable anti-CD19 CARs are described in U.S. Patent Nos. 7,446,179 and 7,446,190, and U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. US 2004/0126363 AI, US 2015/0038684 AI, US 2013/0287748 AI, and US 2013/0288368 AI, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein. Suitable anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor amino acid sequences are given in Table 3.

TABLE 3. Anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor sequences.

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)							
SEQ ID NO: 45 murine anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor (anti-CD19:CD8a:4-1BB:CD3<)	MALPVTALLL	PLALLLHAAR	PDIQMTQTTS	SLSASLGDRV	TISCRASQDI	SKYLNWYQQK	60	
	PDGTVKLLI	YHTSRLHSGVP	SRFSGSGSGT	DYSLTI SNLE	QEEDIATYFCQ	QGNTLPYTFG	120	
	GGTKLEITGG	GGSGGGGSGG	GGSEVKLQES	GPGLVAPSQS	LSVTCTVSGV	SLPDYGVSWI	180	
	RQPPRGLEW	LGVWIGSETT	YNSALKSRL	TIKDNSKSQ	VFLKMNSLQT	DDTAI YYCAK	240	
	HYYYGGS YAM	DYWGQGTSVT	VSSTTTPAPR	PPTPAPTIAS	QPLSLRPEAC	RPAAGGAVHT	300	
	RGLDFACDIY	IWAPLAGTCG	VLLLSLVITL	YCKRGRKLL	YIFKQPFMRP	VQTTQEEDGC	360	
	SCRFPPEEEG	GCELRVKFSR	SADAPAYQQG	QNQLYNELNL	GRREEYDVL	KRRGRDPPEM	420	
	GKPRRKNPQE	GLYNELQKDK	MAEAYSEIGM	KGERRRGKGH	DGLYQGLSTA	TKDITYDALHM	480	
	QALPPR						486	
	SEQ ID NO: 46 anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor (anti-CD19 : IgG1Fc:CD3<)	MLLLVTSLLL	CELPHPAFLL	IPDIQMTQTT	SLSASLGDR	VTISCRASQD	ISKYLNWYQQ	60
	KPDGTVKLLI	YHTSRLHSGV	PSRFSGSGSG	TDYSLTISNL	EQEDIATYFC	QGNTLPYTF	120	
GGTKLEITG	STSGSGKPGS	GEGSTKGEVK	LQESGPGLVA	PSQSLSVTCT	VSGVSLPDYG	180		
YSWIRQPPRK	GLEWLGVWIG	SETTYNSAL	KSRLTI IKDN	SKSQVFLKMN	SLQTDDTAIY	240		
YCAKHYYGG	SYAMDYWGQ	TSVTVSSVEP	KSSDKTHTCP	PCPAPPELLGG	PSVFLFPPK	300		
KDTLMISRTP	EVTCVWDV	HEDPEVKFNW	YVDGVEVHNA	KTKPREEQYN	STYRWSVLT	360		
VLHQDWLNGK	EYKCKVSNKA	LPAPIEKTI	KAKGQPREPQ	VYTLPPSRDE	LTKNQVSLTC	420		
LVKGFYPSDI	AVEWESNGQP	ENNYKTTPPV	LDSDGSPFLY	SKLTVDKSRW	QQGNVFCV	480		
MHEALHNHYT	QKSLSLSPGK	MALIVLGGVA	GLLLFIFGLGI	FFRVKFSRSA	DAPAYQQGN	540		
QLYNELNLGR	REEYDVLDR	RGRDPEMGGK	PRRKNPQEG	YNELQKDKMA	EAYSEIGMK	600		
ERRRGKHGDG	LYOGLSTATK	DTYDALHMOA	LPPR			634		
SEQ ID NO: 47 anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor (anti-CD19ScFv: IgG4hinge : CD28tm: 4IBB: CD3Zeta: T2A: EGFRT)	MLLLVTSLLL	CELPHPAFLL	IPDIQMTQTT	SLSASLGDR	VTISCRASQD	ISKYLNWYQQ	60	
	KPDGTVKLLI	YHTSRLHSGV	PSRFSGSGSG	TDYSLTISNL	EQEDIATYFC	QGNTLPYTF	120	
	GGTKLEITG	STSGSGKPGS	GEGSTKGEVK	LQESGPGLVA	PSQSLSVTCT	VSGVSLPDYG	180	
	YSWIRQPPRK	GLEWLGVWIG	SETTYNSAL	KSRLTI IKDN	SKSQVFLKMN	SLQTDDTAIY	240	
	YCAKHYYGG	SYAMDYWGQ	TSVTVSSVEP	YGPCCPPCPM	FVWLVWGGV	LACYSLLVTV	300	
	AFIIFWVKRG	RKKLLYI FKQ	PFMRPVQTTQ	EEDGCSCRFP	EEEEGGCELR	VKFSRSADAP	360	
	AYQQGQNLQY	NELNLGRREE	YDVLDRRGR	DPEMGGKPRR	KNPQEGLYNE	LQKDKMAEAY	420	
	SEIGMKGER	RKGHGDGLY	GLSTATKDTY	DALHMQALPP	RLEGGGEGRG	SLTCCGDVEE	480	
	NPGPRMLLLV	TSLLLCELPH	PAFLLIIPRKV	CNIGIGIEFK	DSLSINATNI	KHFNKCTSI	540	
	GDLHILPVA	RGDSFTHTPP	LDPQELDILK	TVKEITGFL	IQAWPENRTD	LHAFENLEI	600	
	RGRTKQHGQF	SLAWSLNT	SLGLRSLKEI	SDGDVIIISGN	KNLCYANTIN	WKKLFGTSGQ	660	
	KTKIISNRGE	NSCKATGQVC	HALCSPEGCW	GPEPRDCVSC	RNVSRGRECV	DKCNLLEGE	720	
	REFVENSECI	QCHPECLPQA	MNITCTGRGP	DNCIQCAHYI	DGPHCVKTC	AGVMGENNTL	780	
	VWKYADAGHV	CHLCHPNCTY	GCTGPGLEGC	PTNGPKIPSI	ATGMVGALLL	LLWALGIGL	840	
	FM						842	
	SEQ ID NO: 48 humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor (anti-CD19:CD8a:4-1BB:CD3<)	MALPVTALLL	PLALLLHAAR	PEIVMTQSPA	TLSLSPGERA	TLSCRASQDI	SKYLNWYQQK	60
PGQAPRLLIY		HTSRLHSGIP	ARFSGSGSGT	DYTLTISLQ	PEDFAVYFCQ	QGNTLPYTFG	120	
QGTKLEIKGG		GGSGGGGSGG	GGSQVLQES	GPGLVKPSET	LSLTCTVSGV	SLPDYGVSWI	180	
RQPPGKLEW		IGVIWGETT	YSSSLKSRV	TISKDNSKNQ	VSLKLSVTA	ADTAVYYCAK	240	
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		PGQAPRLLIY	HTSRLHSGIP	ARFSGSGSGT	DYTLTISLQ	PEDFAVYFCQ	QGNTLPYTFG	120
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	SCRFPPEEEG	GCELRVKFSR	SADAPAYKQG	QNQLYNELNL	GRREEYDVL	KRRGRDPPEM	420	
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	QALPPR						486	
	SEQ ID NO: 50 humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor (anti-CD19:CD8a:4-1BB:CD3<)	MALPVTALLL	PLALLLHAAR	PQVQLQESGP	GLVKPSETLS	LTCTVSGVSL	PDYGVSWIRQ	60
		PPGKGLEWIG	VIWGSETTY	SSSLKSRVTI	SKDNSKNQVS	LKLSSVTAAD	TAVYYCAKHY	120
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SCRFPPEEEG		GCELRVKFSR	SADAPAYKQG	QNQLYNELNL	GRREEYDVL	KRRGRDPPEM	420	
GKPRRKNPQE		GLYNELQKDK	MAEAYSEIGM	KGERRRGKGH	DGLYQGLSTA	TKDITYDALHM	480	
QALPPR							486	
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Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)							
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	SCRFPFEEEG	GCELRVKFSR	SADAPAYKQG	QNQLYNELNL	GRREEYDVLD	KRRGRDPERM	420	
	GKPRRKNPQE	GLYNELQKDK	MAEAYSEIGM	KGERRRGKGH	DGLYQGLSTA	TKDITYDALHM	480	
	QALPPR						486	
	SEQ ID NO:52	MALPVTALLL	PLALLLHAAR	PEIVMTQSPA	TLSLSPGERA	TLSCRASQDI	SKYLNWYQQK	60
	humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor (anti-CD19:CD8a:4-1BB:CD3<)	PGQAPRLLIY	HTSRLHSGIP	ARFSGSGSGT	DYTLTISSLQ	PEDFAVYFCQ	QGNTLPYTFG	120
		QGTKLEIKGG	GGSGGGGSGG	GGSGGGGSQV	QLQESGPGLV	KPSETLSLTC	TVSGVSLPDY	180
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	EEDGCSCRFP	EEEEGGCELR	VKFSRSADAP	AYKQGQNQLY	NELNLGRREE	YDVLDKRRGR	420	
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	DALHMQALPP	R					491	
SEQ ID NO:53 humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor (anti-CD19:CD8a:4-1BB:CD3<)	MALPVTALLL	PLALLLHAAR	PEIVMTQSPA	TLSLSPGERA	TLSCRASQDI	SKYLNWYQQK	60	
	PGQAPRLLIY	HTSRLHSGIP	ARFSGSGSGT	DYTLTISSLQ	PEDFAVYFCQ	QGNTLPYTFG	120	
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	DALHMQALPP	R					491	
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PPGKGLEWIG		VIWGSSETTY	SSSLKSRVTI	SKDNSKNQVS	LKLSSVTAAD	TAVYYCAKHY	120	
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SEQ ID NO:55 humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor (anti-CD19:CD8a:4-1BB:CD3<)		MALPVTALLL	PLALLLHAAR	PQVQLQESGP	GLVKPSETLS	LTCTVSGVSL	PDYGVSWIRQ	60
	PPGKGLEWIG	VIWGSSETTY	QSSSLKSRVTI	SKDNSKNQVS	LKLSSVTAAD	TAVYYCAKHY	120	
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	SEQ ID NO:56 humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor (anti-CD19:CD8a:4-1BB:CD3<)	MALPVTALLL	PLALLLHAAR	PEIVMTQSPA	TLSLSPGERA	TLSCRASQDI	SKYLNWYQQK	60
PGQAPRLLIY		HTSRLHSGIP	ARFSGSGSGT	DYTLTISSLQ	PEDFAVYFCQ	QGNTLPYTFG	120	
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PPGKGLEWIG		VIWGSSETTY	NSSSLKSRVTI	SKDNSKNQVS	LKLSSVTAAD	TAVYYCAKHY	120	
YYGGS YAMDY		WGQGTLVTVS	SGGGSGGGG	SGGGSGGGG	SEIVMTQSPA	TLSLSPGERA	180	
TLSCRASQDI		SKYLNWYQQK	PGQAPRLLIY	HTSRLHSGIP	ARFSGSGSGT	DYTLTISSLQ	240	
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SEQ ID NO:59 humanized anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor (anti- CD19:CD8a:4- 1BB:CD3<)	MALPVTALLL	PLALLLHAAR	PEIVMTQSPA	TSLSPGERA	TLSCRASQDI	SKYLNWYQQK	60
	PGQAPRLLIY	HTSRLHSGIP	ARFSGSGSGT	DYTLTISSLQ	PEDFAVYFCQ	QGNTLPYTFG	120
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	RQPPGKGLEW	IGVIWGSETT	YNSSLKSRV	TISKDNSKNQ	VSLKLSVTA	ADTAVYYCAK	240
	HYYYGGS YAM	DYWGQGTLV	VSTTTTPAPR	PPTPAPTAS	QPLSLRPEAC	RPAAGGAVHT	300
	RGLDFACDIY	IWAPLAGTCG	VLLLSLVITL	YCKRGRKKLL	YIFKQPFMRP	VQTTQEEEDGC	360
	SCRFPPEEEG	GCELRVKFSR	SADAPAYKQG	QNQLYNELNL	GRREEYDVL	KRRGRDPEMG	420
	GKPRRKNPQE	GLYNELQKDK	MAEAYSEIGM	KGERRRGKGH	DGLYQGLSTA	TKDITYDALHM	480
	QALPPR						486

[00463] In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is co-administered with a BTK inhibitor and another agent to manage toxicities related to the infusion of chimeric antigen receptor modified T cells or NK cells, including cytokine release syndrome and tumor lysis syndrome. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is co-administered with a BTK inhibitor and a TNF α inhibitor. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is co-administered with a BTK inhibitor and etanercept. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is co-administered with a BTK inhibitor and an antibody against the IL-6 receptor. In an embodiment, the CD 19 inhibitor is co-administered with a BTK inhibitor and tocilizumab. Suitable compositions comprising tocilizumab, etanercept, and chimeric antigen receptor modified T cells, as well as other agents, and methods of preparation and therapeutic use of the same, are described in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 201 50202286 A1 and International Patent Publication No. WO 2014/01 1984 A1, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein in their entirety.

Pharmaceutical Compositions

[00464] In an embodiment, the invention provides a pharmaceutical composition for use in the treatment of the diseases and conditions described herein. In a preferred embodiment, the invention provides pharmaceutical compositions, including those described below, for use in the treatment of a hyperproliferative disease. In a preferred embodiment, the invention provides pharmaceutical compositions, including those described below, for use in the treatment of cancer.

[00465] In some embodiments, the invention provides pharmaceutical compositions for treating solid tumor cancers, lymphomas and leukemia.

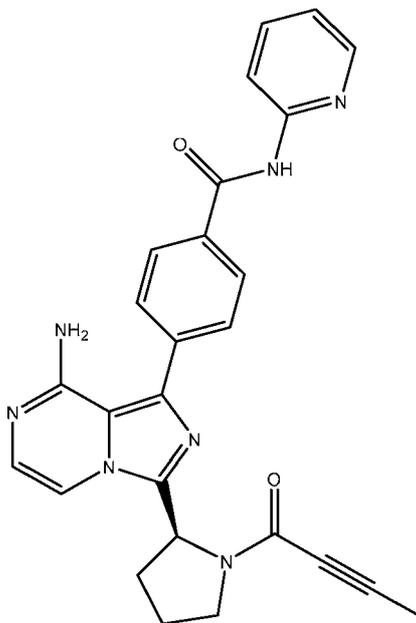
[00466] In preferred embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; and (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, for use in the treatment of cancer. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition.

[00467] In preferred embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof; and (3) an anti-CD20 antibody selected from the group consisting of rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, ibritumomab, and fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, radioisotope-labeled complexes, and biosimilars thereof. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition.

[00468] In some embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof; and (3) a compound selected from the group consisting of gemcitabine, albumin-bound paclitaxel, bendamustine, fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, chlorambucil, an anticoagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient, or combinations thereof. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition.

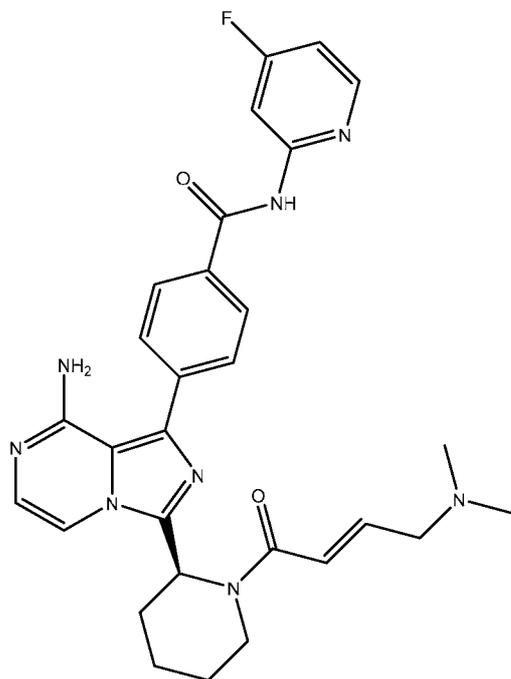
[00469] In some embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, for use in the treatment of cancer; (3) an anti-CD20 antibody selected from the group consisting of rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, ibritumomab, and fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, radioisotope-labeled complexes, biosimilars thereof, and combinations thereof; and (4) a compound selected from the group consisting of gemcitabine, albumin-bound paclitaxel, bendamustine, fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, chlorambucil, an anticoagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient, and combinations thereof. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition.

[00470] In some embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; and (2) a BTK inhibitor having the structure:



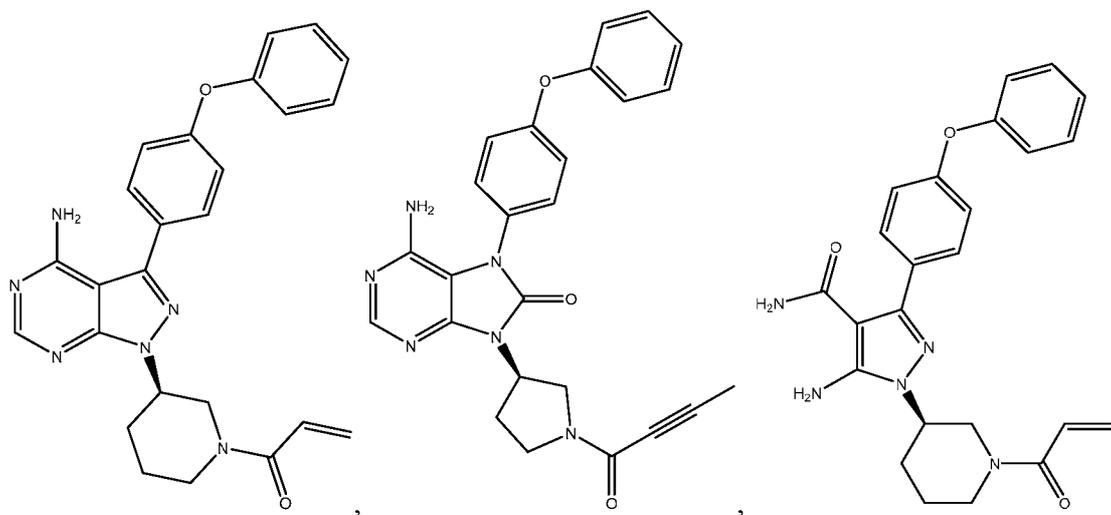
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition.

[00471] In some embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; (2) a BTK inhibitor having the structure:



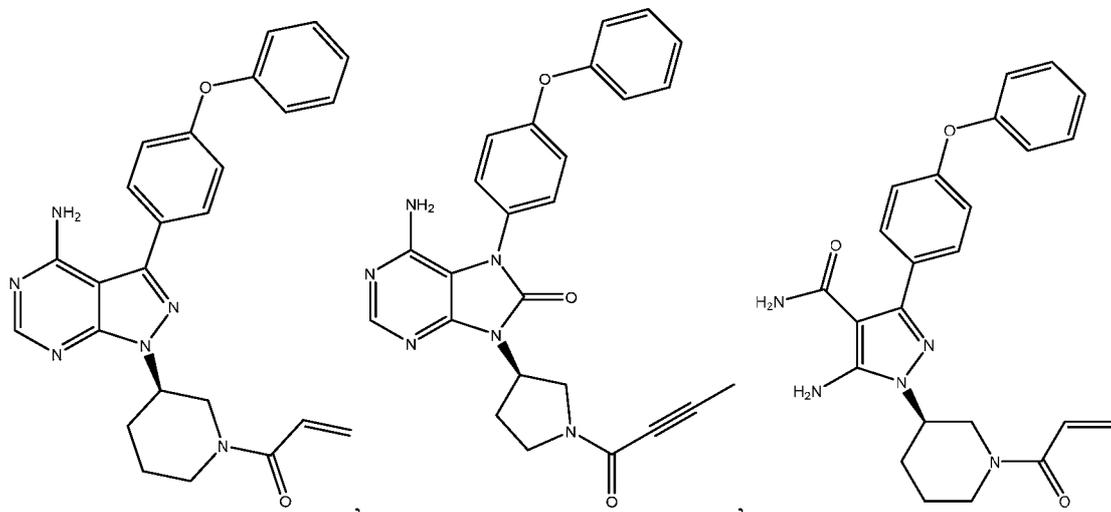
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof; and (3) an anti-CD20 antibody selected from the group consisting of rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, ibritumomab, and fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, radioisotope-labeled complexes, and biosimilars thereof. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition.

[00472] In some embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; and (2) a BTK inhibitor selected from the group consisting of:



and pharmaceutically-acceptable salts, cocrystals, hydrates, solvates, and prodrugs thereof. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition.

[00473] In some embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; (2) a BTK inhibitor selected from the group consisting of:



and pharmaceutically-acceptable salts, cocrystals, hydrates, solvates, and prodrugs thereof; and (3) an anti-CD20 antibody selected from the group consisting of rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, ibritumomab, and fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, radioisotope-labeled complexes, and biosimilars thereof. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition.

[00474] In some embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor selected from the group consisting of blinatumomab, coltuximab ravtansine, denintuzumab mafodotin, and an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor, and antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, and biosimilars thereof; and (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition.

[00475] In some embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor selected from the group consisting of blinatumomab, coltuximab ravtansine, denintuzumab mafodotin, and an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor, and antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, and biosimilars thereof; and (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition.

[00476] In some embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor selected from the group consisting of blinatumomab, coltuximab ravtansine, denintuzumab mafodotin, and an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor, and antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, and biosimilars thereof; (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, for use in the treatment of cancer; and (3) an anti-CD20 antibody selected from the group consisting of rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, ibritumomab, and fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, radioisotope-labeled complexes, and biosimilars thereof. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition.

[00477] In some embodiments, the invention provides a composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor selected from the group consisting of blinatumomab, coltuximab ravtansine, denintuzumab mafodotin, and an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor, and antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, and biosimilars thereof; (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, for use in the treatment of cancer; and (3) an anti-CD20 antibody selected from the group consisting of rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, ibritumomab, and fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, radioisotope-labeled complexes, and biosimilars thereof. This composition is typically a pharmaceutical composition.

[00478] The pharmaceutical compositions are typically formulated to provide a therapeutically effective amount of a combination as described herein, *i.e.*, a combination of a CD 19 inhibitor, and a BTK inhibitor as the active ingredients. Where desired, the pharmaceutical compositions contain a pharmaceutically acceptable salt and/or coordination complex of one or more of the active ingredients. Typically, the pharmaceutical compositions also comprise one or more pharmaceutically acceptable excipients, carriers, including inert solid diluents and fillers, diluents, including sterile aqueous solution and various organic solvents, permeation enhancers, solubilizers and adjuvants.

[00479] The pharmaceutical compositions described above are preferably for use in the treatment of the diseases and conditions described below. In a preferred embodiment, the pharmaceutical compositions are for use in the treatment of cancer. In preferred embodiments, the pharmaceutical compositions are for use in treating solid tumor cancers, lymphomas, and leukemias.

[00480] In a preferred embodiment, the pharmaceutical compositions of the present invention, including any of the foregoing embodiments of compositions, are for use in the treatment of cancer. In one embodiment, the pharmaceutical compositions of the present invention are for use in the treatment of a cancer selected from the group consisting of bladder cancer, squamous cell carcinoma including head and neck cancer, pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma (PDA), pancreatic cancer, colon carcinoma, mammary carcinoma, breast cancer, fibrosarcoma, mesothelioma, renal cell carcinoma, lung carcinoma, thymoma, prostate cancer, colorectal cancer, ovarian cancer, acute myeloid leukemia, thymus cancer, brain cancer, squamous cell cancer, skin cancer, eye cancer, retinoblastoma, melanoma, intraocular melanoma, oral cavity and oropharyngeal cancers, gastric cancer, stomach cancer, cervical cancer, renal cancer, kidney cancer, liver cancer, ovarian cancer, esophageal cancer, testicular cancer, gynecological cancer, thyroid cancer, acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS)-related cancers (e.g., lymphoma and Kaposi's sarcoma), viral-induced cancer, glioblastoma, esophageal tumors, hematological neoplasms, non-small-cell lung cancer, chronic myelocytic leukemia, diffuse large B-cell lymphoma, esophagus tumor, follicle center lymphoma, head and neck tumor, hepatitis C virus infection, hepatocellular carcinoma, Hodgkin's disease, metastatic colon cancer, multiple myeloma, non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, indolent non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, ovary tumor, pancreas tumor, renal cell carcinoma, small-cell lung cancer, stage IV melanoma, chronic lymphocytic leukemia, B-cell

acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), mature B-cell ALL, follicular lymphoma, mantle cell lymphoma, and Burkitt's lymphoma.

[00481] In an embodiment, the molar ratio of the CD19 inhibitor to the BTK inhibitor in the pharmaceutical compositions is in the range from about 10:1 to about 1:10, preferably from about 2.5:1 to about 1:2.5, and more preferably about 1:1. In an embodiment, the weight ratio of the CD19 inhibitor to the BTK inhibitor in the pharmaceutical compositions is selected from the group consisting of about 20:1, about 19:1, about 18:1, about 17:1, about 16:1, about 15:1, about 14:1, about 13:1, about 12:1, about 11:1, about 10:1, about 9:1, about 8:1, about 7:1, about 6:1, about 5:1, about 4:1, about 3:1, about 2:1, about 1:1, about 1:2, about 1:3, about 1:4, about 1:5, about 1:6, about 1:7, about 1:8, about 1:9, about 1:10, about 1:11, about 1:12, about 1:13, about 1:14, about 1:15, about 1:16, about 1:17, about 1:18, about 1:19, and about 1:20.

[00482] In some embodiments, the concentration of any one of the CD19 and BTK inhibitors provided in the pharmaceutical compositions of the invention is independently less than, for example, 100%, 90%, 80%, 70%, 60%, 50%, 40%, 30%, 20%, 19%, 18%, 17%, 16%, 15%, 14%, 13%, 12%, 11%, 10%, 9%, 8%, 7%, 6%, 5%, 4%, 3%, 2%, 1%, 0.5%, 0.4%, 0.3%, 0.2%, 0.1%, 0.09%, 0.08%, 0.07%, 0.06%, 0.05%, 0.04%, 0.03%, 0.02%, 0.01%, 0.009%, 0.008%, 0.007%, 0.006%, 0.005%, 0.004%, 0.003%, 0.002%, 0.001%, 0.0009%, 0.0008%, 0.0007%, 0.0006%, 0.0005%, 0.0004%, 0.0003%, 0.0002% or 0.0001% w/w, w/v or v/v of the pharmaceutical composition.

[00483] In some embodiments, the concentration of any one of the CD19 and BTK inhibitors provided in the pharmaceutical compositions of the invention is independently greater than 90%, 80%, 70%, 60%, 50%, 40%, 30%, 20%, 19.75%, 19.50%, 19.25% 19%, 18.75%, 18.50%, 18.25% 18%, 17.75%, 17.50%, 17.25% 17%, 16.75%, 16.50%, 16.25% 16%, 15.75%, 15.50%, 15.25% 15%, 14.75%, 14.50%, 14.25% 14%, 13.75%, 13.50%, 13.25% 13%, 12.75%, 12.50%, 12.25% 12%, 11.75%, 11.50%, 11.25% 11%, 10.75%, 10.50%, 10.25% 10%, 9.75%, 9.50%, 9.25% 9%, 8.75%, 8.50%, 8.25% 8%, 7.75%, 7.50%, 7.25% 7%, 6.75%, 6.50%, 6.25% 6%, 5.75%, 5.50%, 5.25% 5%, 4.75%, 4.50%, 4.25%, 4%, 3.75%, 3.50%, 3.25%, 3%, 2.75%, 2.50%, 2.25%, 2%, 1.75%, 1.50%, 1.25%, 1%, 0.5%, 0.4%, 0.3%, 0.2%, 0.1%, 0.09%, 0.08%, 0.07%, 0.06%, 0.05%, 0.04%, 0.03%, 0.02%, 0.01%, 0.009%, 0.008%, 0.007%, 0.006%, 0.005%,

0.004%, 0.003%, 0.002%, 0.001%, 0.0009%, 0.0008%, 0.0007%, 0.0006%, 0.0005%, 0.0004%, 0.0003%, 0.0002% or 0.0001% w/w, w/v, or v/v of the pharmaceutical composition.

[00484] In some embodiments, the concentration of any one of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors provided in the pharmaceutical compositions is independently in the range from about 0.0001% to about 50%, about 0.001% to about 40%, about 0.01% to about 30%, about 0.02% to about 29%, about 0.03% to about 28%, about 0.04% to about 27%, about 0.05% to about 26%, about 0.06% to about 25%, about 0.07% to about 24%, about 0.08% to about 23%, about 0.09% to about 22%, about 0.1% to about 21%, about 0.2% to about 20%, about 0.3% to about 19%, about 0.4% to about 18%, about 0.5% to about 17%, about 0.6% to about 16%, about 0.7% to about 15%, about 0.8% to about 14%, about 0.9% to about 12% or about 1% to about 10% w/w, w/v or v/v of the pharmaceutical composition.

[00485] In some embodiments, the concentration of any one of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors provided in the pharmaceutical compositions is independently in the range from about 0.001% to about 10%, about 0.01% to about 5%, about 0.02% to about 4.5%, about 0.03% to about 4%, about 0.04% to about 3.5%, about 0.05% to about 3%, about 0.06% to about 2.5%, about 0.07% to about 2%, about 0.08% to about 1.5%, about 0.09% to about 1%, about 0.1% to about 0.9% w/w, w/v or v/v of the pharmaceutical composition.

[00486] In some embodiments, the amount of any one of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors provided in the pharmaceutical compositions is independently equal to or less than 10 g, 9.5 g, 9.0 g, 8.5 g, 8.0 g, 7.5 g, 7.0 g, 6.5 g, 6.0 g, 5.5 g, 5.0 g, 4.5 g, 4.0 g, 3.5 g, 3.0 g, 2.5 g, 2.0 g, 1.5 g, 1.0 g, 0.95 g, 0.9 g, 0.85 g, 0.8 g, 0.75 g, 0.7 g, 0.65 g, 0.6 g, 0.55 g, 0.5 g, 0.45 g, 0.4 g, 0.35 g, 0.3 g, 0.25 g, 0.2 g, 0.15 g, 0.1 g, 0.09 g, 0.08 g, 0.07 g, 0.06 g, 0.05 g, 0.04 g, 0.03 g, 0.02 g, 0.01 g, 0.009 g, 0.008 g, 0.007 g, 0.006 g, 0.005 g, 0.004 g, 0.003 g, 0.002 g, 0.001 g, 0.0009 g, 0.0008 g, 0.0007 g, 0.0006 g, 0.0005 g, 0.0004 g, 0.0003 g, 0.0002 g, or 0.0001 g.

[00487] In some embodiments, the amount of any one of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors provided in the pharmaceutical compositions is independently more than 0.0001 g, 0.0002 g, 0.0003 g, 0.0004 g, 0.0005 g, 0.0006 g, 0.0007 g, 0.0008 g, 0.0009 g, 0.001 g, 0.0015 g, 0.002 g, 0.0025 g, 0.003 g, 0.0035 g, 0.004 g, 0.0045 g, 0.005 g, 0.0055 g, 0.006 g, 0.0065 g, 0.007 g, 0.0075 g, 0.008 g, 0.0085 g, 0.009 g, 0.0095 g, 0.01 g, 0.015 g, 0.02 g, 0.025 g, 0.03 g, 0.035 g, 0.04 g, 0.045 g, 0.05 g, 0.055 g, 0.06 g, 0.065 g, 0.07 g, 0.075 g, 0.08 g, 0.085 g, 0.09 g, 0.095 g,

0.1 g, 0.15 g, 0.2 g, 0.25 g, 0.3 g, 0.35 g, 0.4 g, 0.45 g, 0.5 g, 0.55 g, 0.6 g, 0.65 g, 0.7 g, 0.75 g, 0.8 g, 0.85 g, 0.9 g, 0.95 g, 1 g, 1.5 g, 2 g, 2.5, 3 g, 3.5, 4 g, 4.5 g, 5 g, 5.5 g, 6 g, 6.5 g, 7 g, 7.5 g, 8 g, 8.5 g, 9 g, 9.5 g, or 10g.

[00488] Each of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors according to the invention is effective over a wide dosage range. For example, in the treatment of adult humans, dosages independently ranging from 0.01 to 1000 mg, from 0.5 to 100 mg, from 1 to 50 mg per day, and from 5 to 40 mg per day are examples of dosages that may be used. The exact dosage will depend upon the route of administration, the form in which the compound is administered, the gender and age of the subject to be treated, the body weight of the subject to be treated, and the preference and experience of the attending physician.

[00489] In a preferred embodiment, the pharmaceutical compositions of the present invention are for use in the treatment of cancer. In a preferred embodiment, the pharmaceutical compositions of the present invention are for use in the treatment of a cancer selected from the group consisting of bladder cancer, squamous cell carcinoma including head and neck cancer, pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma (PDA), pancreatic cancer, colon carcinoma, mammary carcinoma, breast cancer, fibrosarcoma, mesothelioma, renal cell carcinoma, lung carcinoma, thymoma, prostate cancer, colorectal cancer, ovarian cancer, acute myeloid leukemia, thymus cancer, brain cancer, squamous cell cancer, skin cancer, eye cancer, retinoblastoma, melanoma, intraocular melanoma, oral cavity and oropharyngeal cancers, gastric cancer, stomach cancer, cervical cancer, renal cancer, kidney cancer, liver cancer, ovarian cancer, esophageal cancer, testicular cancer, gynecological cancer, thyroid cancer, acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS)-related cancers (e.g., lymphoma and Kaposi's sarcoma), viral-induced cancer, glioblastoma, esophageal tumors, hematological neoplasms, non-small-cell lung cancer, chronic myelocytic leukemia, diffuse large B-cell lymphoma, esophagus tumor, follicle center lymphoma, head and neck tumor, hepatitis C virus infection, hepatocellular carcinoma, Hodgkin's disease, metastatic colon cancer, multiple myeloma, non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, indolent non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, ovary tumor, pancreas tumor, renal cell carcinoma, small-cell lung cancer, stage IV melanoma, chronic lymphocytic leukemia, B-cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), mature B-cell ALL, follicular lymphoma, mantle cell lymphoma, and Burkitt's lymphoma.

[00490] Described below are non-limiting pharmaceutical compositions and methods for preparing the same.

Pharmaceutical Compositions for Oral Administration

[00491] In preferred embodiments, the invention provides a pharmaceutical composition for oral administration containing the combination of a CD 19 and BTK inhibitor, and a pharmaceutical excipient suitable for oral administration.

[00492] In preferred embodiments, the invention provides a solid pharmaceutical composition for oral administration containing: (i) an effective amount of each of a CD 19 and BTK inhibitor in combination and (ii) a pharmaceutical excipient suitable for oral administration. In some embodiments, the composition further contains (iii) an effective amount of a fourth active pharmaceutical ingredient.

[00493] In preferred embodiments, the invention provides a solid pharmaceutical composition for oral administration containing: (i) an effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor in combination with a BTK inhibitor and (ii) a pharmaceutical excipient suitable for oral administration. In selected embodiments, the composition further contains (iii) an effective amount of a third active pharmaceutical ingredient.

[00494] In some embodiments, the pharmaceutical composition may be a liquid pharmaceutical composition suitable for oral consumption.

[00495] Pharmaceutical compositions of the invention suitable for oral administration can be presented as discrete dosage forms, such as capsules, sachets, tablets, liquids, or aerosol sprays each containing a predetermined amount of an active ingredient as a powder or in granules, a solution, or a suspension in an aqueous or non-aqueous liquid, an oil-in-water emulsion, a water-in-oil liquid emulsion, powders for reconstitution, powders for oral consumptions, bottles (including powders or liquids in a bottle), orally dissolving films, lozenges, pastes, tubes, gums, and packs. Such dosage forms can be prepared by any of the methods of pharmacy, but all methods include the step of bringing the active ingredient(s) into association with the carrier, which constitutes one or more necessary ingredients. In general, the compositions are prepared by uniformly and intimately admixing the active ingredient(s) with liquid carriers or finely divided solid carriers or both, and then, if necessary, shaping the product into the desired presentation. For example, a tablet can be prepared by compression or molding, optionally with

one or more accessory ingredients. Compressed tablets can be prepared by compressing in a suitable machine the active ingredient in a free-flowing form such as powder or granules, optionally mixed with an excipient such as, but not limited to, a binder, a lubricant, an inert diluent, and/or a surface active or dispersing agent. Molded tablets can be made by molding in a suitable machine a mixture of the powdered compound moistened with an inert liquid diluent.

[00496] The invention further encompasses anhydrous pharmaceutical compositions and dosage forms since water can facilitate the degradation of some compounds. For example, water may be added (*e.g.*, 5%) in the pharmaceutical arts as a means of simulating long-term storage in order to determine characteristics such as shelf-life or the stability of formulations over time.

Anhydrous pharmaceutical compositions and dosage forms of the invention can be prepared using anhydrous or low moisture containing ingredients and low moisture or low humidity conditions. Pharmaceutical compositions and dosage forms of the invention which contain lactose can be made anhydrous if substantial contact with moisture and/or humidity during manufacturing, packaging, and/or storage is expected. An anhydrous pharmaceutical composition may be prepared and stored such that its anhydrous nature is maintained. Accordingly, anhydrous compositions may be packaged using materials known to prevent exposure to water such that they can be included in suitable formulary kits. Examples of suitable packaging include, but are not limited to, hermetically sealed foils, plastic or the like, unit dose containers, blister packs, and strip packs.

[00497] Each of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors as active ingredients can be combined in an intimate admixture with a pharmaceutical carrier according to conventional pharmaceutical compounding techniques. The carrier can take a wide variety of forms depending on the form of preparation desired for administration. In preparing the compositions for an oral dosage form, any of the usual pharmaceutical media can be employed as carriers, such as, for example, water, glycols, oils, alcohols, flavoring agents, preservatives, coloring agents, and the like in the case of oral liquid preparations (such as suspensions, solutions, and elixirs) or aerosols; or carriers such as starches, sugars, micro-crystalline cellulose, diluents, granulating agents, lubricants, binders, and disintegrating agents can be used in the case of oral solid preparations, in some embodiments without employing the use of lactose. For example, suitable carriers include powders, capsules, and tablets, with the solid oral preparations. If desired, tablets can be coated by standard aqueous or nonaqueous techniques.

[00498] Binders suitable for use in pharmaceutical compositions and dosage forms include, but are not limited to, corn starch, potato starch, or other starches, gelatin, natural and synthetic gums such as acacia, sodium alginate, alginic acid, other alginates, powdered tragacanth, guar gum, cellulose and its derivatives (*e.g.*, ethyl cellulose, cellulose acetate, carboxymethyl cellulose calcium, sodium carboxymethyl cellulose), polyvinyl pyrrolidone, methyl cellulose, pre-gelatinized starch, hydroxypropyl methyl cellulose, microcrystalline cellulose, and mixtures thereof.

[00499] Examples of suitable fillers for use in the pharmaceutical compositions and dosage forms disclosed herein include, but are not limited to, talc, calcium carbonate (*e.g.*, granules or powder), microcrystalline cellulose, powdered cellulose, dextrans, kaolin, mannitol, silicic acid, sorbitol, starch, pre-gelatinized starch, and mixtures thereof.

[00500] Disintegrants may be used in the compositions of the invention to provide tablets that disintegrate when exposed to an aqueous environment. Too much of a disintegrant may produce tablets which disintegrate in the bottle. Too little may be insufficient for disintegration to occur, thus altering the rate and extent of release of the active ingredients from the dosage form. Thus, a sufficient amount of disintegrant that is neither too little nor too much to detrimentally alter the release of the active ingredient(s) may be used to form the dosage forms of the compounds disclosed herein. The amount of disintegrant used may vary based upon the type of formulation and mode of administration, and may be readily discernible to those of ordinary skill in the art. About 0.5 to about 15 weight percent of disintegrant, or about 1 to about 5 weight percent of disintegrant, may be used in the pharmaceutical composition. Disintegrants that can be used to form pharmaceutical compositions and dosage forms of the invention include, but are not limited to, agar-agar, alginic acid, calcium carbonate, microcrystalline cellulose, croscarmellose sodium, crospovidone, polacrillin potassium, sodium starch glycolate, potato or tapioca starch, other starches, pre-gelatinized starch, other starches, clays, other algins, other celluloses, gums or mixtures thereof.

[00501] Lubricants which can be used to form pharmaceutical compositions and dosage forms of the invention include, but are not limited to, calcium stearate, magnesium stearate, sodium stearyl fumarate, mineral oil, light mineral oil, glycerin, sorbitol, mannitol, polyethylene glycol, other glycols, stearic acid, sodium lauryl sulfate, talc, hydrogenated vegetable oil (*e.g.*, peanut

oil, cottonseed oil, sunflower oil, sesame oil, olive oil, corn oil, and soybean oil), zinc stearate, ethyl oleate, ethyl laurate, agar, or mixtures thereof. Additional lubricants include, for example, a syloid silica gel, a coagulated aerosol of synthetic silica, silicified microcrystalline cellulose, or mixtures thereof. A lubricant can optionally be added in an amount of less than about 0.5% or less than about 1% (by weight) of the pharmaceutical composition.

[00502] When aqueous suspensions and/or elixirs are desired for oral administration, the active pharmaceutical ingredient(s) may be combined with various sweetening or flavoring agents, coloring matter or dyes and, if so desired, emulsifying and/or suspending agents, together with such diluents as water, ethanol, propylene glycol, glycerin and various combinations thereof.

[00503] The tablets can be uncoated or coated by known techniques to delay disintegration and absorption in the gastrointestinal tract and thereby provide a sustained action over a longer period. For example, a time delay material such as glyceryl monostearate or glyceryl distearate can be employed. Formulations for oral use can also be presented as hard gelatin capsules wherein the active ingredient is mixed with an inert solid diluent, for example, calcium carbonate, calcium phosphate or kaolin, or as soft gelatin capsules wherein the active ingredient is mixed with water or an oil medium, for example, peanut oil, liquid paraffin or olive oil.

[00504] Surfactants which can be used to form pharmaceutical compositions and dosage forms of the invention include, but are not limited to, hydrophilic surfactants, lipophilic surfactants, and mixtures thereof. That is, a mixture of hydrophilic surfactants may be employed, a mixture of lipophilic surfactants may be employed, or a mixture of at least one hydrophilic surfactant and at least one lipophilic surfactant may be employed.

[00505] A suitable hydrophilic surfactant may generally have an HLB value of at least 10, while suitable lipophilic surfactants may generally have an HLB value of or less than about 10. An empirical parameter used to characterize the relative hydrophilicity and hydrophobicity of non-ionic amphiphilic compounds is the hydrophilic-lipophilic balance ("HLB" value). Surfactants with lower HLB values are more lipophilic or hydrophobic, and have greater solubility in oils, while surfactants with higher HLB values are more hydrophilic, and have greater solubility in aqueous solutions. Hydrophilic surfactants are generally considered to be those compounds having an HLB value greater than about 10, as well as anionic, cationic, or zwitterionic compounds for which the HLB scale is not generally applicable. Similarly, lipophilic (*i.e.*,

hydrophobic) surfactants are compounds having an HLB value equal to or less than about 10. However, HLB value of a surfactant is merely a rough guide generally used to enable formulation of industrial, pharmaceutical and cosmetic emulsions.

[00506] Hydrophilic surfactants may be either ionic or non-ionic. Suitable ionic surfactants include, but are not limited to, alkylammonium salts; fusidic acid salts; fatty acid derivatives of amino acids, oligopeptides, and polypeptides; glyceride derivatives of amino acids, oligopeptides, and polypeptides; lecithins and hydrogenated lecithins; lysolecithins and hydrogenated lysolecithins; phospholipids and derivatives thereof; lysophospholipids and derivatives thereof; carnitine fatty acid ester salts; salts of alkylsulfates; fatty acid salts; sodium docusate; acylactylates; mono- and di-acetylated tartaric acid esters of mono- and di-glycerides; succinylated mono- and di-glycerides; citric acid esters of mono- and di-glycerides; and mixtures thereof.

[00507] Within the aforementioned group, ionic surfactants include, by way of example: lecithins, lysolecithin, phospholipids, lysophospholipids and derivatives thereof; carnitine fatty acid ester salts; salts of alkylsulfates; fatty acid salts; sodium docusate; acylactylates; mono- and di-acetylated tartaric acid esters of mono- and di-glycerides; succinylated mono- and di-glycerides; citric acid esters of mono- and di-glycerides; and mixtures thereof.

[00508] Ionic surfactants may be the ionized forms of lecithin, lysolecithin, phosphatidylcholine, phosphatidylethanolamine, phosphatidylglycerol, phosphatidic acid, phosphatidylserine, lysophosphatidylcholine, lysophosphatidylethanolamine, lysophosphatidylglycerol, lysophosphatidic acid, lysophosphatidylserine, PEG-phosphatidylethanolamine, PVP-phosphatidylethanolamine, lactic esters of fatty acids, stearyl-2-lactylate, stearyl lactylate, succinylated monoglycerides, mono/diacetylated tartaric acid esters of mono/diglycerides, citric acid esters of mono/diglycerides, choly sarcosine, caproate, caprylate, caprate, laurate, myristate, palmitate, oleate, ricinoleate, linoleate, linolenate, stearate, lauryl sulfate, teracecyl sulfate, docusate, lauroyl carnitines, palmitoyl carnitines, myristoyl carnitines, and salts and mixtures thereof.

[00509] Hydrophilic non-ionic surfactants may include, but not limited to, alkylglucosides; alkylmaltosides; alkylthioglucosides; lauryl macroglycerides; polyoxyalkylene alkyl ethers such as polyethylene glycol alkyl ethers; polyoxyalkylene alkylphenols such as polyethylene

glycol alkyl phenols; polyoxyalkylene alkyl phenol fatty acid esters such as polyethylene glycol fatty acids monoesters and polyethylene glycol fatty acids diesters; polyethylene glycol glycerol fatty acid esters; polyglycerol fatty acid esters; polyoxyalkylene sorbitan fatty acid esters such as polyethylene glycol sorbitan fatty acid esters; hydrophilic transesterification products of a polyol with at least one member of the group consisting of glycerides, vegetable oils, hydrogenated vegetable oils, fatty acids, and sterols; polyoxyethylene sterols, derivatives, and analogues thereof; polyoxyethylated vitamins and derivatives thereof; polyoxyethylene-polyoxypropylene block copolymers; and mixtures thereof; polyethylene glycol sorbitan fatty acid esters and hydrophilic transesterification products of a polyol with at least one member of the group consisting of triglycerides, vegetable oils, and hydrogenated vegetable oils. The polyol may be glycerol, ethylene glycol, polyethylene glycol, sorbitol, propylene glycol, pentaerythritol, or a saccharide.

[00510] Other hydrophilic-non-ionic surfactants include, without limitation, PEG-10 laurate, PEG-12 laurate, PEG-20 laurate, PEG-32 laurate, PEG-32 dilaurate, PEG-12 oleate, PEG-15 oleate, PEG-20 oleate, PEG-20 dioleate, PEG-32 oleate, PEG-200 oleate, PEG-400 oleate, PEG-15 stearate, PEG-32 distearate, PEG-40 stearate, PEG-100 stearate, PEG-20 dilaurate, PEG-25 glyceryl trioleate, PEG-32 dioleate, PEG-20 glyceryl laurate, PEG-30 glyceryl laurate, PEG-20 glyceryl stearate, PEG-20 glyceryl oleate, PEG-30 glyceryl oleate, PEG-30 glyceryl laurate, PEG-40 glyceryl laurate, PEG-40 palm kernel oil, PEG-50 hydrogenated castor oil, PEG-40 castor oil, PEG-35 castor oil, PEG-60 castor oil, PEG-40 hydrogenated castor oil, PEG-60 hydrogenated castor oil, PEG-60 corn oil, PEG-6 caprate/caprylate glycerides, PEG-8 caprate/caprylate glycerides, polyglyceryl-10 laurate, PEG-30 cholesterol, PEG-25 phyto sterol, PEG-30 soya sterol, PEG-20 trioleate, PEG-40 sorbitan oleate, PEG-80 sorbitan laurate, polysorbate 20, polysorbate 80, POE-9 lauryl ether, POE-23 lauryl ether, POE-10 oleyl ether, POE-20 oleyl ether, POE-20 stearyl ether, tocopheryl PEG-100 succinate, PEG-24 cholesterol, polyglyceryl-10oleate, Tween 40, Tween 60, sucrose monostearate, sucrose monolaurate, sucrose monopalmitate, PEG 10-100 nonyl phenol series, PEG 15-100 octyl phenol series, and poloxamers.

[00511] Suitable lipophilic surfactants include, by way of example only: fatty alcohols; glycerol fatty acid esters; acetylated glycerol fatty acid esters; lower alcohol fatty acids esters; propylene glycol fatty acid esters; sorbitan fatty acid esters; polyethylene glycol sorbitan fatty acid esters;

sterols and sterol derivatives; polyoxyethylated sterols and sterol derivatives; polyethylene glycol alkyl ethers; sugar esters; sugar ethers; lactic acid derivatives of mono- and di-glycerides; hydrophobic transesterification products of a polyol with at least one member of the group consisting of glycerides, vegetable oils, hydrogenated vegetable oils, fatty acids and sterols; oil-soluble vitamins/vitamin derivatives; and mixtures thereof. Within this group, preferred lipophilic surfactants include glycerol fatty acid esters, propylene glycol fatty acid esters, and mixtures thereof, or are hydrophobic transesterification products of a polyol with at least one member of the group consisting of vegetable oils, hydrogenated vegetable oils, and triglycerides.

[00512] In an embodiment, the composition may include a solubilizer to ensure good solubilization and/or dissolution of the compound of the present invention and to minimize precipitation of the compound of the present invention. This can be especially important for compositions for non-oral use - *e.g.*, compositions for injection. A solubilizer may also be added to increase the solubility of the hydrophilic drug and/or other components, such as surfactants, or to maintain the composition as a stable or homogeneous solution or dispersion.

[00513] Examples of suitable solubilizers include, but are not limited to, the following: alcohols and polyols, such as ethanol, isopropanol, butanol, benzyl alcohol, ethylene glycol, propylene glycol, butanediols and isomers thereof, glycerol, pentaerythritol, sorbitol, mannitol, transcitol, dimethyl isosorbide, polyethylene glycol, polypropylene glycol, polyvinylalcohol, hydroxypropyl methylcellulose and other cellulose derivatives, cyclodextrins and cyclodextrin derivatives; ethers of polyethylene glycols having an average molecular weight of about 200 to about 6000, such as tetrahydrofurfuryl alcohol PEG ether (glycofurol) or methoxy PEG; amides and other nitrogen-containing compounds such as 2-pyrrolidone, 2-piperidone, ϵ -caprolactam, N-alkylpyrrolidone, N-hydroxyalkylpyrrolidone, N-alkylpiperidone, N-alkylcaprolactam, dimethylacetamide and polyvinylpyrrolidone; esters such as ethyl propionate, tributylcitrate, acetyl triethylcitrate, acetyl tributyl citrate, triethylcitrate, ethyl oleate, ethyl caprylate, ethyl butyrate, triacetin, propylene glycol monoacetate, propylene glycol diacetate, ϵ -caprolactone and isomers thereof, δ -valerolactone and isomers thereof, β -butyrolactone and isomers thereof; and other solubilizers known in the art, such as dimethyl acetamide, dimethyl isosorbide, N-methyl pyrrolidones, monoctanoic, diethylene glycol monoethyl ether, and water.

[00514] Mixtures of solubilizers may also be used. Examples include, but not limited to, triacetin, triethylcitrate, ethyl oleate, ethyl caprylate, dimethylacetamide, N-methylpyrrolidone, N-hydroxyethylpyrrolidone, polyvinylpyrrolidone, hydroxypropyl methylcellulose, hydroxypropyl cyclodextrins, ethanol, polyethylene glycol 200-100, glycofurol, transcutool, propylene glycol, and dimethyl isosorbide. Particularly preferred solubilizers include sorbitol, glycerol, triacetin, ethyl alcohol, PEG-400, glycofurol and propylene glycol.

[00515] The amount of solubilizer that can be included is not particularly limited. The amount of a given solubilizer may be limited to a bioacceptable amount, which may be readily determined by one of skill in the art. In some circumstances, it may be advantageous to include amounts of solubilizers far in excess of bioacceptable amounts, for example to maximize the concentration of the drug, with excess solubilizer removed prior to providing the composition to a patient using conventional techniques, such as distillation or evaporation. Thus, if present, the solubilizer can be in a weight ratio of 10%, 25%, 50%, 100%, or up to about 200% by weight, based on the combined weight of the drug, and other excipients. If desired, very small amounts of solubilizer may also be used, such as 5%, 2%, 1% or even less. Typically, the solubilizer may be present in an amount of about 1% to about 100%, more typically about 5% to about 25% by weight.

[00516] The composition can further include one or more pharmaceutically acceptable additives and excipients. Such additives and excipients include, without limitation, detackifiers, anti-foaming agents, buffering agents, polymers, antioxidants, preservatives, chelating agents, viscomodulators, tonicifiers, flavorants, colorants, odorants, opacifiers, suspending agents, binders, fillers, plasticizers, lubricants, and mixtures thereof.

[00517] In addition, an acid or a base may be incorporated into the composition to facilitate processing, to enhance stability, or for other reasons. Examples of pharmaceutically acceptable bases include amino acids, amino acid esters, ammonium hydroxide, potassium hydroxide, sodium hydroxide, sodium hydrogen carbonate, aluminum hydroxide, calcium carbonate, magnesium hydroxide, magnesium aluminum silicate, synthetic aluminum silicate, synthetic hydrocalcite, magnesium aluminum hydroxide, diisopropylethylamine, ethanolamine, ethylenediamine, triethanolamine, triethylamine, triisopropanolamine, trimethylamine, tris(hydroxymethyl)aminomethane (TRIS) and the like. Also suitable are bases that are salts of a

pharmaceutically acceptable acid, such as acetic acid, acrylic acid, adipic acid, alginic acid, alkanesulfonic acid, amino acids, ascorbic acid, benzoic acid, boric acid, butyric acid, carbonic acid, citric acid, fatty acids, formic acid, fumaric acid, gluconic acid, hydroquinosulfonic acid, isoascorbic acid, lactic acid, maleic acid, oxalic acid, para-bromophenylsulfonic acid, propionic acid, p-toluenesulfonic acid, salicylic acid, stearic acid, succinic acid, tannic acid, tartaric acid, thioglycolic acid, toluenesulfonic acid, uric acid, and the like. Salts of polyprotic acids, such as sodium phosphate, disodium hydrogen phosphate, and sodium dihydrogen phosphate can also be used. When the base is a salt, the cation can be any convenient and pharmaceutically acceptable cation, such as ammonium, alkali metals and alkaline earth metals. Example may include, but not limited to, sodium, potassium, lithium, magnesium, calcium and ammonium.

[00518] Suitable acids are pharmaceutically acceptable organic or inorganic acids. Examples of suitable inorganic acids include hydrochloric acid, hydrobromic acid, hydriodic acid, sulfuric acid, nitric acid, boric acid, phosphoric acid, and the like. Examples of suitable organic acids include acetic acid, acrylic acid, adipic acid, alginic acid, alkanesulfonic acids, amino acids, ascorbic acid, benzoic acid, boric acid, butyric acid, carbonic acid, citric acid, fatty acids, formic acid, fumaric acid, gluconic acid, hydroquinosulfonic acid, isoascorbic acid, lactic acid, maleic acid, methanesulfonic acid, oxalic acid, para-bromophenylsulfonic acid, propionic acid, p-toluenesulfonic acid, salicylic acid, stearic acid, succinic acid, tannic acid, tartaric acid, thioglycolic acid, toluenesulfonic acid and uric acid.

Pharmaceutical Compositions for Injection

[00519] In preferred embodiments, the invention provides a pharmaceutical composition for injection containing the combination of the CD19 and BTK inhibitors, and a pharmaceutical excipient suitable for injection. Components and amounts of agents in the compositions are as described herein.

[00520] The forms in which the compositions of the present invention may be incorporated for administration by injection include aqueous or oil suspensions, or emulsions, with sesame oil, corn oil, cottonseed oil, or peanut oil, as well as elixirs, mannitol, dextrose, or a sterile aqueous solution, and similar pharmaceutical vehicles.

[00521] Aqueous solutions in saline are also conventionally used for injection. Ethanol, glycerol, propylene glycol and liquid polyethylene glycol (and suitable mixtures thereof),

cyclodextrin derivatives, and vegetable oils may also be employed. The proper fluidity can be maintained, for example, by the use of a coating, such as lecithin, for the maintenance of the required particle size in the case of dispersion and by the use of surfactants. The prevention of the action of microorganisms can be brought about by various antibacterial and antifungal agents, for example, parabens, chlorobutanol, phenol, sorbic acid and thimerosal.

[00522] Sterile injectable solutions are prepared by incorporating the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors in the required amounts in the appropriate solvent with various other ingredients as enumerated above, as required, followed by filtered sterilization. Generally, dispersions are prepared by incorporating the various sterilized active ingredients into a sterile vehicle which contains the basic dispersion medium and the required other ingredients from those enumerated above. In the case of sterile powders for the preparation of sterile injectable solutions, certain desirable methods of preparation are vacuum-drying and freeze-drying techniques which yield a powder of the active ingredient plus any additional desired ingredient from a previously sterile-filtered solution thereof.

Pharmaceutical Compositions for Topical Delivery

[00523] In preferred embodiments, the invention provides a pharmaceutical composition for transdermal delivery containing the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors and a pharmaceutical excipient suitable for transdermal delivery.

[00524] Compositions of the present invention can be formulated into preparations in solid, semi-solid, or liquid forms suitable for local or topical administration, such as gels, water soluble jellies, creams, lotions, suspensions, foams, powders, slurries, ointments, solutions, oils, pastes, suppositories, sprays, emulsions, saline solutions, dimethylsulfoxide (DMSO)-based solutions. In general, carriers with higher densities are capable of providing an area with a prolonged exposure to the active ingredients. In contrast, a solution formulation may provide more immediate exposure of the active ingredient to the chosen area.

[00525] The pharmaceutical compositions also may comprise suitable solid or gel phase carriers or excipients, which are compounds that allow increased penetration of, or assist in the delivery of, therapeutic molecules across the stratum corneum permeability barrier of the skin. There are many of these penetration-enhancing molecules known to those trained in the art of topical formulation. Examples of such carriers and excipients include, but are not limited to, humectants

(*e.g.*, urea), glycols (*e.g.*, propylene glycol), alcohols (*e.g.*, ethanol), fatty acids (*e.g.*, oleic acid), surfactants (*e.g.*, isopropyl myristate and sodium lauryl sulfate), pyrrolidones, glycerol monolaurate, sulfoxides, terpenes (*e.g.*, menthol), amines, amides, alkanes, alkanols, water, calcium carbonate, calcium phosphate, various sugars, starches, cellulose derivatives, gelatin, and polymers such as polyethylene glycols.

[00526] Another exemplary formulation for use in the methods of the present invention employs transdermal delivery devices ("patches"). Such transdermal patches may be used to provide continuous or discontinuous infusion of the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors in controlled amounts, either with or without another active pharmaceutical ingredient.

[00527] The construction and use of transdermal patches for the delivery of pharmaceutical agents is well known in the art. See, *e.g.*, U.S. Patent Nos. 5,023,252; 4,992,445 and 5,001,139. Such patches may be constructed for continuous, pulsatile, or on demand delivery of pharmaceutical agents.

Pharmaceutical Compositions for Inhalation

[00528] Compositions for inhalation or insufflation include solutions and suspensions in pharmaceutically acceptable, aqueous or organic solvents, or mixtures thereof, and powders. The liquid or solid compositions may contain suitable pharmaceutically acceptable excipients as described supra. Preferably the compositions are administered by the oral or nasal respiratory route for local or systemic effect. Compositions in preferably pharmaceutically acceptable solvents may be nebulized by use of inert gases. Nebulized solutions may be inhaled directly from the nebulizing device or the nebulizing device may be attached to a face mask tent, or intermittent positive pressure breathing machine. Solution, suspension, or powder compositions may be administered, preferably orally or nasally, from devices that deliver the formulation in an appropriate manner. Dry powder inhalers may also be used to provide inhaled delivery of the compositions.

Other Pharmaceutical Compositions

[00529] Pharmaceutical compositions may also be prepared from compositions described herein and one or more pharmaceutically acceptable excipients suitable for sublingual, buccal, rectal, intraosseous, intraocular, intranasal, epidural, or intraspinal administration. Preparations for such pharmaceutical compositions are well-known in the art. See, *e.g.*, Anderson, Philip O.; Knoben,

James E.; Troutman, William G, eds., Handbook of Clinical Drug Data, Tenth Edition, McGraw-Hill, 2002; and Pratt and Taylor, eds., Principles of Drug Action, Third Edition, Churchill Livingstone, N.Y., 1990, each of which is incorporated by reference herein in its entirety.

[00530] Administration of the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors or pharmaceutical compositions of these compounds can be effected by any method that enables delivery of the compounds to the site of action. These methods include oral routes, intraduodenal routes, parenteral injection (including intravenous, intraarterial, subcutaneous, intramuscular, intravascular, intraperitoneal or infusion), topical (*e.g.*, transdermal application), rectal administration, via local delivery by catheter or stent or through inhalation. The combination of compounds can also be administered intraadiposally or intrathecally.

[00531] The compositions of the invention may also be delivered via an impregnated or coated device such as a stent, for example, or an artery-inserted cylindrical polymer. Such a method of administration may, for example, aid in the prevention or amelioration of restenosis following procedures such as balloon angioplasty. Without being bound by theory, compounds of the invention may slow or inhibit the migration and proliferation of smooth muscle cells in the arterial wall which contribute to restenosis. A compound of the invention may be administered, for example, by local delivery from the struts of a stent, from a stent graft, from grafts, or from the cover or sheath of a stent. In some embodiments, a compound of the invention is admixed with a matrix. Such a matrix may be a polymeric matrix, and may serve to bond the compound to the stent. Polymeric matrices suitable for such use, include, for example, lactone-based polyesters or copolyesters such as polylactide, polycaprolactoneglycolide, polyorthoesters, polyanhydrides, polyaminoacids, polysaccharides, polyphosphazenes, poly(ether-ester) copolymers (*e.g.* PEO-PLLA); polydimethylsiloxane, poly(ethylene-vinylacetate), acrylate-based polymers or copolymers (*e.g.*, polyhydroxyethyl methacrylate, polyvinyl pyrrolidone), fluorinated polymers such as polytetrafluoroethylene and cellulose esters. Suitable matrices may be nondegrading or may degrade with time, releasing the compound or compounds. The combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors may be applied to the surface of the stent by various methods such as dip/spin coating, spray coating, dip-coating, and/or brush-coating. The compounds may be applied in a solvent and the solvent may be allowed to evaporate, thus forming a layer of compound onto the stent. Alternatively, the compound may be located in the body of the stent or graft, for example in microchannels or micropores. When implanted, the

compound diffuses out of the body of the stent to contact the arterial wall. Such stents may be prepared by dipping a stent manufactured to contain such micropores or microchannels into a solution of the compound of the invention in a suitable solvent, followed by evaporation of the solvent. Excess drug on the surface of the stent may be removed via an additional brief solvent wash. In yet other embodiments, compounds of the invention may be covalently linked to a stent or graft. A covalent linker may be used which degrades *in vivo*, leading to the release of the compound of the invention. Any bio-labile linkage may be used for such a purpose, such as ester, amide or anhydride linkages.

[00532] Exemplary parenteral administration forms include solutions or suspensions of active compound in sterile aqueous solutions, for example, aqueous propylene glycol or dextrose solutions. Such dosage forms can be suitably buffered, if desired.

[00533] The invention also provides kits. The kits include each of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors, either alone or in combination in suitable packaging, and written material that can include instructions for use, discussion of clinical studies and listing of side effects. Such kits may also include information, such as scientific literature references, package insert materials, clinical trial results, and/or summaries of these and the like, which indicate or establish the activities and/or advantages of the composition, and/or which describe dosing, administration, side effects, drug interactions, or other information useful to the health care provider. Such information may be based on the results of various studies, for example, studies using experimental animals involving *in vivo* models and studies based on human clinical trials. The kit may further contain another active pharmaceutical ingredient. In selected embodiments, the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors and another active pharmaceutical ingredient are provided as separate compositions in separate containers within the kit. In selected embodiments, the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors and the agent are provided as a single composition within a container in the kit. Suitable packaging and additional articles for use (*e.g.*, measuring cup for liquid preparations, foil wrapping to minimize exposure to air, and the like) are known in the art and may be included in the kit. Kits described herein can be provided, marketed and/or promoted to health providers, including physicians, nurses, pharmacists, formulary officials, and the like. Kits may also, in selected embodiments, be marketed directly to the consumer.

[00534] In some embodiments, the invention provides a kit comprising (1) a composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; and (2) a composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof. These compositions are typically pharmaceutical compositions. The kit is for co-administration of the CD 19 and the BTK inhibitors, either simultaneously or separately.

[00535] In some embodiments, the invention provides a kit comprising (1) a composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; (2) a composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof; and/or (3) a composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of an anti-CD20 antibody selected from the group consisting of rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, ibritumomab, and fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, radioisotope-labeled complexes, and biosimilars thereof. These compositions are typically pharmaceutical compositions. The kit is for co-administration of the CD 19 inhibitor, the BTK inhibitor, and/or the anti-CD20 antibody, either simultaneously or separately.

[00536] In some embodiments, the invention provides a kit comprising (1) a composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; (2) a composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof; and/or (3) a composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of gemcitabine, albumin-bound paclitaxel, bendamustine, fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, chlorambucil, an anticoagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient, or combinations thereof. These compositions are typically pharmaceutical compositions. The kit is for co-administration of the CD 19 inhibitor, BTK inhibitor, gemcitabine, albumin-bound paclitaxel, bendamustine, fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, chlorambucil, and/or the anticoagulant or the antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient, either simultaneously or separately.

[00537] In some embodiments, the invention provides a kit comprising (1) a composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; (2) a composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof; (3) a composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of an anti-CD20 antibody selected from the group consisting of rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, ibritumomab, and fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, radioisotope-labeled complexes, biosimilars thereof, and combinations thereof; and/or (4) a composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of gemcitabine, albumin-bound paclitaxel, bendamustine, fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, chlorambucil, an anticoagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient, or combinations thereof. These compositions are typically pharmaceutical compositions. The kit is for co-administration of the CD 19 inhibitor, BTK inhibitor, anti-CD20 antibody, gemcitabine, albumin-bound paclitaxel, bendamustine, fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, chlorambucil, and/or the anticoagulant or the antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient, either simultaneously or separately.

[00538] The kits described above are preferably for use in the treatment of the diseases and conditions described herein. In a preferred embodiment, the kits are for use in the treatment of cancer. In preferred embodiments, the kits are for use in treating solid tumor cancers, lymphomas and leukemias.

[00539] In a preferred embodiment, the kits of the present invention are for use in the treatment of cancer. In a preferred embodiment, the kits of the present invention are for use in the treatment of a cancer selected from the group consisting of bladder cancer, squamous cell carcinoma including head and neck cancer, pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma (PDA), pancreatic cancer, colon carcinoma, mammary carcinoma, breast cancer, fibrosarcoma, mesothelioma, renal cell carcinoma, lung carcinoma, thymoma, prostate cancer, colorectal cancer, ovarian cancer, acute myeloid leukemia, thymus cancer, brain cancer, squamous cell cancer, skin cancer, eye cancer, retinoblastoma, melanoma, intraocular melanoma, oral cavity and oropharyngeal cancers, gastric cancer, stomach cancer, cervical cancer, renal cancer, kidney cancer, liver cancer, ovarian cancer, esophageal cancer, testicular cancer, gynecological cancer, thyroid cancer, acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS)-related cancers (e.g., lymphoma and Kaposi's sarcoma),

viral-induced cancer, glioblastoma, esophageal tumors, hematological neoplasms, non-small-cell lung cancer, chronic myelocytic leukemia, diffuse large B-cell lymphoma, esophagus tumor, follicle center lymphoma, head and neck tumor, hepatitis C virus infection, hepatocellular carcinoma, Hodgkin's disease, metastatic colon cancer, multiple myeloma, non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, indolent non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, ovary tumor, pancreas tumor, renal cell carcinoma, small-cell lung cancer, stage IV melanoma, chronic lymphocytic leukemia, B-cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), mature B-cell ALL, follicular lymphoma, mantle cell lymphoma, and Burkitt's lymphoma.

Dosages and Dosing Regimens

[00540] The amounts of BTK inhibitors and CD 19 inhibitors administered will be dependent on the human or mammal being treated, the severity of the disorder or condition, the rate of administration, the disposition of the compounds and the discretion of the prescribing physician. However, an effective dosage of each is in the range of about 0.001 to about 100 mg per kg body weight per day, such as about 1 to about 35 mg/kg/day, in single or divided doses. For a 70 kg human, this would amount to about 0.05 to 7 g/day, such as about 0.05 to about 2.5 g/day. In some instances, dosage levels below the lower limit of the aforesaid range may be more than adequate, while in other cases still larger doses may be employed without causing any harmful side effect - *e.g.*, by dividing such larger doses into several small doses for administration throughout the day. The dosage of BTK inhibitors and CD 19 inhibitors may be provided in units of mg/kg of body mass or in mg/m² of body surface area. In an embodiment, the ratio of the dose of the CD 19 inhibitor to the dose of the BTK inhibitor in mg/kg or in mg/m² is in the range from 10:1 to 1:10, preferably from 2.5:1 to 1:2.5, and more preferably about 1:1. In an embodiment, the ratio of the CD 19 inhibitor to the BTK inhibitor in mg/kg or in mg/m² is selected from the group consisting of about 20:1, about 19:1, about 18:1, about 17:1, about 16:1, about 15:1, about 14:1, about 13:1, about 12:1, about 11:1, about 10:1, about 9:1, about 8:1, about 7:1, about 6:1, about 5:1, about 4:1, about 3:1, about 2:1, about 1:1, about 1:2, about 1:3, about 1:4, about 1:5, about 1:6, about 1:7, about 1:8, about 1:9, about 1:10, about 1:11, about 1:12, about 1:13, about 1:14, about 1:15, about 1:16, about 1:17, about 1:18, about 1:19, and about 1:20.

[00541] In some embodiments, the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors is administered in a single dose. Such administration may be by injection, *e.g.*, intravenous

injection, in order to introduce the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors quickly. However, other routes, including the preferred oral route, may be used as appropriate. A single dose of the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors may also be used for treatment of an acute condition.

[00542] In some embodiments, the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors is administered in multiple doses. Dosing may be once, twice, three times, four times, five times, six times, or more than six times per day. Dosing may be once a month, once every two weeks, once a week, or once every other day. In other embodiments, the combination of the CD 19 and/or BTK inhibitors is administered about once per day to about 6 times per day. In some embodiments, the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors is administered once daily, while in other embodiments, the combination of the CD 19, and BTK inhibitors is administered twice daily, and in other embodiments the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors is administered three times daily. In some embodiments, a BTK inhibitor disclosed herein is administered in combination with a CD 19 inhibitor once daily, while in other embodiments a BTK inhibitor disclosed herein is administered in combination with a CD 19 inhibitor twice daily, and in other embodiments a BTK inhibitor disclosed herein is administered in combination with a CD 19 inhibitor three times daily. In some embodiments, a CD 19 inhibitor disclosed herein, wherein the CD 19 inhibitor is a T cell or NK cell expressing an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor, is administered as a single infusion, and a BTK inhibitor disclosed herein is administered once or twice daily by oral administration for a period of at least 1 week.

[00543] Administration of the active pharmaceutical ingredients of the invention may continue as long as necessary. In selected embodiments, the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors is administered for more than 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 14, or 28 days. In some embodiments, the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors is administered for less than 28, 14, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, or 1 day. In selected embodiments, the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors is administered chronically on an ongoing basis - *e.g.*, for the treatment of chronic effects. In another embodiment the administration of the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors continues for less than about 7 days. In yet another embodiment the administration continues for more than about 6, 10, 14, 28 days, two months, six months, or one year. In some cases, continuous dosing is achieved and maintained as long as necessary.

[00544] In some embodiments, an effective dosage of a BTK inhibitor disclosed herein is in the range of about 1 mg to about 500 mg, about 10 mg to about 300 mg, about 20 mg to about 250 mg, about 25 mg to about 200 mg, about 10 mg to about 200 mg, about 20 mg to about 150 mg, about 30 mg to about 120 mg, about 10 mg to about 90 mg, about 20 mg to about 80 mg, about 30 mg to about 70 mg, about 40 mg to about 60 mg, about 45 mg to about 55 mg, about 48 mg to about 52 mg, about 50 mg to about 150 mg, about 60 mg to about 140 mg, about 70 mg to about 130 mg, about 80 mg to about 120 mg, about 90 mg to about 110 mg, about 95 mg to about 105 mg, about 150 mg to about 250 mg, about 160 mg to about 240 mg, about 170 mg to about 230 mg, about 180 mg to about 220 mg, about 190 mg to about 210 mg, about 195 mg to about 205 mg, or about 198 to about 202 mg. In some embodiments, an effective dosage of a BTK inhibitor disclosed herein is about 25 mg, about 50 mg, about 75 mg, about 100 mg, about 125 mg, about 150 mg, about 175 mg, about 200 mg, about 225 mg, or about 250 mg.

[00545] In some embodiments, an effective dosage of a BTK inhibitor disclosed herein is in the range of about 0.01 mg/kg to about 4.3 mg/kg, about 0.15 mg/kg to about 3.6 mg/kg, about 0.3 mg/kg to about 3.2 mg/kg, about 0.35 mg/kg to about 2.85 mg/kg, about 0.15 mg/kg to about 2.85 mg/kg, about 0.3 mg to about 2.15 mg/kg, about 0.45 mg/kg to about 1.7 mg/kg, about 0.15 mg/kg to about 1.3 mg/kg, about 0.3 mg/kg to about 1.15 mg/kg, about 0.45 mg/kg to about 1 mg/kg, about 0.55 mg/kg to about 0.85 mg/kg, about 0.65 mg/kg to about 0.8 mg/kg, about 0.7 mg/kg to about 0.75 mg/kg, about 0.7 mg/kg to about 2.15 mg/kg, about 0.85 mg/kg to about 2 mg/kg, about 1 mg/kg to about 1.85 mg/kg, about 1.15 mg/kg to about 1.7 mg/kg, about 1.3 mg/kg to about 1.6 mg/kg, about 1.35 mg/kg to about 1.5 mg/kg, about 2.15 mg/kg to about 3.6 mg/kg, about 2.3 mg/kg to about 3.4 mg/kg, about 2.4 mg/kg to about 3.3 mg/kg, about 2.6 mg/kg to about 3.15 mg/kg, about 2.7 mg/kg to about 3 mg/kg, about 2.8 mg/kg to about 3 mg/kg, or about 2.85 mg/kg to about 2.95 mg/kg. In some embodiments, an effective dosage of a BTK inhibitor disclosed herein is about 0.35 mg/kg, about 0.7 mg/kg, about 1 mg/kg, about 1.4 mg/kg, about 1.8 mg/kg, about 2.1 mg/kg, about 2.5 mg/kg, about 2.85 mg/kg, about 3.2 mg/kg, or about 3.6 mg/kg.

[00546] In some embodiments, an effective dosage of a CD19 inhibitor disclosed herein is in the range of about 1 mg to about 500 mg, about 10 mg to about 300 mg, about 20 mg to about 250 mg, about 25 mg to about 200 mg, about 1 mg to about 50 mg, about 5 mg to about 45 mg, about 10 mg to about 40 mg, about 15 mg to about 35 mg, about 20 mg to about 30 mg, about 23

mg to about 28 mg, about 50 mg to about 150 mg, about 60 mg to about 140 mg, about 70 mg to about 130 mg, about 80 mg to about 120 mg, about 90 mg to about 110 mg, or about 95 mg to about 105 mg, about 98 mg to about 102 mg, about 150 mg to about 250 mg, about 160 mg to about 240 mg, about 170 mg to about 230 mg, about 180 mg to about 220 mg, about 190 mg to about 210 mg, about 195 mg to about 205 mg, or about 198 to about 207 mg. In some embodiments, an effective dosage of a CD19 inhibitor disclosed herein is about 25 mg, about 50 mg, about 75 mg, about 100 mg, about 125 mg, about 150 mg, about 175 mg, about 200 mg, about 225 mg, or about 250 mg. In some embodiments, an effective dosage of a CD19 inhibitor disclosed herein, wherein the CD19 inhibitor is a T cell or an NK cell expressing an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor, is at least 1×10^5 cells, 1×10^6 cells, 1×10^7 cells, 1×10^8 cells, 1×10^9 cells, or 1×10^{10} cells.

[00547] In some embodiments, an effective dosage of a CD19 inhibitor disclosed herein is in the range of about 0.01 mg/kg to about 4.3 mg/kg, about 0.15 mg/kg to about 3.6 mg/kg, about 0.3 mg/kg to about 3.2 mg/kg, about 0.35 mg/kg to about 2.85 mg/kg, about 0.01 mg/kg to about 0.7 mg/kg, about 0.07 mg/kg to about 0.65 mg/kg, about 0.15 mg/kg to about 0.6 mg/kg, about 0.2 mg/kg to about 0.5 mg/kg, about 0.3 mg/kg to about 0.45 mg/kg, about 0.3 mg/kg to about 0.4 mg/kg, about 0.7 mg/kg to about 2.15 mg/kg, about 0.85 mg/kg to about 2 mg/kg, about 1 mg/kg to about 1.85 mg/kg, about 1.15 mg/kg to about 1.7 mg/kg, about 1.3 mg/kg to about 1.6 mg/kg, about 1.35 mg/kg to about 1.5 mg/kg, about 1.4 mg/kg to about 1.45 mg/kg, about 2.15 mg/kg to about 3.6 mg/kg, about 2.3 mg/kg to about 3.4 mg/kg, about 2.4 mg/kg to about 3.3 mg/kg, about 2.6 mg/kg to about 3.15 mg/kg, about 2.7 mg/kg to about 3 mg/kg, about 2.8 mg/kg to about 3 mg/kg, or about 2.85 mg/kg to about 2.95 mg/kg. In some embodiments, an effective dosage of a CD19 inhibitor disclosed herein is about 0.4 mg/kg, about 0.7 mg/kg, about 1 mg/kg, about 1.4 mg/kg, about 1.8 mg/kg, about 2.1 mg/kg, about 2.5 mg/kg, about 2.85 mg/kg, about 3.2 mg/kg, or about 3.6 mg/kg.

[00548] In some embodiments, a combination of a BTK inhibitor and a CD19 inhibitor is administered at a dosage of 10 to 200 mg BID, including 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90, 100, or 150 mg BID, for the BTK inhibitor, and 1 to 500 mg BID, including 1, 5, 10, 15, 25, 50, 75, 100, 150, 200, 300, 400, or 500 mg BID for the CD19 inhibitor.

[00549] In some instances, dosage levels below the lower limit of the aforesaid ranges may be more than adequate, while in other cases still larger doses may be employed without causing any harmful side effect - *e.g.*, by dividing such larger doses into several small doses for administration throughout the day.

[00550] An effective amount of the combination of the CD 19 and BTK inhibitors may be administered in either single or multiple doses by any of the accepted modes of administration of agents having similar utilities, including rectal, buccal, intranasal and transdermal routes, by intra-arterial injection, intravenously, intraperitoneally, parenterally, intramuscularly, subcutaneously, orally, topically, or as an inhalant.

Methods of Treating Solid Tumor Cancers, Hematological Malignancies, Inflammation, Immune and Autoimmune Disorders, and Other Diseases

[00551] The compositions and combinations of inhibitors described above can be used in a method for treating BTK-mediated disorders and diseases. In a preferred embodiment, they are for use in treating hyperproliferative disorders. They may also be used in treating other disorders as described herein and in the following paragraphs.

[00552] In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating a hyperproliferative disorder in a mammal that comprises administering to said mammal a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof and a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof.

[00553] In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating a hyperproliferative disorder in a mammal that comprises administering to said mammal a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof and a BTK inhibitor, where the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof.

[00554] In some embodiments, the hyperproliferative disorder is a solid tumor cancer selected from the group consisting of bladder cancer, squamous cell carcinoma, head and neck cancer, pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma (PDA), pancreatic cancer, colon carcinoma, mammary

carcinoma, breast cancer, fibrosarcoma, mesothelioma, renal cell carcinoma, lung carcinoma, thyoma, prostate cancer, colorectal cancer, ovarian cancer, acute myeloid leukemia, thymus cancer, brain cancer, squamous cell cancer, skin cancer, eye cancer, retinoblastoma, melanoma, intraocular melanoma, oral cavity cancer, oropharyngeal cancer, gastric cancer, stomach cancer, cervical cancer, renal cancer, kidney cancer, liver cancer, ovarian cancer, prostate cancer, colorectal cancer, esophageal cancer, testicular cancer, gynecological cancer, thyroid cancer, acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS)-related cancers (e.g., lymphoma and Kaposi's sarcoma), viral-induced cancers such as cervical carcinoma (human papillomavirus), B-cell lymphoproliferative disease, nasopharyngeal carcinoma (Epstein-Barr virus), Kaposi's sarcoma and primary effusion lymphomas (Kaposi's sarcoma herpesvirus), hepatocellular carcinoma (hepatitis B and hepatitis C viruses), and T-cell leukemias (Human T-cell leukemia virus-1), glioblastoma, esophageal tumors, head and neck tumor, metastatic colon cancer, head and neck squamous cell carcinoma, ovary tumor, pancreas tumor, renal cell carcinoma, hematological neoplasms, small-cell lung cancer, non-small-cell lung cancer, stage IV melanoma, and glioma.

[00555] In some embodiments, the hyperproliferative disorder is a B cell hematological malignancy selected from the group consisting of chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL), small lymphocytic leukemia (SLL), non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (NHL), diffuse large B cell lymphoma (DLBCL), follicular lymphoma (FL), mantle cell lymphoma (MCL), Hodgkin's lymphoma, B cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia (B-ALL), Burkitt's lymphoma, Waldenstrom's macroglobulinemia (WM), Burkitt's lymphoma, multiple myeloma, myelodysplastic syndromes, or myelofibrosis. In an embodiment, the invention relates to a method of treating a cancer in a mammal, wherein the cancer is chronic myelocytic leukemia, acute myeloid leukemia, DLBCL (including activated B-cell (ABC) and germinal center B-cell (GCB) subtypes), follicle center lymphoma, Hodgkin's disease, multiple myeloma, indolent non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, and mature B-cell ALL.

[00556] In some embodiments, the hyperproliferative disorder is a subtype of CLL. A number of subtypes of CLL have been characterized. CLL is often classified for immunoglobulin heavy-chain variable-region (IgV_H) mutational status in leukemic cells. R. N. Damle, *etal*, *Blood* **1999**, *94*, 1840-47; T. J. Hamblin, *etal*, *Blood* **1999**, *94*, 1848-54. Patients with IgV_H mutations generally survive longer than patients without IgV_H mutations. ZAP70 expression (positive or negative) is also used to characterize CLL. L. Z. Rassenti, *etal*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2004**, *351*,

893-901. The methylation of ZAP-70 at CpG3 is also used to characterize CLL, for example by pyrosequencing. R. Claus, *et al*, *J. Clin. Oncol.* **2012**, *30*, 2483-91; J. A. Woyach, *et al*, *Blood* **2014**, *123*, 1810-17. CLL is also classified by stage of disease under the Binet or Rai criteria. J. L. Binet, *et al*, *Cancer* **1977**, *40*, 855-64; K. R. Rai, T. Han, *Hematol. Oncol. Clin. North Am.* **1990**, *4*, 447-56. Other common mutations, such as *llq* deletion, *13q* deletion, and *17p* deletion can be assessed using well-known techniques such as fluorescence *in situ* hybridization (FISH). In an embodiment, the invention relates to a method of treating a CLL in a human, wherein the CLL is selected from the group consisting of IgV_H mutation negative CLL, ZAP-70 positive CLL, ZAP-70 methylated at CpG3 CLL, CD38 positive CLL, chronic lymphocytic leukemia characterized by a *17p13.1* (*17p*) deletion, and CLL characterized by a *llq22.3* (*llq*) deletion.

[00557] In some embodiments, the hyperproliferative disorder is a CLL wherein the CLL has undergone a Richter's transformation. Methods of assessing Richter's transformation, which is also known as Richter's syndrome, are described in P. Jain and S. O'Brien, *Oncology*, **2012**, *26*, 1146-52. Richter's transformation is a subtype of CLL that is observed in 5-10% of patients. It involves the development of aggressive lymphoma from CLL and has a generally poor prognosis.

[00558] In some embodiments, the hyperproliferative disorder is a CLL or SLL in a patient, wherein the patient is sensitive to lymphocytosis. In an embodiment, the invention relates to a method of treating CLL or SLL in a patient, wherein the patient exhibits lymphocytosis caused by a disorder selected from the group consisting of a viral infection, a bacterial infection, a protozoal infection, or a post-splenectomy state. In an embodiment, the viral infection in any of the foregoing embodiments is selected from the group consisting of infectious mononucleosis, hepatitis, and cytomegalovirus. In an embodiment, the bacterial infection in any of the foregoing embodiments is selected from the group consisting of pertussis, tuberculosis, and brucellosis.

[00559] In some embodiments, the hyperproliferative disorder is selected from the group consisting of myeloproliferative disorders (MPDs), myeloproliferative neoplasms, polycythemia vera (PV), essential thrombocythemia (ET), primary myelofibrosis (PMF), myelodysplastic syndrome, chronic myelogenous leukemia (BCR-ABL1 -positive), chronic neutrophilic leukemia, chronic eosinophilic leukemia, or mastocytosis.

[00560] In some embodiments, the hyperproliferative disorder is an inflammatory, immune, or autoimmune disorder. In some embodiments, the hyperproliferative disorder is selected from the group consisting of tumor angiogenesis, chronic inflammatory disease, rheumatoid arthritis, atherosclerosis, inflammatory bowel disease, skin diseases such as psoriasis, eczema, and scleroderma, diabetes, diabetic retinopathy, retinopathy of prematurity, age-related macular degeneration, hemangioma, glioma and melanoma, ulcerative colitis, atopic dermatitis, pouchitis, spondylarthritis, uveitis, Behcet's disease, polymyalgia rheumatica, giant-cell arteritis, sarcoidosis, Kawasaki disease, juvenile idiopathic arthritis, hidradenitis suppurativa, Sjogren's syndrome, psoriatic arthritis, juvenile rheumatoid arthritis, ankylosing spondylitis, Crohn's disease, lupus, and lupus nephritis.

[00561] In some embodiments, the hyperproliferative disorder is a disease related to vasculogenesis or angiogenesis in a mammal which can manifest as tumor angiogenesis, chronic inflammatory disease such as rheumatoid arthritis, inflammatory bowel disease, atherosclerosis, skin diseases such as psoriasis, eczema, and scleroderma, diabetes, diabetic retinopathy, retinopathy of prematurity, age-related macular degeneration, hemangioma, glioma, melanoma, Kaposi's sarcoma and ovarian, breast, lung, pancreatic, prostate, colon and epidermoid cancer.

[00562] In some embodiments, the hyperproliferative disorder is an inflammatory, immune or autoimmune disorder selected from the group consisting of tumor angiogenesis, chronic inflammatory disease, rheumatoid arthritis, atherosclerosis, inflammatory bowel disease, skin diseases such as psoriasis, eczema, and scleroderma, Type 1 diabetes, Type 2 diabetes, diabetic retinopathy, retinopathy of prematurity, age-related macular degeneration, hemangioma, glioma and melanoma, ulcerative colitis, atopic dermatitis, pouchitis, spondylarthritis, uveitis, Behcet's disease, polymyalgia rheumatica, giant-cell arteritis, sarcoidosis, Kawasaki disease, juvenile idiopathic arthritis, hidradenitis suppurativa, Sjogren's syndrome, psoriatic arthritis, juvenile rheumatoid arthritis, ankylosing spondylitis, Crohn's disease, lupus, lupus nephritis, human leukocyte antigen (HLA) associated diseases, autoantibodies, immunotherapy, Addison's disease, autoimmune polyendocrine syndrome type 1 (APS-1), autoimmune polyendocrine syndrome type 2 (APS-2), Grave's disease, Hashimoto's thyroiditis, polyendocrine autoimmunity, iatrogenic autoimmunity, idiopathic hypoparathyroidism, and vitiligo.

[00563] In some embodiments, provided herein is a method of treating, preventing and/or managing asthma. As used herein, "asthma" encompasses airway constriction regardless of the cause. Common triggers of asthma include, but are not limited to, exposure to an environmental stimulants (*e.g.*, allergens), cold air, warm air, perfume, moist air, exercise or exertion, and emotional stress. Also provided herein is a method of treating, preventing and/or managing one or more symptoms associated with asthma. Examples of the symptoms include, but are not limited to, severe coughing, airway constriction and mucus production.

[00564] Efficacy of the methods, compounds, and combinations of compounds described herein in treating, preventing and/or managing the indicated diseases or disorders can be tested using various animal models known in the art. Efficacy in treating, preventing and/or managing asthma can be assessed using the ova induced asthma model described, for example, in Lee, *et al.*, *J. Allergy Clin. Immunol.* **2006**, *118*, 403-9. Efficacy in treating, preventing and/or managing arthritis (*e.g.*, rheumatoid or psoriatic arthritis) can be assessed using the autoimmune animal models described in, for example, Williams, *et al.*, *Chem. Biol.* **2010**, *17*, 123-34, WO 2009/088986, WO 2009/088880, and WO 2011/008302. Efficacy in treating, preventing and/or managing psoriasis can be assessed using transgenic or knockout mouse model with targeted mutations in epidermis, vasculature or immune cells, mouse model resulting from spontaneous mutations, and immuno-deficient mouse model with xenotransplantation of human skin or immune cells, all of which are described, for example, in Boehncke, *et al.*, *Clinics in Dermatology*, **2007**, *25*, 596-605. Efficacy in treating, preventing and/or managing fibrosis or fibrotic conditions can be assessed using the unilateral ureteral obstruction model of renal fibrosis, which is described, for example, in Chevalier, *et al.*, *Kidney International* **2009**, *75*, 1145-1152; the bleomycin induced model of pulmonary fibrosis described in, for example, Moore, *et al.*, *Am. J. Physiol. Lung. Cell. Mol. Physiol.* **2008**, *294*, L152-L160; a variety of liver/biliary fibrosis models described in, for example, Chuang, *et al.*, *Clin. Liver Dis.* **2008**, *12*, 333-347 and Omenetti, *et al.*, *Laboratory Investigation*, **2007**, *87*, 499-514 (biliary duct-ligated model); or any of a number of myelofibrosis mouse models such as described in Varicchio, *et al.*, *Expert Rev. Hematol.* **2009**, *2(3)*, 315-334. Efficacy in treating, preventing and/or managing scleroderma can be assessed using a mouse model induced by repeated local injections of bleomycin described, for example, in Yamamoto, *et al.*, *J. Invest. Dermatol.* **1999**, *112*, 456-462. Efficacy in treating, preventing and/or managing dermatomyositis can be assessed using a

myositis mouse model induced by immunization with rabbit myosin as described, for example, in Phyanagi, *et al*, *Arthritis & Rheumatism*, **2009**, *60*(10), 3118-3127. Efficacy in treating, preventing and/or managing lupus can be assessed using various animal models described, for example, in Ghoreishi, *et al.*, *Lupus*, **2009**, *19*, 1029-1035; Ohl, *et al.*, *J. Biomed. Biotechnol.*, **2011**, Article ID 432595; Xia, *et al*, *Rheumatology*, **2011**, *50*, 2187-2196; Pau, *et al*, *PLoS ONE*, **2012**, *7*(5), e36761; Mustafa, *et al*, *Toxicology*, **2011**, *290*, 156-168; Ichikawa, *et al*, *Arthritis & Rheumatism*, **2012**, *62*(2), 493-503; Rankin, *et al*, *J. Immunology*, **2012**, *188*, 1656-1667. Efficacy in treating, preventing and/or managing Sjogren's syndrome can be assessed using various mouse models described, for example, in Chiorini, *et al*, *J. Autoimmunity*, **2009**, *33*, 190-196. Models for determining efficacy of treatments for pancreatic cancer are described in Herreros-Villanueva, *et al*, *World J. Gastroenterol.* **2012**, *18*, 1286-1294. Models for determining efficacy of treatments for breast cancer are described, *e.g.*, in Fantozzi, *Breast Cancer Res.* **2006**, *8*, 212. Models for determining efficacy of treatments for ovarian cancer are described, *e.g.*, in Mullany, *et al.*, *Endocrinology* **2012**, *153*, 1585-92; and Fong, *et al.*, *J. Ovarian Res.* **2009**, *2*, 12. Models for determining efficacy of treatments for melanoma are described, *e.g.*, in Damsky, *et al*, *Pigment Cell & Melanoma Res.* **2010**, *23*, 853-859. Models for determining efficacy of treatments for lung cancer are described, *e.g.*, in Meuwissen, *et al*, *Genes & Development*, **2005**, *19*, 643-664. Models for determining efficacy of treatments for lung cancer are described, *e.g.*, in Kim, *Clin. Exp. Otorhinolaryngol.* **2009**, *2*, 55-60; and Sano, *Head Neck Oncol.* **2009**, *1*, 32. Models for determining efficacy of treatments for colorectal cancer, including the CT26 model, are described in Castle, *et al*, *BMC Genomics*, **2013**, *15*, 190; Endo, *et al*, *Cancer Gene Therapy*, **2002**, *9*, 142-148; Roth *et al.*, *Adv. Immunol.* **1994**, *57*, 281-351; Fearon, *et al*, *Cancer Res.* **1988**, *48*, 2975-2980. Models for determining the efficacy of treatments for DLBCL included the PiBCL1 murine model and BALB/c (haplotype H-2^d) mice. Illidge, *et al*, *Cancer Biother. & Radiopharm.* **2000**, *15*, 571-80. Models for determining the efficacy of treatments for NHL include the 38C13 murine model with C3H/HeN (haplotype 2-H^k) mice or alternatively the 38C13 Her2/neu model. Timmerman, *et al*, *Blood*, **2001**, *97*, 1370-77; Penichet, *et al*, *Cancer Immunolog. Immunother.* **2000**, *49*, 649-662. Models for determining the efficacy of treatments for CLL include the BCL1 model using BALB/c (haplotype H-2^d) mice. Dutt, *et al*, *Blood*, **2011**, *117*, 3230-29.

[00565] In selected embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating a solid tumor

cancer with a composition including a combination of a CD 19 inhibitor and a BTK inhibitor, wherein the dose is effective to inhibit signaling between the solid tumor cells and at least one microenvironment selected from the group consisting of macrophages, monocytes, mast cells, helper T cells, cytotoxic T cells, regulatory T cells, natural killer cells, myeloid-derived suppressor cells, regulatory B cells, neutrophils, dendritic cells, and fibroblasts. In an embodiment, the invention provides a method for treating pancreatic cancer, breast cancer, ovarian cancer, melanoma, lung cancer, head and neck cancer, and colorectal cancer using a combination of a BTK inhibitor, a CD 19 inhibitor, and gemcitabine, or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt, cocrystal, hydrate, solvate, or prodrug thereof. In an embodiment, the invention provides a method for treating pancreatic cancer, breast cancer, ovarian cancer, melanoma, lung cancer, head and neck cancer, and colorectal cancer using a combination of a BTK inhibitor, a CD 19 inhibitor, and gemcitabine, or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt, cocrystal, hydrate, solvate, or prodrug thereof, wherein the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (1).

[00566] In some embodiments, the invention provides pharmaceutical compositions of a combination of a CD 19 inhibitor and a BTK inhibitor for the treatment of hyperproliferative disorders as described herein. In some embodiments, the invention provides pharmaceutical compositions of a combination of a CD 19 inhibitor and a BTK inhibitor for the treatment of disorders such as myeloproliferative disorders (MPDs), myeloproliferative neoplasms, polycythemia vera (PV), essential thrombocythemia (ET), primary myelofibrosis (PMF), myelodysplastic syndrome, chronic myelogenous leukemia (BCR-ABL1 -positive), chronic neutrophilic leukemia, chronic eosinophilic leukemia, or mastocytosis, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7). The invention further provides a composition as described herein for the prevention of blastocyte implantation in a mammal.

Methods of Treating Patients Intolerant to Bleeding Events

[00567] In selected embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating a disease in a human sensitive to or intolerant to bleeding events, comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of a BTK inhibitor, or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt, cocrystal, hydrate, solvate, or prodrug thereof, and a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof. In a preferred embodiment, the invention

provides a method of treating a cancer in a human sensitive to or intolerant to bleeding events, comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of a BTK inhibitor, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), and a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt, cocrystal, hydrate, solvate, and prodrug thereof. In a preferred embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a cancer in a human sensitive to or intolerant to bleeding events, comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), and a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt, cocrystal, hydrate, solvate, and prodrug thereof, and wherein the CD 19 inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of blinatumomab, coltuximab ravtansine, denintuzumab mafodotin, and an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor, and antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, and biosimilars thereof. In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating a disease in a human sensitive to or intolerant to ibrutinib.

[00568] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a cancer in a human intolerant to bleeding events, comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of a BTK inhibitor, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt, cocrystal, hydrate, solvate, or prodrug thereof, and a CD 19 inhibitor, or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of an anticoagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient.

[00569] In selected embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating a cancer in a human intolerant to bleeding events, comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of a BTK inhibitor, wherein the BTK inhibitor is preferably selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), and wherein the cancer is selected from the group consisting of bladder cancer, squamous cell carcinoma including head and neck cancer, pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma (PDA), pancreatic cancer, colon carcinoma, mammary carcinoma, breast cancer, fibrosarcoma, mesothelioma, renal cell carcinoma, lung carcinoma, thymoma, prostate

cancer, colorectal cancer, ovarian cancer, acute myeloid leukemia, thymus cancer, brain cancer, squamous cell cancer, skin cancer, eye cancer, retinoblastoma, melanoma, intraocular melanoma, oral cavity and oropharyngeal cancers, gastric cancer, stomach cancer, cervical cancer, head, neck, renal cancer, kidney cancer, liver cancer, colorectal cancer, esophageal cancer, testicular cancer, gynecological cancer, thyroid cancer, acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS)-related cancers (e.g., lymphoma and Kaposi's sarcoma), viral-induced cancer, glioblastoma, esophageal tumors, hematological neoplasms, non-small-cell lung cancer, chronic myelocytic leukemia, diffuse large B-cell lymphoma, esophagus tumor, follicle center lymphoma, head and neck tumor, hepatitis C virus infection, hepatocellular carcinoma, Hodgkin's disease, metastatic colon cancer, multiple myeloma, non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, indolent non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, ovary tumor, pancreas tumor, renal cell carcinoma, small-cell lung cancer, stage IV melanoma, chronic lymphocytic leukemia, B-cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), mature B-cell ALL, follicular lymphoma, mantle cell lymphoma, and Burkitt's lymphoma.

[00570] In some embodiments, the invention provides a method of treating a cancer in a human intolerant to platelet-mediated thrombosis comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of a BTK inhibitor, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt, cocrystal, hydrate, solvate, or prodrug thereof, and a CD19 inhibitor, or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof.

[00571] In some embodiments, the BTK inhibitor and the anticoagulant or the antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient are administered sequentially. In some embodiments, the BTK inhibitor and the anticoagulant or the antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient are administered concomitantly. In selected embodiments, the BTK inhibitor is administered before the anticoagulant or the antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient. In selected embodiments, the BTK inhibitor is administered after the anticoagulant or the antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient. In selected embodiments, a CD19 inhibitor is co-administered with the BTK inhibitor and the anticoagulant or the antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient at the same time or at different times.

[00572] Selected anti-platelet and anticoagulant active pharmaceutical ingredients for use in the

methods of the present invention include, but are not limited to, cyclooxygenase inhibitors (*e.g.*, aspirin), adenosine diphosphate (ADP) receptor inhibitors (*e.g.*, clopidogrel and ticlopidine), phosphodiesterase inhibitors (*e.g.*, cilostazol), glycoprotein IIb/IIIa inhibitors (*e.g.*, abciximab, eptifibatide, and tirofiban), and adenosine reuptake inhibitors (*e.g.*, dipyridamole). In other embodiments, examples of anti-platelet active pharmaceutical ingredients for use in the methods of the present invention include anagrelide, aspirin/extended-release dipyridamole, cilostazol, clopidogrel, dipyridamole, prasugrel, ticagrelor, ticlopidine, vorapaxar, tirofiban HCl, eptifibatide, abciximab, argatroban, bivalirudin, dalteparin, desirudin, enoxaparin, fondaparinux, heparin, lepirudin, apixaban, dabigatran etexilate mesylate, rivaroxaban, and warfarin.

[00573] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a cancer, comprising the step of orally administering, to a human in need thereof, a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor, wherein the BTK inhibitor is (*S*)-4-(8-amino-3-(1-(but-2-ynoyl)pyrrolidin-2-yl)imidazo[1,5-a]pyrazin-1-yl)-*N*-(pyridin-2-yl)benzamide or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, and a CD 19 inhibitor, or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of an anticoagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient, wherein the anticoagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient is selected from the group consisting of acenocoumarol, anagrelide, anagrelide hydrochloride, abciximab, aloxiprin, antithrombin, apixaban, argatroban, aspirin, aspirin with extended-release dipyridamole, beraprost, betrixaban, bivalirudin, carbasalate calcium, cilostazol, clopidogrel, clopidogrel bisulfate, cloricromen, dabigatran etexilate, darexaban, dalteparin, dalteparin sodium, defibrotide, dicumarol, diphenadione, dipyridamole, ditazole, desirudin, edoxaban, enoxaparin, enoxaparin sodium, eptifibatide, fondaparinux, fondaparinux sodium, heparin, heparin sodium, heparin calcium, idraparinux, idraparinux sodium, iloprost, indobufen, lepirudin, low molecular weight heparin, melagatran, nadroparin, otamixaban, parnaparin, phenindione, phenprocoumon, prasugrel, picotamide, prostacyclin, ramatroban, reviparin, rivaroxaban, sulodexide, terutroban, terutroban sodium, ticagrelor, ticlopidine, ticlopidine hydrochloride, tinzaparin, tinzaparin sodium, tirofiban, tirofiban hydrochloride, treprostinil, treprostinil sodium, triflusal, vorapaxar, warfarin, warfarin sodium, ximelagatran, salts thereof, solvates thereof, hydrates thereof, prodrugs thereof, and combinations thereof.

Combinations of BTK Inhibitors and CD19 Inhibitors with Anti-CD20 Antibodies

[00574] The BTK inhibitors of the present invention and combinations of the BTK inhibitors with CD19 inhibitors may also be safely co-administered with immunotherapeutic antibodies such as the anti-CD20 antibodies rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, and ibritumomab, and or antigen-binding fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, and radioisotope-labeled complexes thereof, which may be given alone or with conventional chemotherapeutic active pharmaceutical ingredients such as those described herein. In an embodiment, the foregoing combinations exhibit synergistic effects that may result in greater efficacy, less side effects, the use of less active pharmaceutical ingredient to achieve a given clinical result, or other synergistic effects.

[00575] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof, and further comprising the step of administering an anti-CD20 antibody, wherein the anti-CD20 antibody is a monoclonal antibody or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof. In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof, and further comprising the step of administering an anti-CD20 antibody, wherein the anti-CD20 antibody is an anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof, and wherein the anti-CD20 antibody specifically binds to human CD20 with a K_D selected from the group consisting of 1×10^{-7} M or less, 5×10^{-8} M or less, 1×10^{-8} M or less, and 5×10^{-9} M or less. Anti-CD20 monoclonal antibodies are classified as Type I or Type II, as described in Klein, *et al.*, *mAbs* **2013**, 5, 22-33. Type I anti-CD20 monoclonal antibodies are characterized by binding to the Class I epitope, localization of CD20 to lipid rafts, high complement-dependent cytotoxicity, full binding capacity, weak homotypic aggregation, and moderate cell death induction. Type II anti-CD20 monoclonal antibodies are

characterized by binding to the Class I epitope, a lack of localization of CD20 to lipid rafts, low complement-dependent cytotoxicity, half binding capacity, homotypic aggregation, and strong cell death induction. Both Type I and Type II anti-CD20 monoclonal antibodies exhibit antibody-dependent cytotoxicity (ADCC) and are thus useful with BTK inhibitors described herein. Type I anti-CD20 monoclonal antibodies include but are not limited to rituximab, ocrelizumab, and ofatumumab. Type II anti-CD20 monoclonal antibodies include but are not limited to obinutuzumab and tositumomab. In an embodiment, the foregoing methods exhibit synergistic effects that may result in greater efficacy, less side effects, the use of less active pharmaceutical ingredient to achieve a given clinical result, or other synergistic effects.

[00576] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof, and a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and further comprising the step of administering an anti-CD20 antibody, wherein the anti-CD20 antibody is a monoclonal antibody or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof. In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof, a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and further comprising the step of administering an anti-CD20 antibody, wherein the anti-CD20 antibody is an anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof, and wherein the anti-CD20 antibody specifically binds to human CD20 with a K_D selected from the group consisting of 1×10^{-7} M or less, 5×10^{-8} M or less, 1×10^{-8} M or less, and 5×10^{-9} M or less.

[00577] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula

(3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof, and further comprising the step of administering an Type I anti-CD20 antibody, or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof. In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof, and further comprising the step of administering an Type II anti-CD20 antibody, or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof. In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof, and a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and further comprising the step of administering an Type I anti-CD20 antibody, or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof. In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), and Formula (7), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof, and a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and further comprising the step of administering an Type II anti-CD20 antibody, or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof.

[00578] In selected embodiments, the combinations of the BTK inhibitors with CD 19 inhibitors and the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody are administered sequentially. In selected embodiments, the combinations of the BTK inhibitors and CD 19 inhibitors and the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody are administered concomitantly. In selected embodiments, the combinations of the BTK inhibitors with CD 19 inhibitors are administered before the anti-CD20

monoclonal antibody. In selected embodiments, the combinations of the BTK inhibitors with CD 19 inhibitors are administered after the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody. In selected embodiments, the combinations of the BTK inhibitors with CD 19 inhibitors and the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody are administered over the same time period, and the BTK inhibitor administration continues after the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody administration is completed.

[00579] In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is rituximab, or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof. Rituximab is a chimeric murine-human monoclonal antibody directed against CD20, and its structure comprises an IgG1 kappa immunoglobulin containing murine light- and heavy-chain variable region sequences and human constant region sequences. Rituximab is composed of two heavy chains of 451 amino acids and two light chains of 213 amino acids. The amino acid sequence for the heavy chains of rituximab is set forth in SEQ ID NO: 60. The amino acid sequence for the light chains of rituximab is set forth in SEQ ID NO: 61. Rituximab is commercially available, and its properties and use in cancer and other diseases is described in more detail in Rastetter, *etal.*, *Ann. Rev. Med.* **2004**, 55, 477-503, and in Plosker and Figgett, *Drugs*, **2003**, 63, 803-43. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is an anti-CD20 biosimilar monoclonal antibody approved by drug regulatory authorities with reference to rituximab. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 60. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 61. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 60. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 61. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO: 60. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO: 61. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 60. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 61.

[00580] In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is obinutuzumab, or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof.

Obinutuzumab is also known as afutuzumab or GA-101. Obinutuzumab is a humanized monoclonal antibody directed against CD20. The amino acid sequence for the heavy chains of obinutuzumab is set forth in SEQ ID NO: 62. The amino acid sequence for the light chains of obinutuzumab is set forth in SEQ ID NO: 63. Obinutuzumab is commercially available, and its properties and use in cancer and other diseases is described in more detail in Robak, *Curr. Opin. Investig. Drugs* **2009**, *10*, 588-96. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is an anti-CD20 biosimilar monoclonal antibody approved by drug regulatory authorities with reference to obinutuzumab. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 62. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 63. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 62. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 63. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO: 62. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO: 63. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 62. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 63. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody obinutuzumab is an immunoglobulin G1, anti-(human B-lymphocyte antigen CD20 (membrane-spanning 4-domains subfamily A member 1, B-lymphocyte surface antigen B1, Leu-16 or Bp35)), humanized mouse monoclonal obinutuzumab des-CH3107-K-y1 heavy chain (222-219')-disulfide with humanized mouse monoclonal obinutuzumab κ light chain dimer (228-228":231- 231")-bisdisulfide antibody.

[00581] In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is ofatumumab, or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof. Ofatumumab is described in Cheson, *J. Clin. Oncol.* **2010**, *28*, 3525-30. The crystal structure of the Fab fragment of ofatumumab has been reported in Protein Data Bank reference 3GIZ and in Du, *et al.*, *Mol. Immunol.* **2009**, *46*, 2419-2423. Ofatumumab is commercially available, and its preparation, properties, and use in cancer and other diseases are described in more detail in U.S. Patent No. 8,529,202 B2, the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference. In an

embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is an anti-CD20 biosimilar monoclonal antibody approved by drug regulatory authorities with reference to ofatumumab. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a variable heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO:64. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a variable light chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 65. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a variable heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO:64. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a variable light chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 65. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a variable heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO:64. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a variable light chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO: 65. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a variable heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO:64. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a variable light chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 65. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a Fab fragment heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 66. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a Fab fragment light chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 67. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a Fab fragment heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 66. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a Fab fragment light chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 67. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a Fab fragment heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO: 66. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a Fab fragment light chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO:67. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a Fab fragment heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 66. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a Fab fragment light chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 67. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody ofatumumab is an immunoglobulin G1, anti-(human B-lymphocyte antigen CD20 (membrane-spanning 4-domains subfamily A member 1, B-lymphocyte surface antigen B1, Leu-16 or Bp35)); human monoclonal ofatumumab-CD20 γ 1 heavy chain (225-214')-disulfide with human monoclonal ofatumumab-CD20 κ light chain, dimer (231-231":234-234")-bisdisulfide

antibody.

[00582] In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is veltuzumab, or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof. Veltuzumab is also known as hA20. Veltuzumab is described in Goldenberg, *et al.*, *Leuk. Lymphoma* **2010**, *51*, 747-55. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is an anti-CD20 biosimilar monoclonal antibody approved by drug regulatory authorities with reference to veltuzumab. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 68. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO:69. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 68. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO: 69. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO:68. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO: 69. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 68. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO: 69. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody ofatumumab is an immunoglobulin G1, anti-(human B-lymphocyte antigen CD20 (membrane-spanning 4-domains subfamily A member 1, Leu-16, Bp35)); [218- arginine,360-glutamic acid,362-methionine]humanized mouse monoclonal hA20 γ 1 heavy chain (224-213')-disulfide with humanized mouse monoclonal hA20 κ light chain (230-230":233-233")-bisdisulfide dimer

[00583] In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is tositumomab, or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is ¹³¹I-labeled tositumomab. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is an anti-CD20 biosimilar monoclonal antibody approved by drug regulatory authorities with reference to tositumomab. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 70. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO: 71. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID

NO:70. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO:71. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO:70. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO:71. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO:70. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO:71.

[00584] In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is ibritumomab, or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof. The active form of ibritumomab used in therapy is ibritumomab tiuxetan. When used with ibritumomab, the chelator tiuxetan (diethylene triamine pentaacetic acid) is complexed with a radioactive isotope such as ⁹⁰Y or ¹¹¹In. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is ibritumomab tiuxetan, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody is an anti-CD20 biosimilar monoclonal antibody approved by drug regulatory authorities with reference to tositumomab. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO:72. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 90% to SEQ ID NO:73. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO:72. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 95% to SEQ ID NO:73. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO:72. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 98% to SEQ ID NO:73. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a heavy chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO:72. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody has a light chain sequence identity of greater than 99% to SEQ ID NO:73.

[00585] In an embodiment, an anti-CD20 antibody selected from the group consisting of obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, and ibritumomab, and or antigen-binding fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, and radioisotope-labeled complexes thereof, is administered to a subject by infusing a dose selected from the group consisting of about 10

mg, about 20 mg, about 25 mg, about 50 mg, about 75 mg, 100 mg, about 200 mg, about 300 mg, about 400 mg, about 500 mg, about 600 mg, about 700 mg, about 800 mg, about 900 mg, about 1000 mg, about 1100 mg, about 1200 mg, about 1300 mg, about 1400 mg, about 1500 mg, about 1600 mg, about 1700 mg, about 1800 mg, about 1900 mg, and about 2000 mg. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 antibody is administered weekly. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 antibody is administered every two weeks. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 antibody is administered every three weeks. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 antibody is administered monthly. In an embodiment, the anti-CD20 antibody is administered at a lower initial dose, which is escalated when administered at subsequent intervals administered monthly. For example, the first infusion can deliver 300 mg of anti-CD20 antibody, and subsequent weekly doses could deliver 2,000 mg of anti-CD20 antibody for eight weeks, followed by monthly doses of 2,000 mg of anti-CD20 antibody. During any of the foregoing embodiments, the BTK inhibitors of the present invention and combinations of the BTK inhibitors with CD 19 inhibitors may be administered daily, twice daily, or at different intervals as described above, at the dosages described above.

[00586] In an embodiment, the invention provides a kit comprising a first composition comprising a BTK inhibitor and/or combinations of the BTK inhibitor with a CD 19 inhibitor and an anti-CD20 antibody selected from the group consisting of rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, and ibritumomab, or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or radioisotope-labeled complex thereof, for use in the treatment of CLL or SLL, hematological malignancies, B cell malignancies or, or any of the other diseases described herein. The compositions are typically pharmaceutical compositions. The kit is for use in co-administration of the anti-CD20 antibody and the BTK inhibitor, either simultaneously or separately, in the treatment of CLL or SLL, hematological malignancies, B cell malignancies, or any of the other diseases described herein.

[00587] The anti-CD20 antibody sequences referenced in the foregoing are summarized in Table 4.

TABLE 4. Anti-CD20 antibody sequences.

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)
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Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)							
SEQ ID NO:60 rituximab heavy chain	QVQLQQPGAE NQKFKGKATL AASTKGPSVF SGLYSLSSW GPSVFLFPPK NSTYRWSVL ELTKNQVSLT WQOQNVFSCS	LVKPGASVKM TADKSSSTAY PLAPSSKSTS TVPSSSLGTQ PKDTLMISRT TVLHQDWLNG CLVKGFYPSD VMHEALHNHY	SCKASGYTFT MQLSSLTSED GGTAALGCLV TYICNVNHKP PEVTCVWDV KEYKCKVSNK IAVEWESNGQ TQKSLSLSPG	SYNMHWVKQT SAVYYCARST KDYFPEPVTV SNTKVDKKE SHEDPEVKFN ALPAPIEKTI PENNYKTPPP K	SYNMHWVKQT SAVYYCARST KDYFPEPVTV SNTKVDKKE SHEDPEVKFN ALPAPIEKTI PENNYKTPPP K	PGRGLEWIGA YGGDWYFNV SWNSGALTSG PKSCDKTHTC WYVDGVEVHN SKAKGQPREP VLDSDGSFFL	IYPGNGDTSY WGAGTTVTVS VHTFPAVLQS PPCPAPPELLG AKTKPREEQY QVYTLPPSRD YSKLTVDKSR	60 120 180 240 300 360 420 451
SEQ ID NO:61 rituximab light chain	QIVLSQSPAI FSGSGSGTSY DEQLKSGTAS SKADYEKHKV	LSASPGEKVT SLTISRVEAE WCLLNNFYP YACEVTHOGL	MTCRASSSVS DAATYYCQQW REAKVQWKVD SSPVTKSFNR	YIHWFQQKPG TSNPPTFGGG NALQSGNSQE GEC	YIHWFQQKPG TSNPPTFGGG NALQSGNSQE GEC	SSPKPWIYAT TKLEIKRTVA SVTEQDSKDS GEC	SNLASGVPVR APSVFIFPPS TYSLSSTLTL	60 120 180 213
SEQ ID NO:62 obinutuzumab heavy chain	QVQLVQSGAE NGKFKGRVTI STKGPSVFPL LYSLSSWTV SVFLFPPKPK TYRWSVLTV TKNQVSLTCL QGNVVFSCSV	VKPGSSVKV TADKSTSTAY APSSKSTSGG PSSSLGTQTY DTLMISRTPE LHQDWLNGKE VKGFYPSDIA HEALHNHYTO	SCKASGYAFS MELSSLRSED TAALGCLVKD ICNVNHKPSN VTCVWDVSH YKCKVSNKAL VEWESNGQPE KSLSLSPGK	YSWINWVRQA TAVYYCARNV YFPEPVTVSW TKVDKKEPK EDPEVKFNWY PAPIEKTISK NNYKTPPVVL	YSWINWVRQA TAVYYCARNV YFPEPVTVSW TKVDKKEPK EDPEVKFNWY PAPIEKTISK NNYKTPPVVL	PGQGLEWMGR FDGYWLWYWG NSGALTSGVH SCDKTHTCPP VDGVEVHNAK AKGQPREPQV DSDGSFFLYS	IFPGDGDYD QGTTLTVSSA TFPAVLQSSG CPAPPELLGGP TKPREQYNS YTLPPSRDEL KLTVDKSRWQ	60 120 180 240 300 360 420 449
SEQ ID NO:63 obinutuzumab light chain	DIVMTQTPLS SGVPRDFSGS FIFPPSDEQL SSTLTLSKAD	LPVTPGEPAS GSGTDFTLKI KSGTASWCL YEKHKVYACE	ISCRSSKSL SRVEAEDVGV LNNFYPREAK VTHOGLSSPV	HSNGITYLYW YYCAQNLLEP VQKVDNALQ TKSFNRGEC	HSNGITYLYW YYCAQNLLEP VQKVDNALQ TKSFNRGEC	YLQKPGQSPQ YTFGGGTKVE SGNSQESVTE GEC	LLIYQMSNLV IKRTVAAPS QDSKSTYSL	60 120 180 219
SEQ ID NO:64 ofatumumab variable heavy chain	EVQLVESGGG ADSVKGRFTI SS	LVQPGRSLRL SRDNAKKS SS	SCAASGFTFN LQMSLRAED	DYAMHWVRQA TALYYCAKDI	DYAMHWVRQA TALYYCAKDI	PGKGLEWVST QYGNYYYGMD	ISWNSGSIGY VWGQGTTVTV	60 120 122
SEQ ID NO:65 ofatumumab variable light chain	EIVLTQSPAT RFGSGSGTD	LSLSPGERAT FTLTISSELP	LSCRASQSVS EDFAVYCCQ	SYLAWYQQKP RSNWPITFGQ	SYLAWYQQKP RSNWPITFGQ	GQAPRLLIYD GTRLEIK	ASNRTGIPA	60 107
SEQ ID NO:66 ofatumumab Fab fragment heavy chain	EVQLVESGGG ADSVKGRFTI SSASTKGPSV SSGLYSLSSV	LVQPGRSLRL SRDNAKKS FPLAPGSSKS VTVPSSSLGT	SCAASGFTFN LQMSLRAED TSGTAALGCL QTYICNVNHK	DYAMHWVRQA TALYYCAKDI VKDYFPEPVT PSNTKVDKKE	DYAMHWVRQA TALYYCAKDI VKDYFPEPVT PSNTKVDKKE	PGKGLEWVST QYGNYYYGMD VSWNSGALTS EP	ISWNSGSIGY VWGQGTTVTV GVHTFPAVLQ	60 120 180 222
SEQ ID NO:67 ofatumumab Fab fragment light chain	EIVLTQSPAT RFGSGSGTD SDEQLKSGTA LSKADYEKHK	LSLSPGERAT FTLTISSELP SWCLLNNFY VYACEVTHOG	LSCRASQSVS EDFAVYCCQ PREAKVQWKV LSSPVTKSFNR	SYLAWYQQKP RSNWPITFGQ R	SYLAWYQQKP RSNWPITFGQ R	GQAPRLLIYD GTRLEIKRTV ESVTEQDSKD	ASNRTGIPA AAPSVEIFPP STYLSSTLT	60 120 180 211
SEQ ID NO:68 veltuzumab heavy chain	QVQLQQSGAE NQKFKGKATL SASTKGPSVF SGLYSLSSW GPSVFLFPPK NSTYRWSVL EMTKNQVSLT WQOQNVFSCS	VKPGSSVKV TADESTNTAY PLAPSSKSTS TVPSSSLGTQ PKDTLMISRT TVLHQDWLNG CLVKGFYPSD VMHEALHNHY	SCKASGYTFT MELSSLRSED GGTAALGCLV TYICNVNHKP PEVTCVWDV KEYKCKVSNK IAVEWESNGQ TQKSLSLSPG	SYNMHWVKQA SAVYYCARST KDYFPEPVTV SNTKVDKKE SHEDPEVKFN ALPAPIEKTI PENNYKTPPP K	SYNMHWVKQA SAVYYCARST KDYFPEPVTV SNTKVDKKE SHEDPEVKFN ALPAPIEKTI PENNYKTPPP K	PQGLEWIGA YGGDWYFDV SWNSGALTSG PKSCDKTHTC WYVDGVEVHN SKAKGQPREP VLDSDGSFFL	IYPGNGDTSY WGAGTTVTVS VHTFPAVLQS PPCPAPPELLG AKTKPREEQY QVYTLPPSRE YSKLTVDKSR	60 120 180 240 300 360 420 451
SEQ ID NO:69 veltuzumab light chain	DIQLTQSPSS FSGSGSGTDY DEQLKSGTAS SKADYEKHKV	LSASVGRDVT TFTISLQPE WCLLNNFYP YACEVTHOGL	MTCRASSSVS DIATYYCQQW REAKVQWKVD SSPVTKSFNR	YIHWFQQKPG TSNPPTFGGG NALQSGNSQE GEC	YIHWFQQKPG TSNPPTFGGG NALQSGNSQE GEC	KAPKPWIYAT TKLEIKRTVA SVTEQDSKDS GEC	SNLASGVPVR APSVFIFPPS TYSLSSTLTL	60 120 180 213
SEQ ID NO:70 tositomomab heavy chain	QAYLQQSGAE NQKFKGKATL SGPSVFPLAP SLSSWTVPS FLFPPKPKDT RWSVLTVLH NQVSLTCLVK NVFSCSVMHE	LVRPGASVKM TVDKSSSTAY SSKSTSGGTA SSLGTQTYIC LMI SRTPEVT QDWLNGKEYK GFYPSDIAVE ALHNHYTQKS	SCKASGYTFT MQLSSLTSED ALGCLVKDYF NVNHNKPSNTK CVWDVSHED CKVSNKALPA WESNGQPENN LSLSPGK	SYNMHWVKQT SAVYFCARW PEPVTVSWNS VDKKAEPKSC PEVKFNWYVD PIEKTISKAK YKTPPVLDSD K	SYNMHWVKQT SAVYFCARW PEPVTVSWNS VDKKAEPKSC PEVKFNWYVD PIEKTISKAK YKTPPVLDSD K	PRQGLEWIGA YYSNSYWFYD GALTSGVHTF DKTHTCPPCP GVEVHNAKTK GQPREPQVY DGSFFLYSKL	IYPGNGDTSY VWGTGTTVTV PAVLQSSGLY APELLGGPSV PREEQYNSTY LPPSRDELTK TVDKSRWQQG	60 120 180 240 300 360 420 447
SEQ ID NO:71 tositomomab light chain	QIVLSQSPAI FSGSGSGTSY DEQLKSGTAS SKADYEKHKV	LSASPGEKVT SLTISRVEAE WCLLNNFYP YACEVTHOGL	MTCRASSSVS DAATYYCQQW REAKVQWKVD SSPVTKSFNR	YIHWYQQKPG SFNPPTFGAG NALQSGNSQE GEC	YIHWYQQKPG SFNPPTFGAG NALQSGNSQE GEC	SSPKPWIYAP TKLEIKRTVA SVTEQDSKDS GEC	SNLASGVPAR APSVFIFPPS TYSLSSTLTL	60 120 180 210
SEQ ID NO:72 ibritumomab	QAYLQQSGAE NQKFKGKATL	LVRPGASVKM TVDKSSSTAY	SCKASGYTFT MQLSSLTSED	SYNMHWVKQT SAVYFCARW	SYNMHWVKQT SAVYFCARW	PRQGLEWIGA YYSNSYWFYD	IYPGNGDTSY VWGTGTTVTV	60 120

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)	
heavy chain	SAPSVYPLAP VCGDTTGGSSV TLGCLVKGYF PEPVTLTWNS GSLSSGVHTF PAVLQSDLYT	180
	LSSSVFVTSS TWPSQSITCN VAHPASSTKV DKKIEPRGPT IKPCPPCKCP APNLLGGPSV	240
	FIFPPKIKDV LMISLSPIVT CVWDVSEDD PDVQISWFVN NVEVHTAQTQ THREDYNSTL	300
	RWSALPIQH QDWMGKFEK CKVNNKDLPA PIERTISKPK GSVRAPQVYV LPPPEEEMTK	360
	KQVTLTCMVT DFMPEDI YVE WTNNGKTELN YKNTPEVLDS DGSYFMYSKL RVEKKNWVER	420
	NSYSCSWHE GLHNHHTTKS FSR	443
SEQ ID NO:73	QIVLSQSPAI LSASPGEKVT MTCRASSSVS YMHWYQQKPG SSPKPWIYAP SNLASGVPAR	60
ibritumomab	FSGSGSGTSY SLTISRVEAE DAATYYCQQW SFNPPTFGAG TKLELKRADA APTVFIFPPS	120
light chain	DEQLKSGTAS WCLLNNFYP REAKVQWKVD NALQSGNSQE SVTEQDSKDS TYSLSTLTLL	180
	SKADYEKHKV YACEVTHQGL SSPVTKSFN	209

Combinations of BTK Inhibitors and CD 19 Inhibitors with Chemotherapeutic Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients

[00588] The combinations of the BTK inhibitors with CD 19 inhibitors may also be safely co-administered with chemotherapeutic active pharmaceutical ingredients such as gemcitabine, albumin-bound paclitaxel (nab-paclitaxel), and bendamustine or bendamustine hydrochloride. In a preferred embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor, and further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of gemcitabine, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof. In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), Formula (7), Formula (10), and Formula (21), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof, and/or a CD 19 inhibitor, and further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of gemcitabine, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof. In an embodiment, the solid tumor cancer in any of the foregoing embodiments is pancreatic cancer.

[00589] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor, and further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of albumin-bound paclitaxel. In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor selected from the group

consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), Formula (7), Formula (10), and Formula (21), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof, and/or a CD 19 inhibitor, and further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of albumin-bound paclitaxel. In an embodiment, the solid tumor cancer in any of the foregoing embodiments is pancreatic cancer.

[00590] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor, and further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of bendamustine hydrochloride. In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), Formula (7), Formula (10), and Formula (21), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof, and/or a CD 19 inhibitor, and further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of bendamustine hydrochloride. In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor selected from the group consisting of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), Formula (7), Formula (10), and Formula (21), and pharmaceutically-acceptable salts, cocrystals, hydrates, solvates, or prodrugs thereof, and/or a CD 19 inhibitor, or a fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, biosimilar, or combination thereof, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of bendamustine hydrochloride, and further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of rituximab (collectively referred to as "BR" or "BR chemotherapy"). BR chemotherapy has been shown to improve overall response rates in non-Hodgkin's lymphoma and mantle cell lymphomas and also demonstrated improved safety in comparison to alternative regimens, as described in Flinn, *et al*, *Blood* **2014**, *123*, 2944-52.

[00591] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor, and further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of a combination of fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, and

rituximab (which collectively may be referred to as "FCR" or "FCR chemotherapy"). In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), Formula (7), Formula (10), and Formula (21), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof, and further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of FCR chemotherapy. In an embodiment, the invention provides a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor and/or a CD 19 inhibitor, and further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of FCR chemotherapy. FCR chemotherapy has been shown to improve survival in patients with cancer, as described in Hallek, *et al*, *Lancet*. **2010**, *376*, 1164-1174.

[00592] In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor, and further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of a combination of rituximab, cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin hydrochloride (also referred to as hydroxydaunomycin), vincristine sulfate (also referred to as Oncovin), and prednisone (which collectively may be referred to as "R-CHOP" or "R-CHOP chemotherapy"). In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor of Formula (1), Formula (2), Formula (3), Formula (4), Formula (5), Formula (6), Formula (7), Formula (10), and Formula (21), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester, prodrug, cocrystal, solvate or hydrate thereof, and further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of R-CHOP chemotherapy. In an embodiment, the invention provides a hematological malignancy or a solid tumor cancer comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor and/or a CD 19 inhibitor, and further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically-effective amount of R-CHOP chemotherapy. R-CHOP chemotherapy has been shown to improve the 10-year progression-free and overall survival rates for patients with cancer, as described in Sehn, *Blood*, **2010**, *116*, 2000-2001.

[00593] In any of the foregoing embodiments, the chemotherapeutic active pharmaceutical ingredient or combinations thereof may be administered before, concurrently, or after

administration of the CD 19 inhibitors and the BTK inhibitors.

Combinations of BTK Inhibitors and CD 19 Inhibitors with PD-1, PD-L1, and/or PD-L2 Inhibitors

[00594] The combinations of the BTK inhibitors with CD 19 inhibitors may also be further combined with programmed death-1 (PD-1), programmed death ligand 1 (PD-L1), and/or programmed death ligand 2 (PD-L2) binding antibodies or inhibitors (*i.e.*, blockers). In a preferred embodiment, the PD-1 or PD-L1 inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of nivolumab, pembrolizumab, pidilizumab, durvalumab, atezolizumab, avelumab, and antigen-binding fragments, variants, conjugates, or biosimilars thereof. In an embodiment, the invention provides a method of treating a cancer or an immune, autoimmune, or inflammatory disease in a human comprising the step of administering to said human a BTK inhibitor, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, and a CD 19 inhibitor, including an anti-CD 19 antibody or an antibody fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, radioisotope-labeled complex, and biosimilar thereof, and further comprising the step of administering an PD-1 or PD-L1 inhibitor, or an antigen-binding fragment, derivative, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof. In an embodiment, the BTK inhibitor is a compound according to Formula (2).

[00595] Programmed death 1 (PD-1) is a 288-amino acid transmembrane immunoreceptor protein expressed by T cells, B cells, natural killer (NK) T cells, activated monocytes, and dendritic cells. PD-1, which is also known as CD279, is an immunoreceptor belonging to the CD28 family and in humans is encoded by the *Pdcd1* gene on chromosome 2. PD-1 consists of one immunoglobulin (Ig) superfamily domain, a transmembrane region, and an intracellular domain containing an immunoreceptor tyrosine-based inhibitory motif (ITIM) and an immunoreceptor tyrosine-based switch motif (ITSM). PD-1 and its ligands (PD-L1 and PD-L2) play a key role in immune tolerance, as described in Keir, *et al.*, *Annu. Rev. Immunol.* **2008**, 26, 677-704. PD-1 provides inhibitory signals that negatively regulate T cell immune responses. PD-L1 (also known as B7-H1 or CD274) and PD-L2 (also known as B7-DC or CD273) are expressed on tumor cells and stromal cells, which may be encountered by activated T cells expressing PD-1, leading to immunosuppression of the T cells. PD-L1 is a 290 amino acid transmembrane protein encoded by the *Cd274* gene on human chromosome 9. Blocking the interaction between PD-1 and its ligands PD-L1 and PD-L2 by use of a PD-1 inhibitor, a PD-L1

inhibitor, and/or a PD-L2 inhibitor can overcome immune resistance, as demonstrated in recent clinical studies, such as that described in Topalian, *et al*, *N. Eng. J. Med.* **2012**, 366, 2443. PD-L1 is expressed on many tumor cell lines, while PD-L2 is expressed is expressed mostly on dendritic cells and a few tumor lines. In addition to T cells (which inducibly express PD-1 after activation), PD-1 is also expressed on B cells, natural killer cells, macrophages, activated monocytes, and dendritic cells.

[00596] In an embodiment, the PD-1 inhibitor may be any PD-1 inhibitor or PD-1 blocker known in the art. In particular, it is one of the PD-1 inhibitors or blockers described in more detail in the following paragraphs. The terms "inhibitor" and "blocker" are used interchangeably herein in reference to PD-1 inhibitors. For avoidance of doubt, references herein to a PD-1 inhibitor that is an antibody may refer to a compound or antigen-binding fragments, variants, conjugates, or biosimilars thereof. For avoidance of doubt, references herein to a PD-1 inhibitor may also refer to a compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, ester, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof.

[00597] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods described herein include a PD-1 inhibitor. In some embodiments, the PD-1 inhibitor is a small molecule. In a preferred embodiment, the PD-1 inhibitor is an antibody (*i.e.*, an anti-PD-1 antibody), a fragment thereof, including Fab fragments, or a single-chain variable fragment (scFv) thereof. In some embodiments the PD-1 inhibitor is a polyclonal antibody. In a preferred embodiment, the PD-1 inhibitor is a monoclonal antibody. In some embodiments, the PD-1 inhibitor competes for binding with PD-1, and/or binds to an epitope on PD-1. In an embodiment, the antibody competes for binding with PD-1, and/or binds to an epitope on PD-1. In some embodiments, the PD-1 inhibitor is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a BTK inhibitor and CD 19 inhibitor. In some embodiments, an anti-PD-1 monoclonal antibody is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor. In some embodiments, an anti-PD-1 monoclonal antibody is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a BTK inhibitor and/or a CD 19 inhibitor. In some embodiments, a PD-1 inhibitor is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a BTK inhibitor. In some embodiments, an anti-PD-1 monoclonal antibody is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a BTK inhibitor. In some embodiments, a PD-1 inhibitor is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a CD 19

inhibitor. In some embodiments, an anti-PD-1 monoclonal antibody is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a CD19 inhibitor. In preferred embodiments, the compositions described herein provide a combination of a PD-1 inhibitor with a BTK inhibitor, or methods of using a combination of a PD-1 inhibitor with a BTK inhibitor. In some embodiments, the PD-1 inhibitors provided herein are selective for PD-1, in that the compounds bind or interact with PD-1 at substantially lower concentrations than they bind or interact with other receptors.

[00598] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods described include a PD-1 inhibitor that binds human PD-1 with a K_D of about 100 pM or lower, binds human PD-1 with a K_D of about 90 pM or lower, binds human PD-1 with a K_D of about 80 pM or lower, binds human PD-1 with a K_D of about 70 pM or lower, binds human PD-1 with a K_D of about 60 pM or lower, binds human PD-1 with a K_D of about 50 pM or lower, binds human PD-1 with a K_D of about 40 pM or lower, or binds human PD-1 with a K_D of about 30 pM or lower.

[00599] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods described include a PD-1 inhibitor that binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 7.5×10^5 1/M·s or faster, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 7.5×10^5 1/M·s or faster, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 8×10^5 1/M·s or faster, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 8.5×10^5 1/M·s or faster, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 9×10^5 1/M·s or faster, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 9.5×10^5 1/M·s or faster, or binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 1×10^6 1/M·s or faster.

[00600] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods described include a PD-1 inhibitor that binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 2×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 2.1×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 2.2×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{dissoc} of about 2.3×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{dissoc} of about 2.4×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 2.5×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{dissoc} of about 2.6×10^{-5} 1/s or slower or binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 2.7×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 2.8×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{dissoc} of about 2.9×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, or binds to human PD-1 with a k_{dissoc} of about 3×10^{-5} 1/s or slower.

[00601] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods described include a PD-1

inhibitor that blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC₅₀ of about 10 nM or lower, blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC₅₀ of about 9 nM or lower, blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC₅₀ of about 8 nM or lower, blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC₅₀ of about 7 nM or lower, blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC₅₀ of about 6 nM or lower, blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC₅₀ of about 5 nM or lower, blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC₅₀ of about 4 nM or lower, blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC₅₀ of about 3 nM or lower, blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC₅₀ of about 2 nM or lower, or blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC₅₀ of about 1 nM or lower.

[00602] In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises nivolumab (commercially available from Bristol-Myers Squibb Co.), or antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, or variants thereof. Nivolumab is referred to as 5C4 in International Patent Publication No. WO 2006/121 168. Nivolumab is assigned Chemical Abstracts Service (CAS) registry number 946414-94-4 and is also known as BMS-936558, MDX-1 106 or ONO-4538. Nivolumab is a fully human IgG4 antibody blocking the PD-1 receptor. The clinical safety and efficacy of nivolumab in various forms of cancer has been described in Wang *et al.*, *Cancer Immunol Res.* **2014**, *2*, 846-56; Page *etal.*, *Ann. Rev. Med.*, **2014**, *65*, 185-202; and Weber, *etal.*, *J. Clin. Oncology*, **2013**, *31*, 431 1-4318. The nivolumab monoclonal antibody includes a heavy chain given by SEQ ID NO:74 and a light chain given by SEQ ID NO:75. Nivolumab has intra-heavy chain disulfide linkages at 22-96, 140-196, 254-314, 360-418, 22"-96", 140"-196", 254"-314", and 360"-418"; intra-light chain disulfide linkages at 23'-88', 134'-194', 23'''-88''', and 134'''-194'''; inter-heavy-light chain disulfide linkages at 127-214', 127"-214''', inter-heavy-heavy chain disulfide linkages at 219-219" and 222-222"; and N-glycosylation sites (H CH₂ 84.4) at 290, 290". In an embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody is an immunoglobulin G4 kappa, anti-(human CD274) antibody. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains having the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:74 and SEQ ID NO:75, respectively, or antigen binding fragments, Fab fragments, single-chain variable fragments (scFv), variants, or conjugates

thereof. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 99% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 74 and SEQ ID NO: 75, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 98% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 74 and SEQ ID NO: 75, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 97% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 74 and SEQ ID NO: 75, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 96% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 74 and SEQ ID NO: 75, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 74 and SEQ ID NO: 75, respectively.

[00603] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody comprises the heavy and light chain CDRs or variable regions (VRs) of nivolumab. In one embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody heavy chain variable region (V_H) comprises the sequence shown in SEQ ID NO: 76, and the anti-PD-1 antibody light chain variable region (V_L) comprises the sequence shown in SEQ ID NO: 77. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 99% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 76 and SEQ ID NO: 77, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 98% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 76 and SEQ ID NO: 77, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 97% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 76 and SEQ ID NO: 77, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 96% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 76 and SEQ ID NO: 77, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 76 and SEQ ID NO: 77, respectively. In an alternative embodiment, the antibody comprises V_H and/or V_L regions having the amino acid sequences set forth in SEQ ID NO: 76 and/or SEQ ID NO: 77, respectively.

[00604] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy chain CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains having the sequences set forth in SEQ ID NO: 78, SEQ ID NO: 79, and SEQ ID NO: 80, respectively, and light chain CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains having the sequences set forth in SEQ ID NO: 81, SEQ ID NO: 82, and SEQ ID NO: 83, respectively.

[00605] In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:78, SEQ ID NO:79, and SEQ ID NO:80, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 90% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:78, SEQ ID NO:79, and SEQ ID NO:80, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 85% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:78, SEQ ID NO:79, and SEQ ID NO:80, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 80% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:78, SEQ ID NO:79, and SEQ ID NO:80, respectively. In another embodiment, the antibody competes for binding with, and/or binds to the same epitope on PD-1 as the aforementioned antibodies.

[00606] In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:81, SEQ ID NO:82, and SEQ ID NO:83, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 90% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:81, SEQ ID NO:82, and SEQ ID NO:83, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 85% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:81, SEQ ID NO:82, and SEQ ID NO:83, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 80% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:81, SEQ ID NO:82, and SEQ ID NO:83, respectively. In another embodiment, the antibody competes for binding with, and/or binds to the same epitope on PD-1 as the aforementioned antibodies.

[00607] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody is an antibody disclosed and/or prepared according to U.S. Patent No. 8,008,449 or U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. 2009/0217401 A1 or 2013/0133091 A1, the disclosures of which are specifically incorporated by reference herein. For example, in an embodiment, the monoclonal antibody includes 5C4 (referred to herein as nivolumab), 17D8, 2D3, 4H1, 4A11, 7D3, and 5F4, described in U.S. Patent No. 8,008,449, the disclosures of which are hereby incorporated by reference. The PD-1

antibodies 17D8, 2D3, 4H1, 5C4, and 4A1 1, are all directed against human PD-1, bind specifically to PD-1 and do not bind to other members of the CD28 family. The sequences and CDR regions for these antibodies are provided in U.S. Patent No. 8,008,449, in particular in Figure 1 through Figure 12; the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein.

[00608] The anti-PD-1 antibody nivolumab may be prepared by the following procedure, as described in U.S. Patent No. 8,008,449. Immunization protocols utilized as antigen both (i) a recombinant fusion protein comprising the extracellular portion of PD-1 and (ii) membrane bound full-length PD-1. Both antigens were generated by recombinant transfection methods in a CHO cell line. Fully human monoclonal antibodies to PD-1 were prepared using the HCo7 strain of HuMab transgenic mice and the KM strain of transgenic transchromosomal mice, each of which express human antibody genes. In each of these mouse strains, the endogenous mouse kappa light chain gene has been homozygously disrupted as described in Chen et al. *EMBO J.* **1993**, *12*, 811-820 and the endogenous mouse heavy chain gene has been homozygously disrupted as described in Example 1 of International Patent Publication No. WO 01/09187. Each of these mouse strains carries a human kappa light chain transgene, KCo5, as described in Fishwild, et al. *Nat. Biotechnology* **1996**, *14*, 845-851. The HCo7 strain carries the HCo7 human heavy chain transgene as described in U.S. Patent Nos. 5,545,806; 5,625,825; and 5,545,807. The KM strain contains the SC20 transchromosome as described in International Patent Publication No. WO 02/43478. To generate fully human monoclonal antibodies to PD-1, HuMab mice and KM Mice™ were immunized with purified recombinant PD-1 fusion protein and PD-1-transfected CHO cells as antigen. General immunization schemes for HuMab mice are described in Lonberg, et al., *Nature* **1994**, *368*, 856-859; Fishwild, et al., *Nat. Biotechnology* **1996**, *14*, 845-851, and International Patent Publication No. WO 98/24884. The mice were 6-16 weeks of age upon the first infusion of antigen. A purified recombinant preparation (5-50 µg) of PD-1 fusion protein antigen and 5-10x10⁶ cells were used to immunize the HuMab mice and KM Mice™ intraperitoneally, subcutaneously (Sc) or via footpad injection. Transgenic mice were immunized twice with antigen in complete Freund's adjuvant or Ribi adjuvant IP, followed by 3-21 days IP (up to a total of 11 immunizations) with the antigen in incomplete Freund's or Ribi adjuvant. The immune response was monitored by retroorbital bleeds. The plasma was screened by ELISA (as described below), and mice with sufficient titers of anti-PD-1 human immunoglobulin were used for fusions. Mice were boosted intravenously with antigen 3 days

before sacrifice and removal of the spleen. Typically, 10-35 fusions for each antigen were performed. Several dozen mice were immunized for each antigen. To select HuMab or KM Mice™ producing antibodies that bound PD-1, sera from immunized mice were tested by ELISA as described by Fishwild, *etal*, *Nat. Biotechnology* **1996**, *14*, 845-851. Briefly, microtiter plates were coated with purified recombinant PD-1 fusion protein from transfected CHO cells at 1-2 µg/ml in PBS, 100 pL/wells incubated at 4° C overnight then blocked with 200 pL/well of 5% fetal bovine serum in PBS/Tween (0.05%). Dilutions of sera from PD-1 -immunized mice were added to each well and incubated for 1-2 hours at ambient temperature. The plates were washed with PBS/Tween and then incubated with a goat-anti-human IgG polyclonal antibody conjugated with horseradish peroxidase (HRP) for 1 hour at room temperature. After washing, the plates were developed with ABTS substrate (Sigma, A-1888, 0.22 mg/ml) and analyzed by spectrophotometer at OD 415-495. Mice that developed the highest titers of anti-PD-1 antibodies were used for fusions. Fusions were performed as described below and hybridoma supernatants were tested for anti-PD-1 activity by ELISA. The mouse splenocytes, isolated from the HuMab or KM mice, were fused to a mouse myeloma cell line either using PEG based upon standard protocols or electric field based electrofusion using a Cyto Pulse large chamber cell fusion electroporator (Cyto Pulse Sciences, Inc., Glen Burnie, Md.). The resulting hybridomas were then screened for the production of antigen-specific antibodies. Single cell suspensions of splenocytes from immunized mice were fused to one-fourth the number of SP2/0 nonsecreting mouse myeloma cells (ATCC, CRL 1581) with 50% PEG (Sigma). Cells were plated at approximately 1x10⁵/well in flat bottom microtiter plate, followed by about two week incubation in selective medium containing 10% fetal bovine serum, 10% P388D1 (ATCC, CRL H B-63) conditioned medium, 3-5% origen (IGEN) in DMEM (Mediatech, CRL 10013, with high glucose, L-glutamine and sodium pyruvate) plus 5 mM HEPES, 0.055 mM 2-mercaptoethanol, 50 mg/ml gentamycin and lxHAT (Sigma, CRL P-7185). After 1-2 weeks, cells were cultured in medium in which the HAT was replaced with HT. Individual wells were then screened by ELISA (described above) for human anti-PD-1 monoclonal IgG antibodies. Once extensive hybridoma growth occurred, medium was monitored usually after 10-14 days. The antibody-secreting hybridomas were replated, screened again and, if still positive for human IgG, anti-PD-1 monoclonal antibodies were subcloned at least twice by limiting dilution. The stable subclones were then cultured in vitro to generate small amounts of antibody in tissue

culture medium for further characterization. The antibody nivolumab may be produced in this manner, or by other known means given the disclosure of the amino acid sequences herein.

[00609] In another embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody comprises pembrolizumab, which is commercially available from Merck, or antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, or variants thereof. Pembrolizumab is assigned CAS registry number 1374853-91-4 and is also known as lambrolizumab, MK-3475, and SCH-900475. The structure, properties, uses, and preparation of pembrolizumab are described in International Patent Publication No. WO 2008/156712 A1, U.S. Patent No. 8,354,509 and U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. US 2010/0266617 A1, US 2013/0108651 A1, and US 2013/0109843 A2, the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference. Pembrolizumab has an immunoglobulin G4, anti-(human protein PDCD1 (programmed cell death 1)) (human-Mus musculus monoclonal heavy chain), disulfide with human-Mus musculus monoclonal light chain, dimer structure. The structure of pembrolizumab may also be described as immunoglobulin G4, anti-(human programmed cell death 1); humanized mouse monoclonal [228-L-proline(H10-S>P)]y4 heavy chain (134-218')-disulfide with humanized mouse monoclonal κ light chain dimer (226-226':229-229')-bisdisulfide. The clinical safety and efficacy of pembrolizumab in various forms of cancer is described in Fuerst, *Oncology Times*, **2014**, 36, 35-36; Robert, *et al.*, *Lancet*, **2014**, 384, 1109-17; and Thomas *et al.*, *Exp. Opin. Biol. Ther.*, **2014**, 14, 1061-1064. In an embodiment, the pembrolizumab monoclonal antibody includes a heavy chain given by SEQ ID NO: 84 and a light chain given by SEQ ID NO:85, and includes the following disulfide bridges: 22-96, 22"-96", 23'-92', 23'''-92"', 134-218', 134"-218"', 138'-198', 138'''-198"', 147-203, 147"-203", 226-226", 229-229", 261-321, 261"-321", 367-425, and 367"-425", and the following glycosylation sites (N): Asn-297 and Asn-297". Pembrolizumab is an IgG4/kappa isotype with a stabilizing S228P mutation in the Fc region; insertion of this mutation in the IgG4 hinge region prevents the formation of half molecules typically observed for IgG4 antibodies. Pembrolizumab is heterogeneously glycosylated at Asn297 within the Fc domain of each heavy chain, yielding a molecular weight of approximately 149 kDa for the intact antibody. The dominant glycoform of pembrolizumab is the fucosylated agalacto diantennary glycan form (GOF).

[00610] In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains having the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 84 and SEQ ID NO: 85, respectively, or antigen binding fragments and variants thereof. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and

light chains that are each at least 99% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 84 and SEQ ID NO: 85, respectively, or antigen binding fragments and variants thereof. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 98% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 84 and SEQ ID NO: 85, respectively, or antigen binding fragments and variants thereof. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 97% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 84 and SEQ ID NO: 85, respectively, or antigen binding fragments and variants thereof. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 96% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 84 and SEQ ID NO: 85, respectively, or antigen binding fragments and variants thereof. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 84 and SEQ ID NO: 85, respectively, or antigen binding fragments and variants thereof.

[00611] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody comprises the heavy and light chain CDRs or VRs of pembrolizumab. In one embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody V_H region comprises the sequence shown in SEQ ID NO:86, and the anti-PD-1 antibody V_L region comprises the sequence shown in SEQ ID NO: 87. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 99% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 86 and SEQ ID NO: 87, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 98% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 86 and SEQ ID NO: 87, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 97% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 86 and SEQ ID NO:87, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 96% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 86 and SEQ ID NO:87, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 86 and SEQ ID NO: 87, respectively. In an alternative embodiment, the antibody comprises V_H and/or V_L regions having the amino acid sequences set forth in SEQ ID NO: 86 and/or SEQ ID NO: 87, respectively.

[00612] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy chain CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains having the sequences set forth in SEQ ID NO: 88, SEQ ID NO: 89, and SEQ ID

NO:90, respectively, and light chain CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains having the sequences set forth in SEQ ID NO:91, SEQ ID NO:92, and SEQ ID NO:93, respectively.

[00613] In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 88, SEQ ID NO: 89, and SEQ ID NO:90, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 90% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 88, SEQ ID NO: 89, and SEQ ID NO:90, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 85% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 88, SEQ ID NO: 89, and SEQ ID NO:90, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 80% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 88, SEQ ID NO: 89, and SEQ ID NO:90, respectively. In another embodiment, the antibody competes for binding with, and/or binds to the same epitope on PD-1 as the aforementioned antibodies.

[00614] In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 91, SEQ ID NO: 92, and SEQ ID NO: 93, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 90% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 91, SEQ ID NO: 92, and SEQ ID NO: 93, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 85% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 91, SEQ ID NO: 92, and SEQ ID NO: 93, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 80% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 91, SEQ ID NO: 92, and SEQ ID NO: 93, respectively. In another embodiment, the antibody competes for binding with, and/or binds to the same epitope on PD-1 as the aforementioned antibodies.

[00615] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody is an antibody disclosed in U.S. Patent No. 8,354,509 or U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. 2010/0266617 A1, 2013/0108651 A1, 2013/0109843 A2, the disclosures of which are specifically incorporated by reference herein.

[00616] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody is pidilizumab, which is also known as CT-011 (CureTech Ltd.), and which is disclosed in U.S. Patent No. 8,686,119 B2, the disclosures of which are specifically incorporated by reference herein. The efficacy of pidilizumab in the treatment of cancers, such as hematological malignancies, is described in Berger, *et al*, *Clin. Cancer Res.* **2008**, *14*, 3044-51. The pidilizumab monoclonal antibody includes a heavy chain given by SEQ ID NO:94 and a light chain given by SEQ ID NO:95. Pidilizumab has intra-heavy chain disulfide linkages at 22-96, 144-200, 261-321, 367-425, 22"-96", 144"-200", 261"-321", and 367"-425"; intra-light chain disulfide linkages at 23'-87', 133'-193', 23'''-87", and 133'''-193''"; inter-heavy-light chain disulfide linkages at 220-213' and 220"-213''", inter-heavy-heavy chain disulfide linkages at 226-226" 229-229"; and N-glycosylation sites (H CH₂ 84.4) at 297, 297".

[00617] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody is an immunoglobulin G1 kappa, anti-(human CD274) humanized monoclonal antibody. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains having the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:94 and SEQ ID NO:95, respectively, or antigen binding fragments, variants, or conjugates thereof. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 99% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:94 and SEQ ID NO:95, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 98% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:94 and SEQ ID NO:95, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 97% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:94 and SEQ ID NO:95, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 96% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:94 and SEQ ID NO:95, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:94 and SEQ ID NO:95, respectively.

[00618] In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 99% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:96 and SEQ ID NO:97, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 98% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:96 and SEQ ID NO:97, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 97% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:96 and SEQ ID NO:97, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are

each at least 96% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:96 and SEQ ID NO:97, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:96 and SEQ ID NO:97, respectively.

[00619] In an embodiment, anti-PD-1 antibodies and other PD-1 inhibitors include those described in U.S. Patent Nos. 8,287,856, 8,580,247, and 8,168,757 and U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. 2009/0028857 A1, 2010/0285013 A1, 2013/0022600 A1, and 2011/0008369 A1, the teachings of which are hereby incorporated by reference. In another embodiment, antibodies that compete with any of these antibodies for binding to PD-1 are also included. In another embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody is an antibody disclosed in U.S. Patent No. 8,735,553 B1, the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference.

[00620] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-1 antibody is a commercially-available monoclonal antibody, such as anti-m-PD-1 clones J43 (Cat # BE0033-2) and RMP1-14 (Cat # BE0146) (Bio X Cell, Inc., West Lebanon, NH, USA). A number of commercially-available anti-PD-1 antibodies are known to one of ordinary skill in the art.

[00621] Monoclonal antibodies that inhibit or block PD-1 can be prepared by procedures known to those of ordinary knowledge and skill in the art, *e.g.*, by injecting test subjects with PD-1 antigen and then isolating hybridomas expressing antibodies having the desired sequence or functional characteristics. DNA encoding the monoclonal antibodies is readily isolated and sequenced using conventional procedures (*e.g.*, by using oligonucleotide probes that are capable of binding specifically to genes encoding the heavy and light chains of the monoclonal antibodies). The hybridoma cells serve as a preferred source of such DNA. Once isolated, the DNA may be placed into expression vectors, which are then transfected into host cells such as *E. coli* cells, simian COS cells, Chinese hamster ovary (CHO) cells, myeloma cells, or other suitable cells that do not otherwise produce immunoglobulin protein, to obtain the synthesis of monoclonal antibodies in the recombinant host cells. The details of recombinant production of specific antibodies may be found in the references cited in the foregoing, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein. Monoclonal antibodies that inhibit PD-1 can be prepared by standard molecular biology methods using the sequences provided herein by reverse translation and insertion into appropriate DNA or RNA vectors.

[00622] In an embodiment, the PD-1 inhibitor may be a small molecule or a peptide, or a peptide derivative, such as those described in U.S. Patent Nos. 8,907,053; 9,096,642; and 9,044,442 and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2015/0087581; 1,2,4 oxadiazole compounds and derivatives such as those described in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2015/0073024; cyclic peptidomimetic compounds and derivatives such as those described in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2015/0073042; cyclic compounds and derivatives such as those described in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2015/0125491; 1,3,4 oxadiazole and 1,3,4 thiadiazole compounds and derivatives such as those described in International Patent Application Publication No. WO 2015/033301; peptide-based compounds and derivatives such as those described in International Patent Application Publication Nos. WO 2015/036927 and WO 2015/04490, or a macrocyclic peptide-based compounds and derivatives such as those described in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2014/0294898; the disclosures of each of which are hereby incorporated by reference in their entireties.

[00623] The anti-PD-1 antibody sequences discussed and referenced in some of the foregoing embodiments are summarized in Table 5.

TABLE 5. Anti-PD-1 antibody amino acid sequences.

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)	
SEQ ID NO: 74 nivolumab heavy chain	QVQLVESGGG WQPGRSLRL DCKASGITFS NSGMHWVRQA PGKGLEWVAV IWYDGSKRYY ADSVKGRFTI SRDNSKNTLF LQMNSLRAED TAVYYCATND DYWGQGTLLVT VSSASTKGPS VFPLAPCSRS TSESTAALGC LVKDYFPEPV TVSWNSGALT SGVHTFPAVL QSSGLYSLSS WTVPSSSLG TKTYTCNVDH KPSNTKVDKR VESKYGPPCP PCPAPEFLGG PSVFLFPPKP KDTLMISRTP EVTCVWDVS QEDPEVQFNW YVDGVEVHNA KTKPREEQFN STYRWSVLT VLHQDWLNGK EYKCKVSNKG LPSSIEKTIS KAKGQPREPQ VYTLPPSQEE MTKNQVSLTC LVKGFYPSDI AVEWESNGQP ENNYKTTPPV LDSDGSFFLY SRLTVDKSRW QEGNVFSCSV MHEALHNHYT QKSLSLSLQK	60 120 180 240 300 360 420 440
SEQ ID NO: 75 nivolumab light chain	EIVLTQSPAT LSLSPGERAT LSCRASQSVS SYLAWYQQKP GQAPRLLIYD ASNRATGIPA RFSGSGSGTD FTLTI SSLEP EDFAVYYCQQ SSNWPRTFGQ GTKVEIKRTV AAPSVFIFPP SDEQLKSGTA SWCLLNIFY PREAKVQWKV DNALQSGNSQ ESVTEQDSKD STYLSLSTLT LSKADYEKHK VYACEVTHQG LSSPVTKSFN RGEK	60 120 180 214
SEQ ID NO: 76 nivolumab variable heavy chain	QVQLVESGGG WQPGRSLRL DCKASGITFS NSGMHWVRQA PGKGLEWVAV IWYDGSKRYY ADSVKGRFTI SRDNSKNTLF LQMNSLRAED TAVYYCATND DYWGQGTLLVT VSS	60 113
SEQ ID NO: 77 nivolumab variable light chain	EIVLTQSPAT LSLSPGERAT LSCRASQSVS SYLAWYQQKP GQAPRLLIYD ASNRATGIPA RFSGSGSGTD FTLTI SSLEP EDFAVYYCQQ SSNWPRTFGQ GTKVEIK	60 107
SEQ ID NO: 78 nivolumab heavy chain CDR1	NSGMH	5
SEQ ID NO: 79 nivolumab heavy chain CDR2	VIWYDGSKRY YADSVKG	17

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)
SEQ ID NO: 80 nivolumab heavy chain CDR3	NDDY 4
SEQ ID NO: 81 nivolumab light chain CDR1	RASQSVSSYL A 11
SEQ ID NO: 82 nivolumab light chain CDR2	DASNRAT 7
SEQ ID NO: 83 nivolumab light chain CDR3	QQSSNWPRT 9
SEQ ID NO: 84 pembrolizumab heavy chain	QVQLVQSGVE VKKPGASVKV SCKASGYTFT NYYMYWVRQA PGQGLEWMGG INPSNGGTNF 60 NEKFKNRVTL TTDSSTTTAY MELKSLQFDD TAVYYCARRD YRFDMGFDYW GQGTTVTVSS 120 ASTKGPSVFP LAPCSRSTSE STAALGCLVK DYFPEPVTVS WNSGALTSGV HTFPAVLQSS 180 GLYSLSSWT VPSSSLGTKT YTCNVDHKPS NTKVDKRVES KYGPPCPPCP APEFLGGPSV 240 FLFPPKPKDT LM I SRTPEVT CVWDVSEQED PEVQFNWYVD GVEVHNAKTK PREEQFNSTY 300 RWSVLTVLH QDWLNGKEYK CKVSNKGLPS SIEKTISKAK GQPREPQVYT LPPSQEEMTK 360 NQVSLTCLVK GFYPSDIAVE WESNGQPENN YKTTTPVLDS DGSFFLYSRL TVDKSRWQEG 420 NVFSCSVMHE ALHNHYTQKS LSLSLGK 447
SEQ ID NO: 85 pembrolizumab light chain	EIVLTQSPAT LSLSPGERAT LSCRASKGVS TSGYSYLHWY QQKPGQAPRL LI YLASYLES 60 GVPARFSGSG SGTDFTLTIS SLEPEDFAVY YCQHSRDLP L TFGGGTKVEI KRTVAAPSVF 120 IFPPSDEQLK SGTASWCLL NNFYPREAKV QWKVDNALQS GNSQESVTEQ DSKDSTYSLS 180 STLTLSKADY EKHKVYACEV THQGLSSPVT KSFNRGEC 218
SEQ ID NO: 86 pembrolizumab variable heavy chain	QVQLVQSGVE VKKPGASVKV SCKASGYTFT NYYMYWVRQA PGQGLEWMGG INPSNGGTNF 60 NEKFKNRVTL TTDSSTTTAY MELKSLQFDD TAVYYCARRD YRFDMGFDYW GQGTTVTVSS 120
SEQ ID NO: 87 pembrolizumab variable light chain	EIVLTQSPAT LSLSPGERAT LSCRASKGVS TSGYSYLHWY QQKPGQAPRL LI YLASYLES 60 GVPARFSGSG SGTDFTLTIS SLEPEDFAVY YCQHSRDLP L TFGGGTKVEI K 111
SEQ ID NO: 88 pembrolizumab heavy chain CDR1	NYYMY 5
SEQ ID NO: 89 pembrolizumab heavy chain CDR2	GINPSNGGTN FNEKFK 16
SEQ ID NO: 90 pembrolizumab heavy chain CDR3	RDYRFDMGFD Y 11
SEQ ID NO: 91 pembrolizumab light chain CDR1	RASKGVSTSG YSYLH 15
SEQ ID NO: 92 pembrolizumab light chain CDR2	LASYLES 7
SEQ ID NO: 93 pembrolizumab light chain CDR3	QHSRDLP L T 9
SEQ ID NO: 94 pidilizumab heavy chain	QVQLVQSGSE LKKPGASVKI SCKASGYTFT NYGMNWVRQA PGQGLQWMGW INTDSGESTY 60 AEEFKGRFVF SLDTSVNTAY LQITSLTAED TGMYPQVVRV YDALDYWGQG TLVTVSSAST 120 KGPSVFPPLAP SSKSTSGGTA ALGCLVKDYF PEPVTVSWNS GALTSGVHTF PAVLQSSGLY 180 SLSSWTVPS SSLGTQTYIC NVNHPKPSNTK VDKRVEPKSC DKTHTCP P APELLGGPSV 240 FLFPPKPKDT LMI SRTPEVT CVWDVSHED PEVKFNWYVD GVEVHNAKTK PREEQFNSTY 300 RWSVLTVLH QDWLNGKEYK CKVSNKALPA PIEKTISKAK GQPREPQVYT LPPSREEMTK 360

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)
	NQVSLTCLVK GFYPSDIAVE WESNGQPENN YKTTTPVLDL DGSFFFLYSKL TVDKSRWQQG 420 NVFSCSVMHE ALHNHYTQKS LSLSPGK 447
SEQ ID NO: 95 pidilizumab light chain	EIVLTQSPSS LSASVGDRVT ITCSARSSVS YMHWFQQKPG KAPKLWI YRT SNLAGVPSR 60 FSGSGSGTS Y CLTINSLQPE DFATYYCQQR SSFPLTFGGG TKLEIKRTVA APSVFIFPPS 120 DEQLKSGTAS WCLLNNFYP REAKVQWKVD NALQSGNSQE SVTEQDSKDS TYSLSSTLTL 180 SKADYEKHKV YACEVTHQGL SSEVTKSFNR GEC 213
SEQ ID NO: 96 pidilizumab variable heavy chain	QVQLVQSGSE LKKPGASVKI SCKASGYT FT NYGMNWVRQA PGQGLQ ^W MG ^W INTDSGESTY 60 AEEFKGRFVF SLDTSVNTAY LQITSLTAED TGMVFCVRVG YDALDYWGQG TLVTVSS 117
SEQ ID NO: 97 pidilizumab variable light chain	EIVLTQSPSS LSASVGDRVT ITCSARSSVS YMHWFQQKPG KAPKLWI YRT SNLAGVPSR 60 FSGSGSGTS Y CLTINSLQPE DFATYYCQQR SSFPLTFGGG TKLEIK 106

[00624] The PD-L1 or PD-L2 inhibitor may be any PD-L1 or PD-L2 inhibitor or blocker known in the art. In particular, it is one of the PD-L1 or PD-L2 inhibitors or blockers described in more detail in the following paragraphs. The terms "inhibitor" and "blocker" are used interchangeably herein in reference to PD-L1 and PD-L2 inhibitors. For avoidance of doubt, references herein to a PD-L1 or PD-L2 inhibitor that is an antibody may refer to a compound or antigen-binding fragments, variants, conjugates, or biosimilars thereof. For avoidance of doubt, references herein to a PD-L1 or PD-L2 inhibitor may refer to a compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, ester, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof.

[00625] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods include a PD-L1 or PD-L2 inhibitor. In some embodiments, the PD-L1 and PD-L2 inhibitor is a small molecule. In some embodiments, the PD-L1 or PD-L2 inhibitor is an anti-PD-L1 or anti-PD-L2 antibody, a fragment thereof, including Fab fragments or single-chain variable fragments (scFv). In an aspect of the invention, the anti-PD-1 antibody or fragment thereof in any of the aforementioned embodiments is replaced by, or combined with, an anti-PD-L1 or anti-PD-L2 antibody or fragment thereof. In an embodiment, the antibody competes for binding with, and/or binds to an epitope on PD-L1 and/or PD-L2. In some embodiments, the PD-L1 or PD-L2 inhibitor is a monoclonal antibody. In some embodiments the PD-L1 or PD-L2 inhibitor is a polyclonal antibody. In some embodiments, a PD-L1 inhibitor is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor. In some embodiments, an anti-PD-L1 monoclonal antibody is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor. In some embodiments, a PD-L2 inhibitor is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19

inhibitor. In some embodiments, an anti-PD-L2 monoclonal antibody is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor. In some embodiments, a PD-L1 inhibitor is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a BTK inhibitor. In some embodiments, an anti-PD-L1 monoclonal antibody is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a BTK inhibitor. In some embodiments, a PD-L2 inhibitor is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a BTK inhibitor. In some embodiments, an anti-PD-L2 monoclonal antibody is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a BTK inhibitor. In some embodiments, a PD-L1 inhibitor is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a CD 19 inhibitor. In some embodiments, an anti-PD-L1 monoclonal antibody is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a CD 19 inhibitor. In some embodiments, a PD-L2 inhibitor is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a CD 19 inhibitor. In some embodiments, an anti-PD-L2 monoclonal antibody is included in a composition or a method and is further combined with a CD 19 inhibitor. In some embodiments, both a PD-1 inhibitor and a PD-L1 inhibitor are included in a composition or method and are further combined with a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor. In some embodiments, both an anti-PD-1 monoclonal antibody and an anti-PD-L1 monoclonal antibody are included in a composition or method and are further combined with a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor. In some embodiments, both a PD-1 inhibitor and a PD-L2 inhibitor are included in a composition or method and are further combined with a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor. In some embodiments, both an anti-PD-1 monoclonal antibody and an anti-PD-L2 monoclonal antibody are included in a composition or method and are further combined with a BTK inhibitor and a CD 19 inhibitor.

[00626] In preferred embodiments, the compositions described herein provide a combination of a PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 inhibitor with a BTK inhibitor, or methods of using a combination of a PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 inhibitor with a BTK inhibitor. In some embodiments, the PD-L1 inhibitors provided herein are selective for PD-L1, in that the compounds bind or interact with PD-L1 at substantially lower concentrations than they bind or interact with other receptors, including the PD-L2 receptor. In certain embodiments, the compounds bind to the PD-L2 receptor at a binding constant that is at least about a 2-fold higher concentration, about a 3-fold higher concentration, about a 5-fold higher concentration, about a 10-fold higher concentration,

about a 20-fold higher concentration, about a 30-fold higher concentration, about a 50-fold higher concentration, about a 100-fold higher concentration, about a 200-fold higher concentration, about a 300-fold higher concentration, or about a 500-fold higher concentration than to the PD-L1 receptor.

[00627] Without being bound by any theory, it is believed that tumor cells express PD-L1, and that T cells express PD-1. However, PD-L1 expression by tumor cells is not required for efficacy of PD-1 or PD-L1 inhibitors or blockers. In an embodiment, the tumor cells express PD-L1. In another embodiment, the tumor cells do not express PD-L1. In some embodiments, the methods and compositions described herein include a combination of a PD-1 and a PD-L1 antibody, such as those described herein, in combination with a BTK inhibitor. The administration of a combination of a PD-1 and a PD-L1 antibody and a BTK inhibitor may be simultaneous or sequential.

[00628] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods described include a PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 inhibitor that binds human PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 with a K_D of about 100 pM or lower, binds human PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 with a K_D of about 90 pM or lower, binds human PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 with a K_D of about 80 pM or lower, binds human PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 with a K_D of about 70 pM or lower, binds human PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 with a K_D of about 60 pM or lower, a K_D of about 50 pM or lower, binds human PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 with a K_D of about 40 pM or lower, or binds human PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 with a K_D of about 30 pM or lower,

[00629] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods described include a PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 inhibitor that binds to human PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 with a k_{assoc} of about 7.5×10^5 1/M-s or faster, binds to human PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 with a k_{assoc} of about 8×10^5 1/M-s or faster, binds to human PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 with a k_{assoc} of about 8.5×10^5 1/M-s or faster, binds to human PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 with a k_{assoc} of about 9×10^5 1/M-s or faster, binds to human PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 with a k_{assoc} of about 9.5×10^5 1/M-s and/or faster, or binds to human PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 with a k_{assoc} of about 1×10^6 1/M-s or faster.

[00630] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods described include a PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 inhibitor that binds to human PD-L1 or PD-L2 with a k_{assoc} of about 2×10^5 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 2.1×10^5 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about 2.2×10^5 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a k_{assoc} of about $2.3 \times$

10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a $k_{\text{d}}^{\text{ssoc}}$ of about 2.4×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a $k_{\text{d}}^{\text{ssoc}}$ of about 2.5×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-1 with a $k_{\text{d}}^{\text{ssoc}}$ of about 2.6×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, binds to human PD-L1 or PD-L2 with a $k_{\text{d}}^{\text{ssoc}}$ of about 2.7×10^{-5} 1/s or slower, or binds to human PD-L1 or PD-L2 with a $k_{\text{d}}^{\text{ssoc}}$ of about 3×10^{-5} 1/s or slower.

[00631] In some embodiments, the compositions and methods described include a PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 inhibitor that blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC_{50} of about 10 nM or lower; blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC_{50} of about 9 nM or lower; blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC_{50} of about 8 nM or lower; blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC_{50} of about 7 nM or lower; blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC_{50} of about 6 nM or lower; blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC_{50} of about 5 nM or lower; blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC_{50} of about 4 nM or lower; blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC_{50} of about 3 nM or lower; blocks or inhibits binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC_{50} of about 2 nM or lower; or blocks human PD-1, or blocks binding of human PD-L1 or human PD-L2 to human PD-1 with an IC_{50} of about 1 nM or lower.

[00632] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is durvalumab, also known as MEDI4736 (which is commercially available from Medimmune, LLC, Gaithersburg, Maryland, a subsidiary of AstraZeneca pic.), or antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, or variants thereof. In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is an antibody disclosed in U.S. Patent No. 8,779,108 or U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2013/0034559, the disclosures of which are specifically incorporated by reference herein. The clinical efficacy of durvalumab (MEDI4736, SEQ ID NO:98 and SEQ ID NO:99) has been described in: Page, *et al.*, *Ann. Rev. Med.*, **2014**, *65*, 185-202; Brahmer, *et al.*, *J. Clin. Oncol.* **2014**, *32*, 5s (supplement, abstract 8021); and McDermott, *et al.*, *Cancer Treatment Rev.*, **2014**, *40*, 1056-64. The durvalumab (MEDI4736) monoclonal antibody includes a V_{H} region given by SEQ ID NO: 100 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO:72 in U.S. Patent No. 8,779,108) and a V_{L} region given by SEQ ID NO: 101 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO:77 in U.S. Patent No. 8,779,108). The durvalumab monoclonal antibody includes disulfide linkages at 22-96, 22"-96", 23'-89', 23'''-89'''', 135'-195', 135'''-195'''', 148-204, 148"-204", 215-

224, 215"-224", 230-230", 233-233", 265-325, 265"-325", 371-429, and 371"-429"; and N-glycosylation sites at Asn-301 and Asn-301".

[00633] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is an immunoglobulin G1, anti-(human CD antigen CD274) (human monoclonal heavy chain), disulfide with human monoclonal κ -chain, dimer. In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises the heavy and light chains of durvalumab (MEDI4736). In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains having the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:98 and SEQ ID NO:99, respectively, or antigen binding fragments, variants, or conjugates thereof. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 99% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:98 and SEQ ID NO:99, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 98% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:98 and SEQ ID NO:99, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 97% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:98 and SEQ ID NO:99, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 96% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:98 and SEQ ID NO:99, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:98 and SEQ ID NO:99, respectively.

[00634] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions having the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:100 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO:72 in U.S. Patent No. 8,779,108) and SEQ ID NO:101 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO:77 in U.S. Patent No. 8,779,108), respectively, as described in U.S. Patent No. 8,779,108 or U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2013/0034559, the disclosures of which are specifically incorporated by reference herein, including antigen binding fragments, conjugates, and variants thereof. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 99% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:100 and SEQ ID NO:101, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 98% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:100 and SEQ ID NO:101, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 97% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:100 and SEQ ID NO:101, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 96%

identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:100 and SEQ ID NO:101, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:100 and SEQ ID NO:101, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 90% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 100 and SEQ ID NO: 101, respectively.

[00635] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy chain CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains having the sequences set forth in SEQ ID NO: 102, SEQ ID NO: 103, and SEQ ID NO: 104, respectively, and light chain CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains having the sequences set forth in SEQ ID NO: 105, SEQ ID NO: 106, and SEQ ID NO: 107, respectively.

[00636] In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 102, SEQ ID NO: 103, and SEQ ID NO: 104, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 90% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 102, SEQ ID NO: 103, and SEQ ID NO: 104, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 85% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:102, SEQ ID NO:103, and SEQ ID NO:104, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 80% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 102, SEQ ID NO: 103, and SEQ ID NO: 104, respectively. In another embodiment, the antibody competes for binding with, and/or binds to the same epitope on PD-L1 as the aforementioned antibodies.

[00637] In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 105, SEQ ID NO: 106, and SEQ ID NO: 107, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 90% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 105, SEQ ID NO: 106, and SEQ ID NO: 107, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 85% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO:105, SEQ ID NO:106, and SEQ ID NO:107, respectively. In an

embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 80% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 105, SEQ ID NO: 106, and SEQ ID NO: 107, respectively. In another embodiment, the antibody competes for binding with, and/or binds to the same epitope on PD-L1 as the aforementioned antibodies.

[00638] In an embodiment, anti-PD-L1 antibodies and other PD-L1 inhibitors include those described in U.S. Patent No. 8,779,108 and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2013/0034559A1, the disclosures of which are hereby incorporated by reference. In another embodiment, antibodies that compete with any of these antibodies for binding to PD-L1 are also included.

[00639] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is atezolizumab, also known as MPDL3280A or RG7446 (commercially available from Genentech, Inc., a subsidiary of Roche), or antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, or variants thereof. In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is an antibody disclosed in U.S. Patent No. 8,217,149, the disclosure of which is specifically incorporated by reference herein. In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is an antibody disclosed in U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. 2010/0203056 A1, 2013/0045200 A1, 2013/0045201 A1, 2013/0045202 A1, or 2014/0065135 A1, the disclosures of which are specifically incorporated by reference herein. The atezolizumab monoclonal antibody includes a heavy chain given by SEQ ID NO: 108 and a light chain given by SEQ ID NO: 109.

Atezolizumab has intra-heavy chain disulfide linkages (C23-C104) at 22-96, 145-201, 262-322, 368-426, 22"-96", 145"-201", 262"-322", and 368"-426"; intra-light chain disulfide linkages (C23-C104) at 23'-88', 134'-194', 23'''-88''', and 134'''-194'''; intra-heavy-light chain disulfide linkages (h 5-CL 126) at 221-214' and 221"-214'''; intra-heavy-heavy chain disulfide linkages (h 11, h 14) at 227-227" and 230-230"; and N-glycosylation sites (H CH₂ N84.4>A) at 298 and 298'.

[00640] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is an immunoglobulin G1 kappa, anti-(human PD-L1) humanized monoclonal antibody. In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises the heavy and light chains of atezolizumab (MPDL3280A). In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains having the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 108 and SEQ ID NO: 109, respectively, or antigen binding fragments, variants, or conjugates

thereof. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 99% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 108 and SEQ ID NO: 109, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 98% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 108 and SEQ ID NO: 109, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 97% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 108 and SEQ ID NO: 109, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 96% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 108 and SEQ ID NO: 109, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 108 and SEQ ID NO: 109, respectively.

[00641] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises the heavy and light chain CDRs or VRs of atezolizumab (MPDL3280A). In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody V_H region comprises the sequence shown in SEQ ID NO:1 10 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 20 in U.S. Patent No. 8,217,149), and the anti-PD-L1 antibody V_L region comprises the sequence shown in SEQ ID NO: 111 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO:21 in U.S. Patent No. 8,217,149). In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 99% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 110 and SEQ ID NO: 111, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 98% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 110 and SEQ ID NO: 111, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 97% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 110 and SEQ ID NO: 111, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 96% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 110 and SEQ ID NO: 111, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 110 and SEQ ID NO: 111, respectively.

[00642] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a heavy chain variable region (V_H) polypeptide that comprises a CDR1, CDR2, and CDR3 sequence, wherein the CDR1 sequence is given by SEQ ID NO: 112 (GFTFSXiSWIH) (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 1 in U.S. Patent No. 8,217,149), the CDR2 sequence is SEQ ID NO:1 13 (AWIX₂PYGGSX₃YYADSVKG) (corresponding to SEQ ID NO:2 in U.S. Patent No.

8,217,149), and the CDR3 sequence is SEQ ID NO: 114 (RHWPGGFDY) (corresponding to SEQ ID NO:3 in U.S. Patent No. 8,217,149), further wherein X_1 is D or G, X_2 is S or L, and X_3 is T or S, and the anti-PD-L1 antibody also comprises a light chain variable region (V_L) polypeptide that comprises a CDR1, CDR2, and CDR3 sequence wherein the CDR1 sequence is given by SEQ ID NO: 115 (RASQX₄X₅X₆TX₇X₈A) (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 8 in U.S. Patent No. 8,217,149), the CDR2 sequence is given by SEQ ID NO: 116 (SASX₉LX₁₀S) (corresponding to SEQ ID NO:9 in U.S. Patent No. 8,217,149), and the CDR3 sequence is SEQ ID NO: 117 (QQX₁₁X₁₂X₁₃X₁₄PX₁₅T) (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 10 in U.S. Patent No. 8,217,149), further wherein further wherein: X_4 is D or V; X_5 is V or I; X_6 is S or N; X_7 is A or F; X_8 ISV or L; X_9 is F or T; X_{10} is Y or A; X_{11} is Y, G, F, or S; X_{12} is L, Y, F or W; X_{13} is Y, N, A, T, G, F or I; X_{14} is H, V, P, T or I; and X_{15} is A, W, R, P or T.

[00643] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is avelumab, also known as MSB0010718C (commercially available from Merck KGaA/EMD Serono), or antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, or variants thereof. In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is an antibody disclosed in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0341917 A1, the disclosure of which is specifically incorporated by reference herein. The avelumab monoclonal antibody includes a heavy chain given by SEQ ID NO: 118 and a light chain given by SEQ ID NO:119. Avelumab has intra-heavy chain disulfide linkages (C23-C104) at 22-96, 147-203, 264-324, 370-428, 22"-96", 147"-203", 264"-324", and 370"-428"; intra-light chain disulfide linkages (C23-C104) at 22'-90', 138'-197', 22"'-90'", and 138"'-197"; intra-heavy-light chain disulfide linkages (h 5-CL 126) at 223-215' and 223"-215"; intra-heavy-heavy chain disulfide linkages (h 11, h 14) at 229-229" and 232-232"; N-glycosylation sites (H CH₂N84.4) at 300, 300"; fucosylated complex bi-antennary CHO-type glycans; and H CHS K2 C-terminal lysine clipping at 450 and 450'.

[00644] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is an immunoglobulin G1 lambda-1, anti-(human PD-L1) human monoclonal antibody. In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises the heavy and light chains of avelumab (MSB0010718C). In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains having the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 118 and SEQ ID NO: 119, respectively, or antigen binding fragments, variants, or conjugates thereof. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 99% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 118 and SEQ ID NO: 119,

respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 98% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 118 and SEQ ID NO: 119, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 97% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 118 and SEQ ID NO: 119, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 96% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 118 and SEQ ID NO: 119, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises heavy and light chains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 118 and SEQ ID NO: 119, respectively.

[00645] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody V_H region comprises the sequence given in SEQ ID NO: 120 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 24 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0341917 A1), and the anti-PD-L1 antibody V_L region comprises the sequence given in SEQ ID NO: 121 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 25 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0341917 A1). In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 99% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 120 and SEQ ID NO: 121, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 98% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 120 and SEQ ID NO: 121, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 97% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 120 and SEQ ID NO: 121, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 96% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 120 and SEQ ID NO: 121, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises V_H and V_L regions that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 120 and SEQ ID NO: 121, respectively.

[00646] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a heavy chain variable region (V_H) polypeptide that comprises a CDR1, CDR2, and CDR3 sequence, wherein the CDR1 sequence is given by SEQ ID NO: 122 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 15 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0341917 A1), the CDR2 sequence is given by SEQ ID NO: 123 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 16 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0341917 A1), and the CDR3 sequence is given by SEQ ID NO: 124 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 17 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0341917 A1), and the anti-PD-L1

antibody also comprises a light chain variable region (V_L) polypeptide that comprises a CDR1, CDR2, and CDR3 sequence wherein the CDR1 sequence is given by SEQ ID NO: 125 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO:18 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0341917 A1), the CDR2 sequence is given by SEQ ID NO: 126 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO: 19 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0341917 A1), and the CDR3 sequence is given by SEQ ID NO: 127 (corresponding to SEQ ID NO:20 in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0341917 A1).

[00647] In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 122, SEQ ID NO: 123, and SEQ ID NO: 124, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 90% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 122, SEQ ID NO: 123, and SEQ ID NO: 124, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 85% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 122, SEQ ID NO: 123, and SEQ ID NO: 124, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a heavy chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 80% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 122, SEQ ID NO: 123, and SEQ ID NO: 124, respectively. In another embodiment, the antibody competes for binding with, and/or binds to the same epitope on PD-L1 as the aforementioned antibodies.

[00648] In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 95% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 125, SEQ ID NO: 126, and SEQ ID NO: 127, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 90% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 125, SEQ ID NO: 126, and SEQ ID NO: 127, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 85% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 125, SEQ ID NO: 126, and SEQ ID NO: 127, respectively. In an embodiment, an anti-PD-L1 antibody comprises a light chain that comprises CDR1, CDR2 and CDR3 domains that are each at least 80% identical to the sequences shown in SEQ ID NO: 125, SEQ ID NO: 126, and SEQ ID NO: 127, respectively. In another embodiment, the antibody

competes for binding with, and/or binds to the same epitope on PD-L1 as the aforementioned antibodies.

[00649] In an embodiment, anti-PD-L1 antibodies and other PD-L1 inhibitors include those described in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2014/0341917 A1, the disclosure of which is hereby incorporated by reference. In another embodiment, antibodies that compete with any of these antibodies for binding to PD-L1 are also included.

[00650] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is MDX-1 105, also known as BMS-935559, which is disclosed in U.S. Patent No. US 7,943,743 B2, the disclosures of which are specifically incorporated by reference herein. In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is selected from the anti-PD-L1 antibodies disclosed in U.S. Patent No. US 7,943,743 B2, which are specifically incorporated by reference herein.

[00651] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is a commercially-available monoclonal antibody, such as INVIVOMAB anti-m-PD-L1 clone 10F.9G2 (Catalog # BE0101, Bio X Cell, Inc., West Lebanon, NH, USA). In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L1 antibody is a commercially-available monoclonal antibody, such as AFFYMETRIX EBIOSCIENCE (MIH1). A number of commercially-available anti-PD-L1 antibodies are known to one of ordinary skill in the art.

[00652] In an embodiment, the anti-PD-L2 antibody is a commercially-available monoclonal antibody, such as BIOLEGEND 24F.10C12 Mouse IgG2a, κ isotype (catalog # 329602 Biologend, Inc., San Diego, CA), SIGMA anti-PD-L2 antibody (catalog # SAB3500395, Sigma-Aldrich Co., St. Louis, MO), or other commercially-available anti-PD-L2 antibodies known to one of ordinary skill in the art.

[00653] Monoclonal antibodies that inhibit PD-L1 and/or PD-L2 can be prepared by procedures known to those of ordinary knowledge and skill in the art, e.g. by injecting test subjects with PD-L1 or PD-L2 antigen and then isolating hybridomas expressing antibodies having the desired sequence or functional characteristics. DNA encoding the monoclonal antibodies is readily isolated and sequenced using conventional procedures (*e.g.*, by using oligonucleotide probes that are capable of binding specifically to genes encoding the heavy and light chains of the monoclonal antibodies). The hybridoma cells serve as a preferred source of such DNA. Once isolated, the DNA may be placed into expression vectors, which are then transfected into host cells such as *E. coli* cells, simian COS cells, Chinese hamster ovary (CHO) cells, myeloma cells,

or other suitable cells that do not otherwise produce immunoglobulin protein, to obtain the synthesis of monoclonal antibodies in the recombinant host cells. The details of recombinant production of specific antibodies may be found in the references cited in the foregoing, the disclosures of which are incorporated by reference herein. Monoclonal antibodies that inhibit PD-1 can be prepared by standard molecular biology methods using the sequences provided herein by reverse translation and insertion into appropriate DNA or RNA vectors.

[00654] The anti-PD-L1 antibody sequences referenced in some of the foregoing embodiments are summarized in Table 6.

TABLE 6. Anti-PD-L1 antibody amino acid sequences.

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)	
SEQ ID NO:98 durvalumab (MEDI4736) heavy chain	EVQLVESGGG LVQPGGSLRL SCAASGFTFS RYWMSWVRQA PGKGLEWVAN IKQDGSEKYY VDSVKGRFTI SRDPAKNSLY LQMNSLRAED TAVYYCAREG GWFGEIAFDY WQGTLVTVS SASTKGPSVF PLAPSSKSTS GGTAALGLCV KDYFPEPVTV SWNSGALTSG VHTFPAVLQS SGLYSLSSW TVPSSSLGTQ TYICNVNHKP SNTKVDKRVK PKSCDKTHTC PPCPAPEFEG GPSVFLFPPK PKDTLMISRT PEVTCVWDV SHEDPEVKFN WYVDGVEVHN AKTKPREEQY NSTYRWSVL TVLHQDWLNG KEYKCKVSNK ALPASIEKTI SKAKGQPREP QVYTLPPSRE EMTKNQVSLT CLVKGFYPSD IAVEWESNGQ PENNYKTPP VLDSDGSFFL YSKLTVDKSR WQQGNVFSKS VMHEALHNY TQKSLSLSPG K	60 120 180 240 300 360 420 451
SEQ ID NO:99 durvalumab (MEDI4736) light chain	EVQLVESGGG LVQPGGSLRL SCAASGFTFS RYWMSWVRQA PGKGLEWVAN EIVLTQSPGT LSLSPGERAT LSCRASQRVS SSYLAWYQQK PGQAPRLLIY DASSRATGIP DRFSGSGSGT DFTLTI SRLE PEDFAVYYCQ QYGSLPWTFG QGTKVEIKRT VAAPSVFIFP PSDEQLKSGT ASWCLLNNF YPREAKVQWK VDNALQSGNS QESVTEQDSK DSTYLSLSTL TLSKADYEKH KVYACEVTHQ GLSSPVTKSF NRGEC	60 120 180 240 265
SEQ ID NO:100 durvalumab variable heavy chain	EVQLVESGGG LVQPGGSLRL SCAASGFTFS RYWMSWVRQA PGKGLEWVAN IKQDGSEKYY VDSVKGRFTI SRDPAKNSLY LQMNSLRAED TAVYYCAREG GWFGEIAFDY WQGTLVTVS S	60 120 121
SEQ ID NO:101 durvalumab variable light chain	EIVLTQSPGT LSLSPGERAT LSCRASQRVS SSYLAWYQQK PGQAPRLLIY DASSRATGIP DRFSGSGSGT DFTLTI SRLE PEDFAVYYCQ QYGSLPWTFG QGTKVEIK	60 108
SEQ ID NO:102 durvalumab heavy chain CDR1	RYWMS	5
SEQ ID NO:103 durvalumab heavy chain CDR2	NIKQDGSEKY YVDSVKG	17
SEQ ID NO:104 durvalumab heavy chain CDR3	EGGWFGELAF DY	12
SEQ ID NO:105 durvalumab light chain CDR1	RASQRVSSSY LA	12
SEQ ID NO:106 durvalumab light chain CDR2	DAS SRAT	7
SEQ ID NO:107 durvalumab light chain	QQYGSLPWT	9

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)						
CDR3							
SEQ ID NO:108 atezoli zumab (MPDL32 80a) heavy chain	EVQLVESGGG ADSVKGRFTI TKGPSVFPLA YSLSSWTVP VFLFPPKPKD YRWSVLTVL KNQVSLTCLV GNVFSCSVHM	LVQPGGSLRL SADTSKNTAY PSSKSTSGGT SSSLGTQTYI TLMI SRTPEV HQDWLNGKEY KGFYPSDIAV EALHNNHYTQK	SCAASGFTFS LQMNSLRAED AALGCLVKDY CNVNHKPSNT TCVWDVSHE KCKVSNKALP EWESNGQPEN SLSLSPGK	DSWIHWVRQA TAVYYCARRH FPEPVTVSWN KVDKKVEPKS DPEVKFNWYV APIEKTISKA NYKTPPVLD	PGKGLEWVAV WPGGFDYWGQ SGALTSKVHT CDKTHTCPPC DGVEVHNAKT KGQPREPQVY SDGSFFLYSK	I SPYGGSTYY GTLVTVSSAS FPAVLQSSGL PAPELLGGPS KPREEQYAST TLPPSREEMT LTVDKSRWQQ	60 120 180 240 300 360 420 448
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SEQ ID NO:111 atezoli zumab variable light chain	DIQMTQSPSS RFGSGSGSTD	LSASVGDRVT FTLTISLQP	ITCRASQDVS EDFATYYCQQ	TAVAWYQQKP YLYHPATFGQ	GKAPKLLIYS GTKVEIKR	ASFLYSGVPS	60 108
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SEQ ID NO:113 atezoli zumab heavy chain CDR2	AWIXPYGGSX YYADSVKG						18
SEQ ID NO:114 atezoli zumab heavy chain CDR3	RHWPGGFDY						9
SEQ ID NO:115 atezoli zumab light chain CDR1	RASQXXXTX A						11
SEQ ID NO:116 atezoli zumab light chain CDR2	SASXLXS						7
SEQ ID NO:117 atezoli zumab light chain CDR3	QQXXXXPXT						9
SEQ ID NO:118 avelumab (MSB0010718C) heavy chain	EVQLLESGGG ADTVKGRFTI ASTKGPSVFP GLYSLSSWT PSVFLFPPKP STYRWSVLT LTKNQVSLTC QQGNVFSCSV	LVQPGGSLRL SRDNSKNTLY LAPSSKSTSG VPSSSLGTQT KDTLMI SRTPEV VLHQDWLNGK LVKGFYPSDI MHEALHNNHYT	SCAASGFTFS LQMNSLRAED GTAALGCLVK YICNVNHKPS EVTCTWVDVS EYKCKVSNKA AVEWESNGQP QKSLSLSPGK	SYIMMWVRQA TAVYYCARI K DYFPEPVTVS NTKVDKKEVP HEDPEVKFNW LPAPIEKTIS ENNYKTPPVV	PGKGLEWVSS LGTVTTVTDYV WNSGALTSKV KSCDKTHTCP YVDGVEVHNA KAKGQPREPQ LDSGGSFFLY	I YPSGGITFY GQGLTVTVSS HTFPAVLQSS PCPAPELLGG KTKPREEQYN VYTLPPSRDE SKLTVDKSRW	60 120 180 240 300 360 420 450
SEQ ID NO:119 avelumab (MSB0010718C) light chain	QSALTQPASV SNRFGSKSG LFPPSSEELQ YLSLTPEQWK	SGSPGQSITI NTASLTISGL ANKATLVCLI SHRSYSCQVT	SCTGTSSDVG QAEDEADYYC SDFYPGAVTV HEGSTVEKTV	GYNYVSWYQQ SSYTSSSTRV AWKADGSPVK APTECS	HPGKAPKLM I FGTGTKVTVL AGVETTKPSK	YDVSNRPSGV GQPKANPTVT QSNKYYAASS	60 120 180 216
SEQ ID NO:120 avelumab variable heavy chain	EVQLLESGGG ADTVKGRFTI	LVQPGGSLRL SRDNSKNTLY	SCAASGFTFS LQMNSLRAED	SYIMMWVRQA TAVYYCARI K	PGKGLEWVSS LGTVTTVTDYV	I YPSGGITFY GQGLTVTVSS	60 120
SEQ ID NO:121 avelumab variable light chain	QSALTQPASV SNRFGSKSG	SGSPGQSITI NTASLTISGL	SCTGTSSDVG QAEDEADYYC	GYNYVSWYQQ SSYTSSSTRV	HPGKAPKLM I FGTGTKVTVL	YDVSNRPSGV	60 110
SEQ ID NO:122	SYIMM						5

Identifier	Sequence (One-Letter Amino Acid Symbols)
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SEQ ID NO:124 avelumab heavy chain CDR3	IKLGTVTVD Y 11
SEQ ID NO:125 avelumab light chain CDR1	TGTSSDVGGY NYVS 14
SEQ ID NO:126 avelumab light chain CDR2	DVSNRPS 7
SEQ ID NO:127 avelumab light chain CDR3	SSYTSSTRV 10

[00655] The preparation, properties, and uses of suitable PD-1 and PD-L1 inhibitors are described in, *e.g.*, U.S. Patent No. 8,008,449 or U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. 2009/0217401 A1 or 2013/0133091 A1; U.S. Patent No. 8,354,509 and U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. US 2010/0266617 A1, US 2013/0108651 A1, and US 2013/0109843 A2; U.S. Patent Nos. 8,287,856, 8,580,247, and 8,168,757 and U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. US 2009/0028857 A1, US 2010/0285013 A1, US 2013/0022600 A1, and US 2011/0008369 A1; U.S. Patent No. 8,779,108 or U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2013/0034559 A1; U.S. Patent No. 8,217,149 and U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. US 2010/0203056 A1, US 2013/0045200 A1, US 2013/0045201 A1, US 2013/0045202 A1, or US 2014/0065135 A1; and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2014/0341917 A1, the disclosures of each of which are incorporated by reference herein.

[00656] While preferred embodiments of the invention are shown and described herein, such embodiments are provided by way of example only and are not intended to otherwise limit the scope of the invention. Various alternatives to the described embodiments of the invention may be employed in practicing the invention.

EXAMPLES

[00657] The embodiments encompassed herein are now described with reference to the following examples. These examples are provided for the purpose of illustration only and the disclosure encompassed herein should in no way be construed as being limited to these examples, but rather should be construed to encompass any and all variations which become evident as a result of the teachings provided herein.

Example 1 - Preclinical Characteristics of BTK Inhibitors

[00658] The BTK inhibitor ibrutinib (Formula (10), (1-[(3i?)-3-[4-amino-3-(4-phenoxyphenyl)-1*H*-pyrazolo[3,4-*f*]pyrimidin-1-yl]piperidin-1-yl]prop-2-en-1-one) is a first-generation BTK inhibitor. In clinical testing as a monotherapy in subjects with hematologic malignancies, ibrutinib was generally well tolerated at dose levels through 840 mg (the highest dose tested). Advani, *etal*, *J. Clin. Oncol.* **2013**, *31*, 88-94; Byrd, *etal*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, *369*, 32-42; Wang, *etal*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, *369*, 507-16. No maximum tolerated dose (MTD) was apparent within the tested dose range. Furthermore, subjects typically found the drug tolerable over periods extending to > 2 years. No subject had tumor lysis syndrome. No overt pattern of myelosuppression was associated with ibrutinib treatment. No drug-related reductions in circulating CD4⁺ T cells or serum immunoglobulins were noted. Adverse events with an apparent relationship to study drug included diarrhea and rash.

[00659] In subjects with heavily pretreated non-Hodgkin lymphoma (NHL), ibrutinib showed substantial antitumor activity, inducing durable regressions of lymphadenopathy and splenomegaly in most subjects. Improvements in disease-associated anemia and thrombocytopenia were observed. The pattern of changes in subjects with CLL was notable. Single-active pharmaceutical ingredient ibrutinib caused rapid and substantial reductions in lymph node size concomitant with a redistribution of malignant sites into the peripheral blood. An asymptomatic absolute lymphocyte count (ALC) increase was observed that was maximal during the first few months of treatment and generally decreased thereafter but could be persistent in some subjects or could be seen repeatedly in subjects who had interruption and resumption of drug therapy.

[00660] Collectively, these data with ibrutinib support the potential benefits of selective BTK inhibition in the treatment of subjects with relapsed lymphoid cancers. However, while highly

potent in inhibiting BTK, ibrutinib has also shown *in vitro* activity against other kinases with a cysteine in the same position as Cys481 in BTK, to which the drug covalently binds. For example, ibrutinib inhibits epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR), which may be the cause of ibrutinib-related diarrhea and rash. In addition, it is a substrate for both cytochrome P450 (CYP) enzymes 3A4/5 and 2D6, which increases the possibility of drug-drug interactions. These liabilities support the development of alternative BTK inhibitors for use in the therapy of lymphoid cancer.

[00661] The preclinical selectivity and potency characteristics of the second-generation BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) were compared to the first-generation BTK inhibitor of Formula (10) (ibrutinib). In Table 7, a kinome screen (performed by Life Technologies or based on literature data) is shown that compares these compounds.

TABLE 7. Kinome Screen for BTK Inhibitors (IC₅₀, nM)

3F-Cys Kinase	Formula (2)	Ibrutinib (Formula (10))
Btk	3.1	0.5
Tec	29	78
Bmx	39	0.80
ITK	>1000	10.7
Txk	291	2.0
EGFR	>1000	5.6
ErbB2	912	9.4
ErbB4	13.2	2.7
Blk	>1000	0.5
JAK-3	>1000	16.1

[00662] The results shown in Table 7 are obtained from a 10 point biochemical assay generated from 10 point concentration curves. The BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) shows much greater selectivity for BTK compared to other kinases than ibrutinib.

[00663] A comparison of the *in vivo* potency results for the BTK inhibitors of Formula (2) and ibrutinib is shown in FIG. 1. CD86 and CD69 are cell surface proteins that are BCR activation markers. To obtain the *in vivo* potency results, mice were gavaged at increasing drug concentration and sacrificed at one time point (3 hours post-dose). BCR was stimulated with

IgM and the expression of activation marker CD69 and CD86 are monitored by flow cytometry to determine EC₅₀ values.

[00664] *In vitro* and *in vivo* safety pharmacology studies with Formula (2) have demonstrated a favorable nonclinical safety profile. When screened at 10 µM in binding assays evaluating interactions with 80 known pharmacologic targets such as G-protein-coupled receptors, nuclear receptors, proteases, and ion channels, Formula (2) shows significant activity only against the A3 adenosine receptor; follow-up dose-response experiments indicated an IC₅₀ of 2.7 µM, suggesting a low clinical risk of off-target effects. Formula (2) at 10 µM showed no inhibition of *in vitro* EGFR phosphorylation in an A431 human epidermoid cancer cell line whereas ibrutinib had an IC₅₀ of 66 nM. The *in vitro* effect of Formula (2) on human ether-a-go-go-related gene (hERG) channel activity was investigated *in vitro* in human embryonic kidney cells stably transfected with hERG. Formula (2) inhibited hERG channel activity by 25% at 10 µM, suggesting a low clinical risk that Formula (2) would induce clinical QT prolongation as predicted by this assay. Formula (2) was well tolerated in standard *in vivo* Good Laboratory Practices (GLP) studies of pharmacologic safety. A functional observation battery in rats at doses through 300 mg/kg (the highest dose level) revealed no adverse effects on neurobehavioral effects or body temperature at any dose level. A study of respiratory function in rats also indicated no treatment-related adverse effects at doses through 300 mg/kg (the highest dose level). In a cardiovascular function study in awake telemeterized male beagle dogs, single doses of Formula (2) at dose levels through 30 mg/kg (the highest dose level) induced no meaningful changes in body temperature, cardiovascular, or electrocardiographic (ECG) (including QT interval) parameters. The results suggest that Formula (2) is unlikely to cause serious off-target effects or adverse effects on critical organ systems.

[00665] The drug-drug interaction potential of Formula (2) was also evaluated. *In vitro* experiments evaluating loss of parent drug as catalyzed by CYPs indicated that Formula (2) is metabolized by CYP3A4. *In vitro* metabolism studies using mouse, rat, dog, rabbit, monkey, and human hepatocytes incubated with ¹⁴C-labeled Formula (2) indicated two mono-oxidized metabolites and a glutathione conjugate. No unique human metabolite was identified. Preliminary evaluations of metabolism in the plasma, bile, and urine of rats, dogs, and monkeys indicated metabolic processes of oxidation, glutathione binding, and hydrolysis. It was shown that Formula (2) binds to glutathione but does not deplete glutathione *in vitro*. Nonclinical CYP

interaction studies data indicate that Formula (2) is very unlikely to cause clinical drug-drug interactions through alteration of the metabolism of drugs that are substrates for CYP enzymes.

[00666] The *in vitro* potency in whole blood of Formula (2), Formula (10) (ibrutinib), and Formula (17) (CC-292) in inhibiting signals through the B cell receptor was also assessed. Blood from four healthy donors was incubated for 2 hours with the compounds shown over a concentration range, and then stimulated with anti-human IgD (10 µg/mL) for 18 hours. The mean fluorescent intensity (MFI) of CD69 (and CD86, data not shown) on gated CD19+ B cells was measured by flow cytometry. MFI values were normalized so that 100% represents CD69 level in stimulated cells without inhibitor, while 0% represents the unstimulated/no drug condition. The results are shown in FIG. 2. The EC₅₀ values obtained were 8.2 nM (95% confidence interval: 6.5 - 10.3), 6.1 nM (95% confidence interval: 5.2 - 7.2), and 121 nM (95% confidence interval: 94 - 155) for Formula (2), Formula (10) (ibrutinib), and Formula (17) (CC-292), respectively.

[00667] The EGF receptor phosphorylation *in vitro* was also determined for Formula (2) and Formula (10) (ibrutinib). Epidermoid carcinoma A431 cells were incubated for 2h with a dose titration of Formula (2) or Formula (10) (ibrutinib), before stimulation with EGF (100 ng/mL) for 5 min to induce EGFR phosphorylation (p-EGFR). Cells were fixed with 1.6% paraformaldehyde and permeabilized with 90% MeOH. Phosphoflow cytometry was performed with p-EGFR (Y1069). MFI values were normalized so that 100% represents the p-EGFR level in stimulated cells without inhibitor, while 0% represents the unstimulated/no drug condition. The results are shown in FIG. 3. EGF-induced p-EGFR inhibition was determined to be 7% at 10 µM for Formula (2), while ibrutinib has an EC₅₀ of 66 nM. The much more potent inhibition of EGF-induced p-EGFR by ibrutinib may be associated with increased side effects including diarrhea and rash.

Example 2 - BTK Inhibitory Effects on Solid Tumor Microenvironment in an Orthotopic Pancreatic Cancer Model and Synergistic Combination of a BTK Inhibitor and Gemcitabine

[00668] A study was performed to observe potential reduction in tumor burden through modulation of tumor infiltrating MDSCs and TAMs using the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) and/or gemcitabine ("Gem"). In this study, KPC derived mouse pancreatic cancer cells (KrasG12D;Trp53R172H;Pdx1-Cre) were injected into the pancreases. Animals were treated with (1) vehicle; (2) Formula (2), 15 mg/kg/BID given orally; (3) gemcitabine 15 mg/kg

intravenous (IV) administered every 4 days for 3 injections; or (4) Formula (2), 15 mg/kg/BID given orally together with gemcitabine, 15 mg/kg IV administered every 4 days for 3 injections.

[00669] Single cell suspensions from tumor samples. Mouse tumor tissue was collected and stored in PBS/0.1% soybean trypsin inhibitor prior to enzymatic dissociation. Samples were finely minced with a scissors and mouse tissue was transferred into DMEM containing 1.0 mg/mL collagenase IV (Gibco), 0.1% soybean trypsin inhibitor, and 50 U/ml DNase (Roche) and incubated at 37 °C for 30 min. with constant stirring while human tissue was digested in 2.0 mg/ml collagenase IV, 1.0 mg/ml hyaluronidase, 0.1% soybean trypsin inhibitor, and 50 U/ml DNase for 45 minutes. Suspensions were filtered through a 100 micron filter and washed with FACS buffer (PBS/0.5% BSA/2.0 mM EDTA) prior to staining. Two million total cells were stained with antibodies as indicated. Intracellular detection of FoxP3 was achieved following permeabilization with BD Perm Buffer III (BD Biosciences) and eBioscience Fix/Perm respectively. Following surface staining, samples were acquired on a BD Fortessa and analyzed using FlowJo (Treestar) software.

[00670] In FIG. 8, the reduction in tumor size upon treatment is shown. The effects on particular cell subsets are shown in the flow cytometry data presented in FIG. 9, FIG. 10, FIG. 11, and FIG. 12.

[00671] The results shown in FIG. 8 to FIG. 12 illustrate reduction in tumor burden by modulating the tumor infiltrating MDSCs and TAMs, which affects Treg and CD8⁺ T cell levels, through inhibition of BTK using Formula (2). A synergistic effect using the combination of Formula (2) and gemcitabine is observed in the tumor volumes shown in FIG. 8, which are reduced well beyond the level observed with either Formula (2) or gemcitabine alone or expected from their additive combination.

Example 3 - BTK Inhibitory Effects on Solid Tumor Microenvironment in an Ovarian Cancer Model

[00672] The ID8 syngeneic orthotropic ovarian cancer murine model was used to investigate the therapeutic efficacy of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) through treatment of the solid tumor microenvironment. Human ovarian cancer models, including the ID8 syngeneic orthotropic ovarian cancer model and other animal models, are described in Fong and Kakar, *J. Ovarian Res.* **2009**, 2, 12; Greenaway, *etal*, *Gynecol. Oncol.* **2008**, 108, 385-94; Urzua, *etal*, *Tumour Biol.*

2005, 26, 236-44; Janat-Amsbury, *et al.*, *Anticancer Res.* **2006**, 26, 3223-28; Janat-Amsbury, *et al.*, *Anticancer Res.* **2006**, 26, 2785-89. Animals were treated with vehicle or Formula (2), 15 mg/kg/BID given orally. The results of the study are shown in FIG. 13, FIG. 14, FIG. 15, FIG. 16, FIG. 17, FIG. 18, FIG. 19, and FIG. 20.

[00673] FIG. 13 and FIG. 14 demonstrate that the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) impairs ID8 ovarian cancer growth in the ID8 syngeneic murine model. FIG. 15 shows that tumor response to treatment with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) correlates with a significant reduction in immunosuppressive tumor-associated lymphocytes in tumor-bearing mice. FIG. 16 shows treatment with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) impairs ID8 ovarian cancer growth (through reduction in tumor volume) in the syngeneic murine model. FIG. 17 and FIG. 18 show that the tumor response induced by treatment with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) correlates with a significant reduction in immunosuppressive B cells, including Bregs, in tumor-bearing mice. FIG. 19 and FIG. 20 show that the tumor response induced by treatment with the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) correlates with a significant reduction in immunosuppressive tumor associated Tregs and an increase in CD8⁺ T cells.

[00674] The results shown in FIG. 13 to FIG. 20 illustrate the surprising performance of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) in modulating tumor microenvironment in a model predictive of efficacy of a treatment for ovarian cancer in humans.

Example 4 - BTK Inhibitory Effects on Solid Tumor Microenvironment in a KPC Pancreatic Cancer Model

[00675] Given the potential for BTK inhibition to affect TAMs and MDSCs, single-active pharmaceutical ingredient Formula (2) was evaluated in mice with advanced pancreatic cancer arising as the result of genetic modifications of oncogenes KRAS and p53, and the pancreatic differentiation promoter PDX-1 (KPC mice). The KPC mouse model recapitulates many of the molecular, histopathologic, and clinical features of human disease (Westphalen and Olive, *Cancer J.* **2012**, 18, 502-510). Combination therapy with gemcitabine was also evaluated in this model. Mice were enrolled after identification of spontaneously appearing tumors in the pancreas that were $\geq 100 \text{ mm}^3$ (as assessed by high-resolution ultrasonography). Mice were treated with (1) vehicle (N=6); or (2) Formula (2), 15 mg/kg BID given orally (N=6).

[00676] As shown in FIG. 21, treatment with single-active pharmaceutical ingredient Formula

(2) substantially slowed pancreatic cancer growth and increased animal survival. With vehicle, tumor volumes predose averaged 152 mm³, and at day 28 averaged 525 mm³. In the cohort treated with Formula (2), tumor volumes predose averaged 165 mm³, and at day 28 averaged 272 mm³, indicating significant improvement. With vehicle, survival at day 14 was 5/6 animals, and at day 28 was 0/6 animals. With Formula (2), survival at day 14 was 6/6 animals, and at day 28 was 5/6 animals.

[00677] Analysis of tumor tissues showed that immunosuppressive TAMs (CD11b⁺Ly6ClowF4/80⁺Csflr⁺), MDSCs (Gr1⁺Ly6Chi), and Tregs (CD4⁺CD25⁺FOXP3⁺) were significantly reduced with Formula (2) treatment (FIG. 22, FIG. 23, and FIG. 24). As expected, the decrease in these immunosuppressive cell subsets correlated with a significant increase in CD8⁺ cells (FIG. 25).

Example 5 - BTK Inhibitory Effects on Solid Tumor Microenvironment in a Non-small Cell Lung Cancer (NSCLC) Model

[00678] A genetic tumor model of NSCLC (KrasLA2) was studied as a model for lung cancer using the treatment schema shown in FIG. 26. The model is designed to have sporadic expression in single cells of G12D mutant Kras off its own promoter triggered by spontaneous intrachromosomal recombination. Johnson, *et al. Nature* **2001**, 410, 1111-16. While the mutant Kras protein is expressed in a few cells in all tissues, tumor development is seen only in the lung at high penetrance. Mice treated with Formula (2) showed a significant decrease in tumor volumes versus vehicle (FIG. 27) and fewer overall tumors with dosing of 15 mg/kg. The effects on TAMs (FIG. 28), MDSCs (FIG. 29), Tregs (FIG. 30), and CD8⁺ cells (FIG. 31) were consistent with suppression of the solid tumor microenvironment as demonstrated previously.

Example 6 - BTK Inhibitory Effects on MDSCs in the Solid Tumor Microenvironment

[00679] A molecular probe assay was used to calculate the percent irreversible occupancy of total BTK. MDSCs were purified from tumor bearing PDA mice (as described previously) dosed at 15 mg/kg BID of Formula (2). Complete BTK occupancy is observed for both the granulocytic and monocytic MDSC compartments on Day 8 at 4 hours post dose (N=5). The results are shown in FIG. 32.

Example 7 - Effects of BTK Inhibitors on Antibody-Dependent NK Cell Mediated Cytotoxicity Using Rituximab

[00680] Rituximab-combination chemotherapy is today's standard of care in CD20⁺ B-cell

malignancies. Previous studies investigated and determined that ibrutinib antagonizes rituximab antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC) mediated by NK cells. This may be due to ibrutinib's secondary irreversible binding to interleukin-2 inducible tyrosine kinase (ITK) which is required for FcR-stimulated NK cell function including calcium mobilization, granule release, and overall ADCC. Kohrt, *etal*, *Blood* **2014**, *123*, 1957-60.

[00681] In this example, the effects of Formula (2) and ibrutinib on NK cell function were evaluated in cell lines and primary NK cells from healthy volunteers and CLL patients. In summary, the results show that the activation of NK cells co-cultured with antibody-coated target cells was strongly inhibited by ibrutinib. The secretion of IFN- γ was reduced by 48% ($p = 0.018$) and 72% ($p = 0.002$) in cultures treated with ibrutinib at 0.1 and 1.0 μM respectively and NK cell degranulation was significantly ($p = 0.002$) reduced, compared with control cultures. Formula (2) treatment at 1 μM , a clinically relevant concentration, did not inhibit IFN- γ or NK cell degranulation. Rituximab-mediated ADCC was evaluated in NK cells from healthy volunteers as well as assays of NK cells from CLL patients targeting autologous CLL cells. In both cases, ADCC was not inhibited by Formula (2) treatment at 1 μM . In contrast, addition of ibrutinib to the ADCC assays strongly inhibited the rituximab-mediated cytotoxicity of target cells, and no increase over natural cytotoxicity was observed at any rituximab concentration. This result indicates that the combination of rituximab and Formula (2) provides an unexpected benefit in the treatment of B cell malignancies and other diseases where NK cell inhibition is undesirable.

[00682] BTK is a non-receptor enzyme in the Tec kinase family that is expressed among cells of hematopoietic origin, including B cells, myeloid cells, mast cells and platelets, where it regulates multiple cellular processes including proliferation, differentiation, apoptosis, and cell migration. Khan, *Immunol Res.* **2001**, *23*, 147-56; Mohamed, *etal*, *Immunol Rev.* **2009**, *228*, 58-73; Bradshaw, *Cell Signal.* **2010**, *22*, 1175-84. Functional null mutations of BTK in humans cause the inherited disease, X linked agammaglobulinemia, which is characterized by a lack of mature peripheral B cells. Vihinen, *etal*, *Front Biosci.* **2000**, *5*, D917-28. Conversely, BTK activation is implicated in the pathogenesis of several B-cell malignancies. Herman, *etal*, *Blood* **2011**, *117*, 6287-96; Kil, *etal*, *Am. J. Blood Res.* **2013**, *3*, 71-83; Tai, *etal*, *Blood* **2012**, *120*, 1877-87; Buggy, and Elias, *Int. Rev. Immunol.* **2012**, *31*, 119-32 (Erratum in: *Int. Rev. Immunol.* **2012**, *31*, 428). In addition, BTK-dependent activation of mast cells and other immunocytes in peritumoral

inflammatory stroma has been shown to sustain the complex microenvironment needed for lymphoid and solid tumor maintenance. Soucek, *et al*, *Neoplasia* **2011**, *13*, 1093-100; Ponader, *et al*, *Blood* **2012**, *119*, 1182-89; de Rooij, *et al*, *Blood* **2012**, *119*, 2590-94. Taken together, these findings have suggested that inhibition of BTK may offer an attractive strategy for treating B cell neoplasms, other hematologic malignancies, and solid tumors.

[00683] Ibrutinib (PCI-32765, IMBRUVICA), is a first-in-class therapeutic BTK inhibitor. This orally delivered, small-molecule drug is being developed by Pharmacyclics, Inc. for the therapy of B cell malignancies. As described above, in patients with heavily pretreated indolent non-Hodgkin lymphoma (iNHL), mantle cell lymphoma (MCL), and CLL, ibrutinib showed substantial antitumor activity, inducing durable regressions of lymphadenopathy and splenomegaly in the majority of patients. Advani, *et al.*, *J. Clin. Oncol.* **2013**, *31*, 88-94; Byrd, *et al*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, *369*, 32-42; Wang, *et al*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, *369*, 507-16; O'Brien, *et al.*, *Blood* **2012**, *119*, 1182-89. The pattern of changes in CLL was notable. Inhibition of BTK with ibrutinib caused rapid and substantial mobilization of malignant CLL cells from tissue sites into the peripheral blood, as described in Woyach, *et al*, *Blood* **2014**, *123*, 1810-17; this effect was consistent with decreased adherence of CLL to protective stromal cells. Ponader, *et al*, *Blood* **2012**, *119*, 1182-89; de Rooij, *et al*, *Blood* **2012**, *119*, 2590-94. Ibrutinib has been generally well tolerated. At dose levels associated with total BTK occupancy, no dose-limiting toxicities were identified and subjects found the drug tolerable over periods extending to >2.5 years.

[00684] Given the homology between BTK and ITK, it has been recently confirmed that ibrutinib irreversibly binds ITK. Dubovsky, *et al*, *Blood* **2013**, *122*, 2539-2549. ITK expression in Fc receptor (FcR)-stimulated NK cells leads to increased calcium mobilization, granule release, and cytotoxicity. Khurana, *et al*, *J. Immunol.* **2007**, *178*, 3575-3582. As rituximab is a backbone of lymphoma therapy, with mechanisms of action including ADCC, as well as direct induction of apoptosis and complement-dependent cytotoxicity, and FcR stimulation is requisite for ADCC, we investigated if ibrutinib or Formula (2) (the latter lacking ITK inhibition) influenced rituximab's anti-lymphoma activity *in vitro* by assessing NK cell IFN- γ secretion, degranulation by CD 107a mobilization, and cytotoxicity by chromium release using CD20⁺ cell lines and autologous patient samples with chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL).

[00685] Formula (2) is a more selective inhibitor than ibrutinib, as shown previously. Formula (2) is not a potent inhibitor of ITK in contrast to ibrutinib, as shown herein (see, *e.g.*, Table 7). ITK is required for FcR-stimulated NK cell function including calcium mobilization, granule release, and overall ADCC. Anti-CD20 antibodies like rituximab are currently the standard of care for the treatment of many CD20⁺ B cell malignancies, often as part of combination regimens with older chemotherapeutic agents. The potential of ibrutinib or Formula (2) to antagonize ADCC was evaluated *in vitro*. Previous studies have determined that ibrutinib undesirably antagonizes rituximab ADCC effects mediated by NK cells. Kohrt, *et al*, *Blood* **2014**, *123*, 1957-60. We hypothesized that the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), which does not have activity against ITK, may preserve NK cell function and therefore synergize rather than antagonize rituximab-mediated ADCC. Rituximab-dependent NK-cell mediated cytotoxicity was assessed using lymphoma cell lines as well as autologous CLL tumor cells.

[00686] Cell culture conditions were as follows. Cell lines Raji and DHL-4 were maintained in RPMI 1630 supplemented with fetal bovine serum, L-glutamine, 2-mercaptoethanol and penicillin-streptomycin at 37 °C in a humidified incubator. The FIERI 8 cells were maintained in DEM supplemented with fetal bovine serum, penicillin-streptomycin and. Prior to assay, FIERI 8 cells were harvested using trypsin-EDTA, washed with phosphate-buffered saline (PBS) containing 5% serum and viable cells were counted. For culture of primary target cells, peripheral blood from CLL patients was subject to density centrifugation to obtain peripheral blood mononuclear cells (PBMC). Cell preparations were washed and then subject to positive selection of CD5⁺CD19⁺ CLL cells using magnetic beads (MACS, Miltenyi Biotech). Cell preparations were used fresh after selection. NK cells from CLL patients and healthy volunteers were enriched from peripheral blood collected in sodium citrate anti-coagulant tubes and then subject to density centrifugation. Removal of non NK cells was performed using negative selection by MACS separation. Freshly isolated NK cells were washed three times, enumerated, and then used immediately for ADCC assays.

[00687] Cytokine secretion was determined as follows. Rituximab and trastuzumab-dependent NK-cell mediated degranulation and cytokine release were assessed using lymphoma and FIER2⁺ breast cancer cell lines (DFIL-4 and HER18, respectively). Target cells were cultured in flat-bottom plates containing 10 µg/mL of rituximab (DFIL-4) or trastuzumab (FIERI 8) and test articles (0.1 or 1 µM ibrutinib, 1 µM Formula (2), or DMSO vehicle control). NK cells from

healthy donors were enriched as described above and then added to the target cells and incubated for 4 hours at 37 °C. Triplicate cultures were performed on NK cells from donors. After incubation, supernatants were harvested, centrifuged briefly, and then analyzed for interferon- γ using an enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) (R&D Systems, Minneapolis, MN, USA).

[00688] Lytic granule release was determined as follows. NK cells from healthy donors were enriched and cultured in the presence of target cells, monoclonal antibodies and test articles as described above. After 4 hours, the cultures were harvested and cells were pelleted, washed, and then stained for flow cytometry evaluation. Degranulation was evaluated via by flow cytometry by externalization of CD107a, a protein normally present on the inner leaflet of lytic granules, and gating on NK cells (CD3-CD16⁺ lymphocytes). The percentage of CD107a positive NK cells was quantified by comparison with a negative control (isotype control, unstained cells/FMO). Control cultures (NK cells cultured without target cells, or NK, target cell co-cultures in the absence of appropriate monoclonal antibody) were also evaluated; all experiments were performed in triplicate.

[00689] ADCC assays were performed as follows. Briefly, target cells (Raji or primary CLL) were labeled by incubation at 37 °C with 100 μ Ci ⁵¹Cr for 4 hours prior to co-culture with NK cells. Cells were washed, enumerated, and then added in triplicate to prepared 96-well plates containing treated NK cells at an effector:target (E:T) ratio of 25:1. Rituximab (Genentech) was added to ADCC wells at concentrations of 0.1, 1.0 or 10 μ g/mL and the assays were briefly mixed and then centrifuged to collect cells at the bottom of the wells. The effect of NK cell natural cytotoxicity was assessed in wells containing no rituximab. Cultures were incubated at 37 °C for 4 hours, and then centrifuged. Supernatants were harvested and ⁵¹Cr release was measured by liquid scintillation counting. All experiments were performed in triplicate.

[00690] Ibrutinib inhibited rituximab-induced NK cell cytokine secretion in a dose-dependent manner (0.1 and 1 μ M) (FIG. 33: 48% p = 0.018; 72% p = 0.002, respectively). At 1 μ M, Formula (2) did not significantly inhibit cytokine secretion (FIG. 33: 3.5%). Similarly, Formula (2) had no inhibitory effect on rituximab-stimulated NK cell degranulation (< 2%) while ibrutinib reduced degranulation by -50% (p = 0.24, FIG. 34). Formula (2) had no inhibitory effect while ibrutinib prevented trastuzumab-stimulated NK cell cytokine release and

degranulation by -92% and -84% at 1 μ M, respectively (FIG. 33 and FIG. 34: *** $p = 0.004$, ** $p = 0.002$).

[00691] In Raji cell samples, *ex vivo* NK cell activity against autologous tumor cells was not inhibited by addition of Formula (2) at 1 μ M, and increased cell lysis was observed with increasing concentrations of rituximab at a constant E:T ratio (FIG. 35). In primary CLL samples, *ex vivo* NK cell activity against autologous tumor cells was not inhibited by addition of Formula (2) at 1 μ M, and increased cell lysis was observed with increasing concentrations of rituximab at a constant E:T ratio (FIG. 36). In contrast, addition of 1 μ M ibrutinib completely inhibited ADCC, with less than 10% cell lysis at any rituximab concentration and no increase in cell lysis in the presence of rituximab, compared with cultures without rituximab. A graph highlighting the significant differences between Formula (2) and ibrutinib is shown in FIG. 37 (where "Ab" refers to rituximab). The difference between Formula (2) and ibrutinib was highly significant in this assay ($p = 0.001$).

[00692] In ADCC assays using healthy donor NK cells, antibody-dependent lysis of rituximab-coated Raji cells was not inhibited by addition of 1 μ M of Formula (2) (FIG. 37). In these experiments, addition of rituximab stimulated a 5- to 8-fold increase in cell lysis at 0.1 and 1 μ g/mL, compared with low (< 20%) natural cytotoxicity in the absence of rituximab. As previously reported, addition of 1 μ M ibrutinib strongly inhibited the antibody-dependent lysis of target cells, with less than 20% cell lysis at all rituximab concentrations and no increase in ADCC with at higher rituximab concentrations.

[00693] Ibrutinib is clinically effective as monotherapy and in combination with rituximab, despite inhibition of ADCC *in vitro* and *in vivo* murine models due to ibrutinib's secondary irreversible binding to ITK. Preclinically, the efficacy of therapeutics which do not inhibit NK cell function, including Formula (2), is superior to ibrutinib. These results provide support for the unexpected property of Formula (2) as a synergistic and superior active pharmaceutical ingredient than ibrutinib to use in combinations with antibodies that have ADCC as a mechanism of action. The improved performance of Formula (2) in combination with anti-CD20 antibody therapies is expected to extend to its use in combination with CD19 and PD-1/PD-L1 inhibitors in both hematological malignancies and solid tumors, as these combinations would also benefit from reduced inhibition of NK cell function. The results also indicate that Formula (2) can be

combined synergistically with anti-CD 19 NK cell therapies, such as NK cells expressing CD 19-targeted chimeric antigen receptors, while Formula (10) cannot be similarly combined without loss of function for NK cell therapies.

Example 8 - Effects of BTK Inhibition on Antibody-Dependent NK Cell Mediated Cytotoxicity Using Obinutuzumab

[00694] It has been shown above that ibrutinib undesirably antagonizes rituximab ADCC effects mediated by NK cells, and that Formula (2) does not antagonize rituximab ADCC effects and instead allows for a synergistic combination. As noted previously, this may be due to ibrutinib's secondary irreversible binding to ITK, which is required for FcR-stimulated NK cell function including calcium mobilization, granule release, and overall ADCC. H. E. Kohrt, *et al.*, *Blood* **2014**, *123*, 1957-60. The potential for ibrutinib antagonization of obinutuzumab (GA-101) ADCC as mediated by NK cells was also explored and compared to the effects of Formula (2).

[00695] The NK cell degranulation/ADCC assay was performed using a whole blood assay with CLL targets added to normal donor whole blood, in the presence or absence of different doses of Formula (2) and ibrutinib, followed by opsonization with the anti-CD20 antibody obinutuzumab. Ibrutinib was used as a control, and two blinded samples of BTK inhibitors, Formula (2) and a second sample of ibrutinib, were provided to the investigators. Degranulation in whole blood was performed as follows. CLL targets (MEC-1 cells) were expanded in RPMI 1640 medium (Life Technologies, Inc.) with 10% fetal bovine serum (FBS). Exponentially growing cells were used. On the day of the experiment, 8 mL of blood was drawn from a normal volunteer into a test tube containing desirudin to obtain a final concentration of 50 µg/mL. A white blood cell (WBC) count of whole blood was performed. MEC-1 cells were re-suspended at the concentration of WBC in whole blood (*e.g.*, if 6×10^6 WBC/mL was measured, MEC-1 cells were re-suspended at 6×10^6 cells/mL, to allow for a final WBC:MEC-1 cell ratio of 1:1). The ibrutinib control and two blinded BTK inhibitors were diluted in X-VIVO 15 serum-free hematopoietic cell medium (Lonza Group, Ltd.) to concentrations of 200 µM, 20 µM and 2 µM. 170 µL aliquots of unmanipulated whole blood were incubated with 10 µL BTK inhibitors or X-VIVO 15 medium for one hour into a plate. Cetuximab and obinutuzumab (GA-101) were diluted in X-VIVO 15 medium to a concentration of 20 µg/mL. Equal volumes of MEC-1 cells and antibodies were incubated for 5 minutes. After incubation, 20 µL of MEC-1 cells and antibodies was added to whole blood and the BTK inhibitors/X-VIVO 15 medium (for a final

volume of 200 μL). The samples were placed in a 5% CO_2 incubator for 4 hours at 37 °C. The experimental conditions thus achieved a WBC:MEC-1 cell ratio of 1:1, with final concentrations of the BTK inhibitors in the assay of 10 μM , 1 μM and 0.1 μM and final concentrations of the antibodies of 1 $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$.

[00696] After 4 hours, the samples were mixed gently and 50 μL aliquots were removed from each well and placed in fluorescence-activated cell sorting (FACS) test tubes. A 20 μL aliquot of anti-CD56-APC antibody and anti-CD 107a-PE antibody was added. The samples were incubated for 20 minutes at room temperature in the dark. An aliquot of 2 mL of FACS lysing solution (BD Biosciences) was added. The samples were again incubated for 5 minutes, and then centrifuged at 2000 rpm for 5 minutes. Supernatant was discarded and the cell pellet was resuspended in 500 μL of PBS. The samples were analyzed on the flow cytometer for CD107a⁺ NK cells (CD56⁺).

[00697] The NK cell degranulation results are summarized in FIG. 38 for n = 3 experiments, which shows the effects on whole blood after pretreatment for 1 hour with the BTK inhibitors at the concentrations shown and subsequent stimulation with MEC-1 opsonised with obinutuzumab or cetuximab at 1 $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$ for 4 hours. A strong reduction in the percentage of CD56⁺/CD107a⁺ NK cells is observed using ibrutinib (both as a control and blinded BTK inhibitor), which indicates that ibrutinib undesirably antagonizes NK cells. In contrast, Formula (2) shows little antagonism towards NK cells, and had a minimal effect on obinutuzumab-stimulated NK cell degranulation while ibrutinib reduced obinutuzumab-stimulated NK degranulation by greater than 40%. These results support the synergistic combination of obinutuzumab and Formula (2) in treatment of human B cell malignancies.

Example 9 - Effects of BTK Inhibition on Generalized NK Cell Mediated Cytotoxicity

[00698] An assay was performed to assess the effects of BTK inhibition using Formula (2) on generalized NK killing (non-ADCC killing). The targets (K562 cells) do not express major histocompatibility complex (MHC) class I, so they do not inactivate NK cells. Target cells were grown to mid-log phase, and 5×10^5 cells were labeled in 100 μL of assay medium (IMDM with 10% FCS and penicillin/streptomycin) with 100 μCi of ^{51}Cr for 1 hour at 37 °C. Cells were washed twice and resuspended in assay medium. A total of 5000 target cells/well was used in the assay. Effector cells were resuspended in assay medium, distributed on a V-bottom 96-well

plate, and mixed with labeled target cells at 40: 1 E:T ratios. Maximum release was determined by incubating target cells in 1% Triton X-100. For spontaneous release, targets were incubated without effectors in assay medium alone. After a 1 minute centrifugation at 1000 rpm, plates were incubated for 4 and 16 hours at 37 °C. Supernatant was harvested and ⁵¹Cr release was measured in a gamma counter. Percentage of specific release was calculated as (experimental release-spontaneous release)/(maximum release-spontaneous release) × 100. The results are shown in FIG. 39.

Example 10 - Effects of BTK Inhibition on T Cells

[00699] An assay was performed to assess the effects of BTK inhibition using Formula (2) on T cells. Enriched CD4⁺ T cells are plated on 24-well culture dishes that have been precoated 2 hr with 250 μL anti-TCRP (0.5 μg/mL) plus anti-CD28 (5 μg/mL) at 37 °C in PBS. The cells are then supplemented with media containing BTK inhibitors along with the skewing cytokines as indicated in the following. The Th17 and Treg cultures are grown for 4 days before analysis. The cells are maintained for an additional 3 days with skewing cytokines (Th17; 20 ng/mL IL-6, 0.5 ng/mL TGF-β, 5 μg/mL IL-4, 5 μg/mL IFN-γ and Treg; 0.5 ng/mL TGF-β, 5 μg/mL IL-4, 5 μg/mL IFN-γ) and are supplemented with IL2 as a growth factor.

[00700] The results are shown in FIG. 40 and FIG. 41, and further illustrate the surprising properties of Formula (2) in comparison to Formula (10) (ibrutinib). Because of the lack of activity of Formula (2) on ITK and Txk, no adverse effect on Th17 and Treg development was observed. Since ibrutinib inhibits both ITK and Txk, a profound inhibition of Th17 cells and an increase in Treg development is observed, which is comparable to the murine ITK/Txk double knock-out cells which were used as a control.

[00701] The effects of ibrutinib in comparison to Formula (2) on CD8⁺ T cell viability were also assessed. Total T cells were plated on anti-TCR and anti-CD28 coated wells in the presence of both BTK inhibitors. Neutral culture conditions were used that will not polarize T cells to a helper lineage. The cells are grown for 4 days and are then stained with anti-CD4, anti-CD8 and LIVE/DEAD reagent to determine if the drugs have selective effects on either the CD4⁺ or CD8⁺ cells. Statistical significance was calculated using the Mann Whitney T-test. The results, shown in FIG. 42, indicate that higher concentrations of Formula (10) (ibrutinib) have a strong, negative effect on CD8⁺ T cell viability that is not observed with Formula (2) at any concentration.

[00702] Without being bound by any theory, CD8⁺ T cells have two primary effector functions: (1) produce large amounts of IFN- γ (which activates macrophages), and (2) cytolytic activity. A cytotoxic T cell (CTL) assay was performed to compare the BTK inhibitors of Formula (2) and Formula (10) (ibrutinib). Effectors were prepared by generating CTL by culturing MHC mismatched splenocytes for 4 days with (500 nM) and without Formula (2) or Formula (10) (ibrutinib). The targets were B lymphoblasts from lipopolysaccharide (LPS) treated cultures. The assay was performed by incubating different ratios of effectors:targets for 4 hours. In FIG. 43, the results show that Formula (10) (ibrutinib) affects CD8⁺ T cell function as measured by % cytotoxicity. Formula (2), in contrast, has no effect on CD8⁺ T cell function as measured by % cytotoxicity relative to vehicle. The effect on CD8⁺ T cell function can also be observed by measurement of IFN- γ levels, as shown in FIG. 44, where Formula (10) (ibrutinib) again results in a significant loss of function relative to Formula (2) and vehicle.

[00703] As described herein, the tumor microenvironment provides stromal support for tumor growth and conceals the tumor from immune surveillance. Tumor-associated stroma comprises a mix of fibroblasts, Tregs, MDSCs, and TAMs that promote tumor growth and restrain immune-mediated tumor cell killing. The targeting of immune infiltrates may impair stromal support and enhance immune-mediated killing of cancer cells. Specifically, myeloid cells significantly infiltrate the tumor microenvironment and suppress anti-tumor immunity, promote tumor growth and tumor metastasis. Two subsets of myeloid cells with significant immunosuppressive activity are MDSCs and TAMs. During tumor progression, MDSCs and TAMs facilitate tumor growth by down regulating the host immune response through suppression of CD8⁺ T cell activation and function. BTK is expressed among cells of hematopoietic origin including B cells, myeloid cells, mast cells and platelets, but not T cells, where it regulates multiple cellular processes. BTK-dependent activation of myeloid cells and lymphocytes sustain the complex microenvironment needed for lymphoid and solid tumor maintenance. BTK inhibition shifts the microenvironment from suppressive to stimulatory by inhibiting the infiltration and function and of innate immune subsets (MDSCs and TAMs), thus allowing the activation of cytotoxic CD8⁺ T cells. The unique selectivity of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), as compared to, *e.g.*, the BTK inhibitor of Formula (10) (ibrutinib), prevents loss of function for CD8⁺ T cells as shown in this example. Further evidence of this effect is provided by the results shown in FIG. 9 and FIG. 31, with the T cell promoting effects of Formula (2) further highlighted, *e.g.*, in FIG. 25. As a result,

T cell therapies including CAR-T (CD19-targeted chimeric antigen receptor expressing CD8⁺ T cells) can be used in combination with Formula (2) and other selective BTK inhibitors described herein in a synergistic manner. Formula (10) cannot be coadministered without loss of function for CD8⁺ CD19-targeted chimeric antigen receptor expressing T cells.

[00704] Recent clinical trials have shown that CAR-T cells are a promising therapy for hematological and solid tumor malignancies. CARs include fusion proteins combining the antigen-recognition fragment of a monoclonal antibody with T cell activation domains from the T-cell receptor complex, such as the ζ chain, and costimulatory endodomains, from CD28, 4-1BB, or OX40. In clinical trials, up to 90% complete response rates have been seen after CD 19-CAR-T administration, even in chemotherapy-refractory acute lymphocytic leukemia. Results in other B-cell cancers, such as chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL) and diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (DLBCL), however, have been less striking. One explanation for the different response rates among tumor types is that CAR-T functionality may be inhibited by an immunosuppressive tumor microenvironment. As mentioned above, TAMs, macrophages, and MDSCs inhibit T cell responses and promote recruitment of regulatory T cells. Thus, a BTK inhibitor that promotes T cell function (such as Formula (2)) may have diverse and synergistic benefits in combination with adoptive T cell therapy and CAR-T cells in clinical practice through reducing the inhibitory tumor microenvironment by inhibiting the infiltration and function and of innate immune subsets in the tumor microenvironment.

Example 11 - Clinical Study of a BTK Inhibitor in Leukemia/Lymphoma and Effects on Bone Marrow and Lymphoid Microenvironments

[00705] Clinical studies have shown that targeting the BCR signaling pathway by inhibiting BTK produces significant clinical benefit in patients with non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (NFL). The second generation BTK inhibitor, Formula (2), achieves significant oral bioavailability and potency, and has favorable preclinical characteristics, as described above. The purpose of this study is to evaluate the safety and efficacy of the second generation BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) in treating subjects with chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL) and small lymphocytic lymphoma (SLL).

[00706] The design and conduct of this study is supported by an understanding of the history and current therapies for subjects with lymphoid cancers; knowledge of the activity and safety of a first-generation BTK inhibitor, ibrutinib, in subjects with hematologic cancers; and the

available nonclinical information regarding Formula (2). The collective data support the following conclusions. BTK expression plays an important role in the biology of lymphoid neoplasms, which represent serious and life-threatening disorders with continuing unmet medical need. Clinical evaluation of Formula (2) as a potential treatment for these disorders has sound scientific rationale based on observations that the compound selectively abrogates BTK activity and shows activity in nonclinical models of lymphoid cancers. These data are supported by clinical documentation that ibrutinib, a first-generation BTK inhibitor, is clinically active in these diseases. Ibrutinib clinical data and Formula (2) nonclinical safety pharmacology and toxicology studies support the safety of testing Formula (2) in subjects with B cell malignancies.

[00707] The primary objectives of the clinical study are as follows: (1) establish the safety and the MTD of orally administered Formula (2) in subjects with CLL/SLL; (2) determine pharmacokinetics (PK) of orally administered Formula (2) and identification of its major metabolite(s); and (3) measure pharmacodynamic (PD) parameters including drug occupancy of BTK, the target enzyme, and effect on biologic markers of B cell function.

[00708] The secondary objective of the clinical study is to evaluate tumor responses in patients treated with Formula (2).

[00709] This study is a multicenter, open-label, nonrandomized, sequential group, dose escalation study. The following dose cohorts will be evaluated:

Cohort 1: 100 mg/day for 28 days (= 1 cycle)

Cohort 2: 175 mg/day for 28 days (= 1 cycle)

Cohort 3: 250 mg/day for 28 days (= 1 cycle)

Cohort 4: 350 mg/day for 28 days (= 1 cycle)

Cohort 5: 450 mg/day for 28 days (= 1 cycle)

Cohort 6: To be determined amount in mg/day for 28 days (= 1 cycle)

[00710] Each cohort will be enrolled sequentially with 6 subjects per cohort. If ≤ 1 dose-limiting toxicity (DLT) is observed in the cohort during Cycle 1, escalation to the next cohort will proceed. Subjects may be enrolled in the next cohort if 4 of the 6 subjects enrolled in the cohort completed Cycle 1 without experiencing a DLT, while the remaining 2 subjects are

completing evaluation. If ≥ 2 DLTs are observed during Cycle 1, dosing at that dose and higher will be suspended and the MTD will be established as the previous cohort. The MTD is defined as the largest daily dose for which fewer than 33% of the subjects experience a DLT during Cycle 1. Dose escalation will end when either the MTD is achieved or at 3 dose levels above full BTK occupancy, whichever occurs first. Full BTK occupancy is defined as Formula (2) active-site occupancy of $> 80\%$ (average of all subjects in cohort) at 24 hours postdose. Should escalation to Cohort 6 be necessary, the dose will be determined based on the aggregate data from Cohorts 1 to 5, which includes safety, efficacy, and PK/PD results. The dose for Cohort 6 will not exceed 900 mg/day.

[00711] Treatment with Formula (2) may be continued for > 28 days until disease progression or an unacceptable drug-related toxicity occurs. Subjects with disease progression will be removed from the study. All subjects who discontinue study drug will have a safety follow-up visit $30 (\pm 7)$ days after the last dose of study drug unless they have started another cancer therapy within that timeframe. Radiologic tumor assessment will be done at screening and at the end of Cycle 2, Cycle 4, and Cycle 12 and at investigator discretion. Confirmation of complete response (CR) will require bone marrow analysis and radiologic tumor assessment. For subjects who remain on study for > 11 months, a mandatory bone marrow aspirate and biopsy is required in Cycle 12 concurrent with the radiologic tumor assessment.

[00712] All subjects will have standard hematology, chemistry, and urinalysis safety panels done at screening. This study also includes pancreatic function assessment (serum amylase and serum lipase) due to the pancreatic findings in the 28-day GLP rat toxicity study. Once dosing commences, all subjects will be evaluated for safety once weekly for the first 4 weeks, every other week for Cycle 2, and monthly thereafter. Blood samples will be collected during the first week of treatment for PK/PD assessments. ECGs will be done at screening, and on Day 1-2, 8, 15, 22, 28 of Cycle 1, Day 15 and 28 of Cycle 2, and monthly thereafter through Cycle 6. ECGs are done in triplicate for screening only. Thereafter, single ECG tests are done unless a repeat ECG testing is required.

[00713] Dose-limiting toxicity is defined as any of the following events (if not related to disease progression): (1) any Grade ≥ 3 non-hematologic toxicity (except alopecia) persisting despite receipt of a single course of standard outpatient symptomatic therapy (e.g., Grade 3 diarrhea that

responds to a single, therapeutic dose of Imodium® would not be considered a DLT); (2) grade \geq 3 prolongation of the corrected QT interval (QTc), as determined by a central ECG laboratory overread; (3) grade 4 neutropenia (absolute neutrophil count [ANC] $<$ 500/ μ L) lasting $>$ 7 days after discontinuation of therapy without growth factors or lasting $>$ 5 days after discontinuation of therapy while on growth factors (i.e., Grade 4 neutropenia not lasting as long as specified will not be considered a DLT), (4) grade 4 thrombocytopenia (platelet count $<$ 20,000/ μ L) lasting $>$ 7 days after discontinuation of therapy or requiring transfusion (i.e., Grade 4 thrombocytopenia not lasting as long as specified will not be considered a DLT), and (5) dosing delay due to toxicity for $>$ 7 consecutive days.

[00714] The efficacy parameters for the study include overall response rate, duration of response, and progression-free survival (PFS). The safety parameters for the study include DLTs and MTD, frequency, severity, and attribution of adverse events (AEs) based on the Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events (CTCAE v4.03) for non-hematologic AEs. Hallek, *et al.*, *Blood* **2008**, *111*, 5446-5456.

[00715] The schedule of assessments is as follows, with all days stated in the following meaning the given day or \pm 2 days from the given day. A physical examination, including vital signs and weight, are performed at screening, during cycle 1 at 1, 8, 15, 22, and 28 days, during cycle 2 at 15 and 28 days, during cycles 3 to 24 at 28 days, and at follow up (after the last dose). The screening physical examination includes, at a minimum, the general appearance of the subject, height (screening only) and weight, and examination of the skin, eyes, ears, nose, throat, lungs, heart, abdomen, extremities, musculoskeletal system, lymphatic system, and nervous system. Symptom-directed physical exams are done thereafter. Vital signs (blood pressure, pulse, respiratory rate, and temperature) are assessed after the subject has rested in the sitting position. Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group (ECOG) status is assessed at screening, during cycle 1 at 1, 8, 15, 22, and 28 days, during cycle 2 at 15 and 28 days, during cycles 3 to 24 at 28 days, and at follow up, using the published ECOG performance status indications described in Oken, *et al.*, *Am. J. Clin. Oncol.* **1982**, *5*, 649-655. ECG testing is performed at screening, during cycle 1 at 1, 2, 8, 15, 22, and 28 days, during cycle 2 at 15 and 28 days, during cycles 3 to 24 at 28 days, and at follow up. The 12-lead ECG test will be done in triplicate ($>$ 1 minute apart) at screening. The calculated QTc average of the 3 ECGs must be $<$ 480 ms for eligibility. On cycle 1, day 1 and cycle 1, day 8, single ECGs are done predose and at 1, 2, 4, and 6 hours postdose. The

single ECG on Cycle 1 Day 2 is done predose. On cycle 1, day 15, day 22, and day 28, a single ECG is done 2 hours post-dose. Starting with cycle 2, a single ECG is done per visit. Subjects should be in supine position and resting for at least 10 minutes before study-related ECGs. Two consecutive machine-read QTc > 500 ms or > 60 ms above baseline require central ECG review. Hematology, including complete blood count with differential and platelet and reticulocyte counts, is assessed at screening, during cycle 1 at 1, 8, 15, 22, and 28 days, during cycle 2 at 15 and 28 days, during cycles 3 to 24 at 28 days, and at follow up. Serum chemistry is assessed at screening, during cycle 1 at 1, 8, 15, 22, and 28 days, during cycle 2 at 15 and 28 days, during cycles 3 to 24 at 28 days, and at follow up. Serum chemistry includes albumin, alkaline phosphatase, ALT, AST, bicarbonate, blood urea nitrogen (BUN), calcium, chloride, creatinine, glucose, lactate dehydrogenase (LDH), magnesium, phosphate, potassium, sodium, total bilirubin, total protein, and uric acid. Cell counts and serum immunoglobulin are performed at screening, at cycle 2, day 28, and at every 6 months thereafter until last dose and include T/B/NK/monocyte cell counts (CD3, CD4, CD8, CD14, CD19, CD19, CD16/56, and others as needed) and serum immunoglobulin (IgG, IgM, IgA, and total immunoglobulin). Bone marrow aspirates are performed at cycle 12. Pharmacodynamics samples are drawn during cycle 1 at 1, 2, and 8 days, and at follow up. On days 1 and 8, pharmacodynamic samples are drawn pre-dose and 4 hours (± 10 minutes) post-dose, and on day 2, pharmacodynamic samples are drawn pre-dose. Pharmacokinetics samples are drawn during cycle 1 at 1, 2, 8, 15, 22, and 28 days. Pharmacokinetic samples for Cycle 1 Day 1 are drawn pre-dose and at 0.5, 1, 2, 4, 6 and 24 hours (before dose on Day 2) post-dose. Samples for Cycle 1 Day 8 are drawn pre-dose and at 0.5, 1, 2, 4, and 6 hours post-dose. On Cycle 1 Day 15, 22, and 28, a PK sample is drawn pre-dose and the second PK sample must be drawn before (up to 10 minutes before) the ECG acquisition, which is 2 hours postdose. Pretreatment radiologic tumor assessments are performed within 30 days before the first dose. A computed tomography (CT) scan (with contrast unless contraindicated) is required of the chest, abdomen, and pelvis. In addition, a positron emission tomography (PET) or PET/CT must be done for subjects with SLL. Radiologic tumor assessments are mandatory at the end of Cycle 2 (-7 days), Cycle 4 (-7 days), and Cycle 12 (-7 days). Otherwise, radiologic tumor assessments are done at investigator discretion. A CT (with contrast unless contraindicated) scan of the chest, abdomen, and pelvis is required for subjects with CLL. In addition, a PET/CT is required in subjects with SLL. Bone marrow and radiologic

assessments are both required for confirmation of a complete response (CR). Clinical assessments of tumor response should be done at the end of Cycle 6 and every 3 months thereafter. Molecular markers are measured at screening, and include interphase cytogenetics, stimulated karyotype, IgHV mutational status, Zap-70 methylation, and beta-2 microglobulin levels. Urinalysis is performed at screening, and includes pH, ketones, specific gravity, bilirubin, protein, blood, and glucose. Other assessments, including informed consent, eligibility, medical history, and pregnancy test are done at the time of screening.

[00716] The investigator rates the subject's response to treatment based on recent guidelines for CLL, as given in Hallek, *et al.*, *Blood* **2008**, *111*, 5446-56, and for SLL, as given in Cheson, *et al.*, *J. Clin. Oncol.* **2007**, *25*, 579-586. The response assessment criteria for CLL are summarized in Table 12.

TABLE 12. Response Assessment Criteria for CLL. Abbreviations: ANC = absolute neutrophil count; CR = complete remission; CRi = CR with incomplete blood count recovery; PR = partial remission.

Response	Peripheral Blood	Bone Marrow (if performed)	Nodes, Liver, and Spleen^a
CR	Lymphocytes < 4 x 10 ⁹ /L ANC >1.5 x 10 ⁹ /L ^b Platelets > 100 x 10 ⁹ /L ^b Hemoglobin > 11.0 g/dL (untransfused) ^b	Normocellular <30% lymphocytes No B-lymphoid nodules	Normal (e.g., no lymph nodes >1.5 cm)
CRi	Lymphocytes < 4 x 10 ⁹ /L Persistent anemia, thrombocytopenia, or neutropenia related to drug toxicity	Hypocellular <30% lymphocytes	Normal (e.g., no lymph nodes >1.5 cm)
PR	Lymphocytes ≥ 50% decrease from baseline ANC > 1.5 x 10 ⁹ /L or Platelets > 100 x 10 ⁹ /L or 50% improvement over baseline ^b or Hemoglobin > 11.0 g/dL or 50% improvement over baseline (untransfused) ^b	Not assessed	≥50% reduction in lymphadenopathy ^c and/or in spleen or liver enlargement

a. Computed tomography (CT) scan of abdomen, pelvis, and chest is required for this evaluation

b. Without need for exogenous growth factors

c. In the sum products of ≤ 6 lymph nodes or in the largest diameter of the enlarged lymph node(s) detected before therapy and no increase in any lymph node or new enlarged lymph nodes

[00717] The response assessment criteria for SLL are summarized in Table 13.

TABLE 13. Response Assessment Criteria for SLL. Abbreviations: CR = complete remission, CT = computed tomography, FDG = [¹⁸F]fluorodeoxyglucose, PET = positron-emission tomography, PR = partial remission, SD = stable disease, SPD = sum of the product of the diameters.

Response	Definition	Nodal Masses	Spleen, Liver	Bone Marrow
CR	Disappearance of all evidence of disease	(a) FDG-avid or PET positive prior to therapy; mass of any size permitted if PET negative (b) Variably FDG-avid or PET negative; regression to normal size on CT	Not palpable, nodules disappeared	If infiltrate present at screening, infiltrate cleared on repeat biopsy; if indeterminate by morphology, immunohistochemistry should be negative
PR	Regression of measurable disease and no new sites	≥ 50% decrease in SPD of up to 6 largest dominant masses; no increase in size of other nodes (a) FDG-avid or PET positive prior to therapy; ≥ 1 PET positive at previously involved site (b) Variably FDG-avid or PET negative; regression on CT	≥ 50% decrease in SPD of nodules (for single nodule in greatest transverse diameter); no increase in size of liver or spleen	Irrelevant if positive prior to therapy; cell type should be specified
SD	Failure to attain CR/PR or progressive disease	(a) FDG-avid or PET positive prior to therapy; PET positive at prior sites of disease, and no new sites on CT or PET (b) Variably FDG-avid or PET negative; no change in size of previous lesions on CT		

[00718] The PK parameters of the study are as follows. The plasma PK of Formula (2) and a metabolite is characterized using noncompartmental analysis. The following PK parameters are calculated, whenever possible, from plasma concentrations of Formula (2):

AUC(o-t): Area under the plasma concentration-time curve calculated using linear trapezoidal summation from time 0 to time t, where t is the time of the last measurable concentration (Ct),

AUC(o-24): Area under the plasma concentration-time curve from 0 to 24 hours, calculated using linear trapezoidal summation,

AUC(o-∞): Area under the plasma concentration-time curve from 0 to infinity, calculated using the formula: $AUC(o-\infty) = AUC_{(0-t)} + Ct / \lambda_z$, where λ_z is the apparent terminal elimination rate constant,

C_{max} : Maximum observed plasma concentration,

T_{max} : Time of the maximum plasma concentration (obtained without interpolation),

$t_{1/2}$: Terminal elimination half-life (whenever possible),

λ_z : Terminal elimination rate constant (whenever possible),

Cl/F: Oral clearance.

[00719] The PD parameters of the study are as follows. The occupancy of BTK by Formula (2) are measured in peripheral blood mononuclear cells (PBMCs) with the aid of a biotin-tagged Formula (2) analogue probe. The effect of Formula (2) on biologic markers of B cell function will also be evaluated.

[00720] The statistical analysis used in the study is as follows. No formal statistical tests of hypotheses are performed. Descriptive statistics (including means, standard deviations, and medians for continuous variables and proportions for discrete variables) are used to summarize data as appropriate.

[00721] The following definitions are used for the safety and efficacy analysis sets: Safety analysis set: All enrolled subjects who receive ≥ 1 dose of study drug; Per-protocol (PP) analysis set: All enrolled subjects who receive ≥ 1 dose of study drug and with ≥ 1 tumor response assessment after treatment. The safety analysis set will be used for evaluating the safety parameters in this study. The PP analysis sets will be analyzed for efficacy parameters in this study.

[00722] No imputation of values for missing data is performed except for missing or partial start and end dates for adverse events and concomitant medication will be imputed according to

prespecified, conservative imputation rules. Subjects lost to follow-up (or drop out) will be included in statistical analyses to the point of their last evaluation.

[00723] The safety endpoint analysis was performed as follows. Safety summaries will include summaries in the form of tables and listings. The frequency (number and percentage) of treatment emergent adverse events will be reported in each treatment group by Medical Dictionary for Regulatory Activities (MedDRA) System Organ Class and Preferred Term. Summaries will also be presented by the severity of the adverse event and by relationship to study drug. Laboratory shift tables containing counts and percentages will be prepared by treatment assignment, laboratory parameter, and time. Summary tables will be prepared for each laboratory parameter. Figures of changes in laboratory parameters over time will be generated. Vital signs, ECGs, and physical exams will be tabulated and summarized.

[00724] Additional analyses include summaries of subject demographics, baseline characteristics, compliance, and concurrent treatments. Concomitant medications will be coded according to the World Health Organization (WHO) Drug Dictionary and tabulated.

[00725] The analysis of efficacy parameters was performed as follows. The point estimate of the overall response rate will be calculated for the PP analysis set. The corresponding 95% confidence interval also will be derived. The duration of overall response is measured from the time measurement criteria are met for CR or PR (whichever is first recorded) until the first date that recurrent or progressive disease is objectively documented (taking as reference for progressive disease the smallest measurements recorded since the treatment started). Kaplan-Meier methodology will be used to estimate event-free curves and corresponding quantiles (including the median). Progression-free survival is measured from the time of first study drug administration until the first date that recurrent or progressive disease is objectively documented (taking as reference for progressive disease the smallest measurements recorded since the treatment started). Kaplan-Meier methodology will be used to estimate the event-free curves and corresponding quantiles (including the median).

[00726] The study scheme is a sequential cohort escalation. Each cohort consists of six subjects. The sample size of the study is 24 to 36 subjects, depending on dose escalation into subsequent cohorts. Cohort 1 (N = 6) consists of Formula (2), 100 mg QD for 28 days. Cohort 2 (N = 6) consists of Formula (2), 175 mg QD for 28 days. Cohort 3 (N = 6) consists of Formula

(2), 250 mg QD for 28 days. Cohort 4 (N = 6) consists of Formula (2), 350 mg QD for 28 days. Cohort 5 (N = 6) consists of Formula (2), 450 mg QD for 28 days. Cohort 6 (N = 6) consists of Formula (2), at a dose to be determined QD for 28 days. The dose level for Cohort 6 will be determined based on the safety and efficacy of Cohorts 1 to 5, and will not exceed 900 mg/day. Escalation will end with either the MTD cohort or three levels above full BTK occupancy, whichever is observed first. An additional arm of the study will explore 100 mg BID dosing. Treatment with oral Formula (2) may be continued for greater than 28 days until disease progression or an unacceptable drug-related toxicity occurs.

[00727] The inclusion criteria for the study are as follows: (1) men and women ≥ 18 years of age with a confirmed diagnosis of CLL/SLL, which has relapsed after, or been refractory to, ≥ 2 previous treatments for CLL/SLL; however, subjects with 17p deletion are eligible if they have relapsed after, or been refractory to, 1 prior treatment for CLL/SLL; (2) body weight ≥ 60 kg, (3) ECOG performance status of ≤ 2 ; (4) agreement to use contraception during the study and for 30 days after the last dose of study drug if sexually active and able to bear children; (5) willing and able to participate in all required evaluations and procedures in this study protocol including swallowing capsules without difficulty; or (6) ability to understand the purpose and risks of the study and provide signed and dated informed consent and authorization to use protected health information (in accordance with national and local subject privacy regulations).

[00728] The dosage form and strength of Formula (2) used in the clinical study is a hard gelatin capsules prepared using standard pharmaceutical grade excipients (microcrystalline cellulose) and containing 25 mg of Formula (2) each. The color of the capsules is Swedish orange. The route of administration is oral (*per os*, or PO). The dose regimen is once daily or twice daily, as defined by the cohort, on an empty stomach (defined as no food 2 hours before and 30 minutes after dosing).

[00729] The baseline characteristics for the patients enrolled in the clinical study are given in Table 14.

TABLE 14. Relapsed/refractory CLL baseline characteristics.

Characteristic	CLL (N=44)
Patient Demographics	
Age (years), median (range)	62 (45-84)
Sex, men (%)	33 (75)
Prior therapies, median (range), n	3 (1-10)
≥3 prior therapies, n (%)	26 (59)
Clinical Details	
ECOG performance status ≥1 (%)	28 (63)
Rai stage III/IV	16 (36)
Bulky disease ≥ 5 cm, n (%)	15 (34)
Cytopenia at baseline	33 (75)
Cytogenic Status	
Chromosome 11q22.3 deletion (Del 11q), n (%)	18 (41)
Chromosome 17p13.1 (Del 17p), n (%)	19 (34)
IgV _H status (unmutated), n (%)	28 (64)

[00730] The results of the clinical study in relapsed/refractory CLL patients are summarized in Table 15.

TABLE 15. Activity of Formula (2) in relapsed/refractory CLL. (PR = partial response; PR+L = partial response with lymphocytosis; SD = stable disease; PD = progressive disease.)

n (%)	All Cohorts (N=31)	100 mg QD (N=8)	175 mg QD (N=8)	250 mg QD (N=7)	100 mg BID (N=3)	400 mg QD (N=5)
PR	22 (71)	7 (88)	5 (63)	5 (71)	3 (100)	2 (40)
PR+L	7 (23)	0 (0)	3 (37)	2 (29)	0 (0)	2 (40)
SD	2 (6)	1 (12)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (20)
PD	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Median (range) Cycles						
	7.3 (3.0-10.8)	10.0 (9.0-10.8)	8.6 (3.0-8.8)	7.0 (7.0-7.3)	5.2 (4.7-5.5)	5.0 (4.8-5.5)

[00731] FIG. 45 shows the median % change in ALC and SPD from baseline in the clinical study of Formula (2), plotted in comparison to the results reported for ibrutinib in Figure 1A of

Byrd, *et al*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, 369, 32-42. The results show that Formula (2) leads to a more rapid patient response in CLL than corresponding treatment with ibrutinib. This effect is illustrated, for example, by the median % change in SPD, which achieved the same status in the present study at 7 months of treatment with Formula (2) as compared to 18 months for ibrutinib. The % change in SPD observed in the different cohorts (*i.e.* by dose and dosing regimen) is shown in FIG. 46, and in all cases shows significant responses.

[00732] A Kaplan-Meier curve showing PFS from the clinical CLL study of Formula (2) is shown in FIG. 47. A comparison of survival curves was performed using the Log-Rank (Mantle-Cox) test, with a p-value of 0.0206 indicating that the survival curves are different. The number of patients at risk is shown in FIG. 48. Both FIG. 47 and FIG. 48 show the results for Formula (2) in comparison to the results reported for Formula (10) (ibrutinib) in Byrd, *et al*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, 369, 32-42. An improvement in survival and a reduction in risk are observed in CLL patients treated with Formula (2) in comparison to patients treated with ibrutinib.

[00733] Based on the data and comparisons shown above, the CLL study showed that the efficacy of Formula (2) was surprisingly superior to that of Formula (10) (ibrutinib).

[00734] In the literature study of ibrutinib, increased disease progression was associated with patients with high-risk cytogenetic lesions (17p13.1 deletion or 11q22.3 deletion), as shown in Figure 3A in Byrd, *et al*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, 369, 32-42, which shows ibrutinib PFS including PFS broken down by genetic abnormality. The 17p and 11q deletions are validated high-risk characteristics of CLL, and the 17p deletion is the highest risk. In FIG. 49, the PFS is shown for Formula (2) in patients with the 17p deletion in comparison to the results obtained for ibrutinib in Byrd, *et al*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, 369, 32-42. A p-value of 0.0696 was obtained. In FIG. 50, the number of patients at risk with the 17p deletion is compared. To date, no 17p patients have progressed on Formula (2).

[00735] The adverse events observed in the clinical study in relapsed/refractory CLL are given in Table 16. No DLTs were observed. The MTD was not reached. No treatment-related serious adverse events (SAEs) were observed. No prophylactic antivirals or antibiotics were needed.

TABLE 16. Treatment-related adverse events reported in the clinical study of Formula (2) in relapsed/refractory CLL. (Reported in $\geq 5\%$ of patients.)

Adverse Events (Treatment-Related), n (%)	Grade	All (N=44)
Headache	1/2	7 (16)
Increased tendency to bruise	1	6 (14)
Diarrhea	1	4 (9)
Petechiae	1	3 (7)

[00736] The clinical study of Formula (2) thus showed other unexpectedly superior results compared to ibrutinib therapy. A lack of lymphocytosis was observed in the study. Furthermore, only grade 1 AEs were observed, and these AEs were attributable to the high BTK selectivity of Formula (2).

[00737] BTK target occupancy was measured for relapsed/refractory CLL patients with the results shown in FIG. 51. For 200 mg QD dosing of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), about 94% - 99% BTK occupancy was observed, with superior 24 hour coverage and less inter-patient variability also observed. For 420 mg and 840 mg QD of the BTK inhibitor ibrutinib, 80% - 90% BTK occupancy was observed, with more inter-patient variability and capped occupancy. These results indicate that the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) achieves superior BTK occupancy in CLL patients than ibrutinib.

[00738] The effects of Formula (2) on cell subset percentages were also evaluated using flow cytometry analysis of peripheral blood, with the results shown in FIG. 52, FIG. 53, FIG. 54, FIG. 55, FIG. 56, and FIG. 57. PBMC samples from CLL patient samples drawn prior to (predose) and after 28 days of dosing with Formula (2) were compared for potential changes in cell subsets. PBMCs were stained with monoclonal antibodies conjugated to fluorescent tags (fluorochromes) to identify cell subsets via flow cytometry. Non-viable cells were excluded from the analysis using the dye 7-aminoactinomycin D (7-AAD). To produce the metric of percent change, the following steps were taken. First, each cell subset was defined by hierarchical flow cytometry gating. Then, the change in frequency (between day 1 and day 28) was calculated for each cell subset. MDSC subsets were measured as a % of all myeloid cells. T cell subsets were measured as a % of all CD3⁺ cells, and NK cells were measured as a % of all live CD45⁺ cells. In FIG. 52 and FIG. 53, the results show the % change in MDSC (monocytic)

level over 28 days versus % ALC change at cycle 1 day 28 (C1D28) and at cycle 2 day 28 (C2D28). A cycle is 28 days. A trend is observed wherein patients with decreasing ALC % had increasing MDSC (monocytic) %. This may include patients who had quickly resolving lymphocytosis and those with no initial lymphocytosis. This provides evidence that treatment with Formula (2) mobilizes MDSCs and thus affects the CLL tumor microenvironment in marrow and lymph nodes, which is an unexpected indication of superior efficacy. In FIG. 54 and FIG. 55, the results show the % change in NK cell level over 28 days versus % ALC change, measured at C1D28 or C2D28, and similar trends are observed wherein patients with decreasing ALC % had increasing NK cell %. This may include patients who had quickly resolving lymphocytosis and those having no initial lymphocytosis. The effects in FIG. 52 to FIG. 55 are observed in multiple cohorts, at doses including 100 mg BID, 200 mg QD, and 400 mg QD. In FIG. 56 and FIG. 57, the effects on NK cells and MDSC cells are compared to a number of other markers versus % change in ALC at C1D28 and C2D28. These other markers include CD4+ T cells, CD8+ T cells, CD4+/CD8+ T cell ratio, NK-T cells, PD-1+ CD4+ T cells, and PD-1 + CD8+ T cells. The effects on NK cells and MDSC cells are observed to be much more pronounced than on any of these other markers.

[00739] These results suggest that after Formula (2) administration, the CLL microenvironment undergoes a change wherein NK cells and monocytic MDSC subsets increase in frequency in the peripheral blood in patients with falling ALC counts, an important clinical parameter in CLL. The NK cell increase may reflect an overall increase in cytolytic activity against B-CLL resulting in the ALC % to drop. The increase in MDSC % in the blood may be due to a movement of these cells out of the lymph nodes, spleen, and bone marrow, which are all possible sites of CLL proliferation. Fewer MDSCs at the CLL proliferation centers would likely result in a reduced immunosuppressive microenvironment leading to an increase in cell-mediated immunity against the tumor, decreased tumor proliferation, and eventually lower ALC% in the circulation.

[00740] Updated clinical results from the CLL study are shown in FIG. 58 to FIG. 63. FIG. 58 shows an update of the data presented in FIG. 45. FIG. 59 shows an update of the data presented in FIG. 51, and includes BID dosing results. Formula (2) 200 mg QD dosing resulted in 94% - 99% BTK occupancy, 24 hour coverage, and less inter-patient variability. Ibrutinib 420 mg and 840 mg QD dosing resulted in 80% - 90% BTK occupancy, more inter-patient variability, and capped occupancy. Formula (2) 100 mg BID dosing resulted in 97% - 99% BTK occupancy,

complete BTK coverage, and less inter-patient variability. The PFS for patients with 17p deletions and 11q deletions are illustrated in FIG. 60, FIG. 61, and FIG. 62. Updated SPD results are illustrated in FIG. 63, and again show significant results across all cohorts and dosing regimens.

[00741] Treatment of CLL patients with Formula (2) also resulted in increased apoptosis, as illustrated in FIG. 64. Apoptotic B-CLL was defined by flow cytometry as having cleaved PARP⁺, Caspase 3⁺, CD19⁺, and CD5⁺ phenotypes. 82% of samples tested had a baseline change greater than 25%. Treatment of CLL patients also showed that Formula (2) decreased plasma chemokines associated with MDSC homing and retention. A significant decrease in CXCL12 and CCL2 levels has been observed in patients treated with Formula (2), as shown in FIG. 65 and FIG. 66, respectively.

[00742]

Example 12 - Effects of BTK Inhibitors on Thrombosis

[00743] Clinical studies have shown that targeting the BCR signaling pathway by inhibiting BTK produces significant clinical benefit (Byrd, *etal*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, 369(1), 32-42, Wang, *etal*, *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2013**, 369(6), 507-16). However, in these studies, bleeding has been reported in up to 50% of ibrutinib-treated patients. Most bleeding events were of grade 1-2 (spontaneous bruising or petechiae) but, in 5% of patients, they were of grade 3 or higher after trauma. These results are reflected in the prescribing information for ibrutinib, where bleeding events of any grade, including bruising and petechiae, were reported in about half of patients treated with ibrutinib (IMBRUVICA package insert and prescribing information, revised July 2014, U.S. Food and Drug Administration).

[00744] Constitutive or aberrant activation of the BCR signaling cascade has been implicated in the propagation and maintenance of a variety of B cell malignancies. Small molecule inhibitors of BTK, a protein early in this cascade and specifically expressed in B cells, have emerged as a new class of targeted agents. There are several BTK inhibitors, including Formula (17) (CC-292), and Formula (10) (ibrutinib), in clinical development. Importantly, early stage clinical trials have found ibrutinib to be particularly active in chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL) and mantle cell lymphoma (MCL), suggesting that this class of inhibitors may play a significant role in various types of cancers (Aalipour and Advani, *Br. J. Haematol.* **2013**, 163, 436-43).

However, their effects are not limited to leukemia or lymphomas as platelets also rely on the Tec kinases family members BTK and Tec for signal transduction in response to various thrombogenic stimuli (Oda, *etal.*, *Blood* **2000**, 95(5), 1663-70; Atkinson, *etal.*, *Blood* **2003**, 102(10), 3592-99). In fact, both Tec and BTK play an important role in the regulation of phospholipase Cy2 (PLCy2) downstream of the collagen receptor glycoprotein VI (GPVI) in human platelets. In addition, BTK is activated and undergoes tyrosine phosphorylation upon challenge of the platelet thrombin receptor, which requires the engagement of α I^{3/4} β 3 integrin and PI3K activity (Laffargue, *etal.*, *FEBS Lett.* **1999**, 443(1), 66-70). It has also been implicated in GPIIb α -dependent thrombus stability at sites of vascular injury (Liu, *etal.*, *Blood* **2006**, 108(8), 2596-603). Thus, BTK and Tec are involved in several processes important in supporting the formation of a stable hemostatic plug, which is critical for preventing significant blood loss in response to vascular injury. Hence, the effects of the BTK inhibitors of Formula (2) and Formula (10) (ibrutinib) were evaluated on human platelet-mediated thrombosis by utilizing the *in vivo* human thrombus formation in the VWF HA1 mice model described in Chen, *etal.*, *Nat. Biotechnol.* 2008, 26(1), 114-19.

[00745] Administration of anesthesia, insertion of venous and arterial catheters, fluorescent labeling and administration of human platelets (5 \times 10⁶ Vml), and surgical preparation of the cremaster muscle in mice have been previously described (Chen *et al.*, *Nat Biotechnol.* **2008**, 26(1), 114-19). Injury to the vessel wall of arterioles (-40-65 μ m diameter) was performed using a pulsed nitrogen dye laser (440 nm, Photonic Instruments) applied through a 20 \times water-immersion Olympus objective (LUMPlanFI, 0.5 numerical aperture (NA)) of a Zeiss Axiotech vario microscope. Human platelet and wall interactions were visualized by fluorescence microscopy using a system equipped with a Yokogawa CSU-22 spinning disk confocal scanner, iXON EM camera, and 488 nm and 561 nm laser lines to detect BCECF-labeled and rhodamine-labeled platelets, respectively (Revolution XD, Andor Technology). The extent of thrombus formation was assessed for 2 minutes after injury and the area (μ m²) of coverage determined (Image IQ, Andor Technology). For the Formula (2), Formula (17) (CC-292), and Formula (10) (ibrutinib) inhibition studies, the BTK inhibitors were added to purified human platelets for 30 minutes before administration.

[00746] The *in vivo* thrombus effects of the BTK inhibitors, Formula (2), Formula (17) (CC-292), and Formula (10) (ibrutinib), were evaluated on human platelet-mediated thrombosis by utilizing

the *in vivo* human thrombus formation in the VWF HAI mice model, which has been previously described (Chen, *et al.*, *Nat Biotechnol.* **2008**, 26(1), 114-19). Purified human platelets were preincubated with various concentrations of the BTK inhibitors (0.1 μ M, 0.5 μ M, or 1 μ M) or DMSO and then administered to VWF HAI mice, followed by laser-induced thrombus formation. The BTK inhibitor-treated human platelets were fluorescently labeled and infused continuously through a catheter inserted into the femoral artery. Their behavior in response to laser-induced vascular injury was monitored in real time using two-channel confocal intravital microscopy (Furie and Furie, *J. Clin. Invest.* **2005**, 115(12), 2255-62). Upon induction of arteriole injury untreated platelets rapidly formed thrombi with an average thrombus size of $6,450 \pm 292 \text{ mm}^2$ (mean \pm s.e.m.), as shown in FIG. 67 and FIG. 68. Similarly, Formula (2) (1 μ M) treated platelets formed a slightly smaller but not significantly different thrombi with an average thrombus size of $5733 \pm 393 \text{ mm}^2$ (mean \pm s.e.m.). In contrast, a dramatic reduction in thrombus size occurred in platelets pretreated with 1 μ M of Formula (10) (ibrutinib), $2600 \pm 246 \text{ mm}^2$ (mean \pm s.e.m.), resulting in a reduction in maximal thrombus size by about 61% compared with control ($P > 0.001$) (FIG. 67 and FIG. 69). Similar results were obtained with platelets pretreated with 500 nM of Formula (2) or ibrutinib: thrombus size of $5946 \pm 283 \text{ mm}^2$, and $2710 \pm 325 \text{ mm}^2$ respectively. These initial results may provide some mechanistic background and explanation on the reported 44% bleeding related adverse event rates in the Phase III RESONATE study comparing ibrutinib with ofatumumab. The results obtained for Formula (17) (CC-292) were similar to that for Formula (10) (ibrutinib), as shown in FIG. 67, 68, and 69. The effect of the BTK inhibitor concentration is shown in FIG. 70. These results demonstrate the surprising advantage of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), which does not interfere with thrombus formation, while the BTK inhibitors of Formula (17) (CC-292) and Formula (10) (ibrutinib) interfere with thrombus formation.

[00747] The objective of this study was to evaluate *in vivo* thrombus formation in the presence of BTK inhibitors. *In vivo* testing of novel antiplatelet agents requires informative biomarkers. By utilizing a genetic modified mouse von Willebrand factor (VWFR1326H) model that supports human but not mouse platelet-mediated thrombosis, we evaluated the effects of Formula (2), Formula (17) (CC-292), and Formula (10) (ibrutinib) on thrombus formation. These results show that Formula (2) had no significant effect on human platelet-mediated thrombus formation while Formula (10) (ibrutinib) was able to limit this process, resulting in a

reduction in maximal thrombus size by 61% compared with control. Formula (17) (CC-292) showed an effect similar to Formula (10) (ibrutinib). These results, which show reduced thrombus formation for ibrutinib at physiologically relevant concentrations, may provide some mechanistic background for the Grade ≥ 3 bleeding events (*e.g.*, subdural hematoma, gastrointestinal bleeding, hematuria and postprocedural hemorrhage) that have been reported in $\leq 6\%$ of patients treated with Formula (10) (ibrutinib).

[00748] GPVI platelet aggregation was measured for Formula (2) and Formula (10) (ibrutinib). Blood was obtained from untreated humans, and platelets were purified from plasma-rich protein by centrifugation. Cells were resuspended to a final concentration of 350,000/ μL in buffer containing 145 mmol/L NaCl, 10 mmol/L HEPES, 0.5 mmol/L Na_2HPO_4 , 5 mmol/L KCl, 2 mmol/L MgCl_2 , 1 mmol/L CaCl_2 , and 0.1% glucose, at pH 7.4. Stock solutions of Convulxin (CVX) GPVI were prepared on the day of experimentation and added to platelet suspensions 5 minutes (37 °C, 1200 rpm) before the induction of aggregation. Aggregation was assessed with a Chronolog Lumi-Aggregometer (model 540 VS; Chronolog, Havertown, PA) and permitted to proceed for 6 minutes after the addition of agonist. The results are reported as maximum percent change in light transmittance from baseline with platelet buffer used as a reference. The results are shown in FIG. 71.

[00749] In FIG. 72, the results of CVX-induced (250 ng/mL) human platelet aggregation results before and 15 minutes after administration of the BTK inhibitors to 6 healthy individuals are shown.

[00750] The results depicted in FIG. 71 and FIG. 72 indicate that the BTK inhibitor of Formula (10) (ibrutinib) significantly inhibits GPVI platelet aggregation, while the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) does not, further illustrating the surprising benefits of the latter compound.

Example 13 - Synergistic Combinations of BTK Inhibitors and CD19 Inhibitors

[00751] Combination experiments may be performed to assess the synergistic behavior of drug combinations of BTK inhibitors and CD19 inhibitors. Syngeneic animal models for B cell lymphomas, including murine models, may be used to assess this behavior using intravenous, intrasplenic, intraperitoneal, subcutaneous, intramuscular, or intracerebral induction.

[00752] A mouse xenograft model may also be used to assess the synergistic behavior of drug combinations of BTK inhibitors and CD19 inhibitors. In this study, 6 to 10-week-old NOD-

SCID-yc^{-/-} (NSG) mice are obtained from the Jackson Laboratory (Bar Harbor, ME) and the CD 19⁺ human ALL line Nalm-6 is obtained from American Type Culture Collection (ATCC; Manassas, VA). Animals are injected via the tail vein with 10⁶ viable Nalm-6 cells in 0.2 mL of sterile phosphate buffered saline (PBS). Starting at 3 to 5 weeks after injection, mice are screened for engraftment every 3 weeks by retro-orbital sampling of peripheral blood. Engraftment is detected by flow cytometric analysis using antibodies recognizing CD 19 and CD45. In addition, mice are screened using anti-CD3 and anti-CD33 to ensure engraftment was of the lymphoblast population and not of a T-cell or myeloid lineage. Xenografted mice were randomized to treatment with (i) the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2), (ii) a murine anti-CD 19 monoclonal antibody (BioXcell, Clone 1D3), (iii) a combination of the BTK inhibitor of Formula (2) and the same murine anti-CD 19 monoclonal antibody, or (iv) vehicle, after establishment of disease, defined as more than 5% blasts detected in peripheral blood. Response to treatment was measured weekly by retro-orbital bleeds to determine white blood counts and percent blasts by flow cytometry.

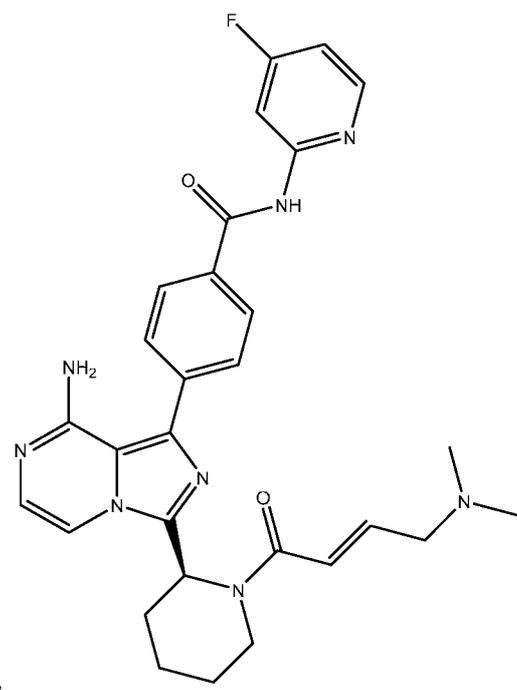
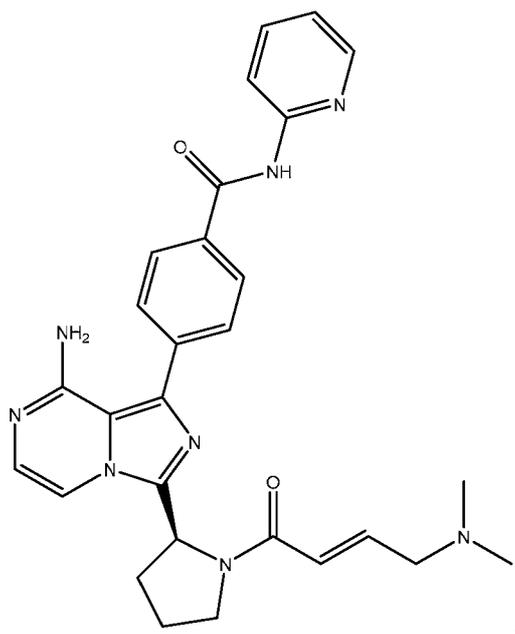
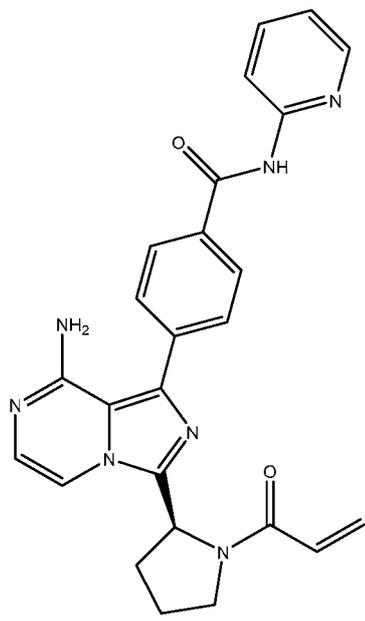
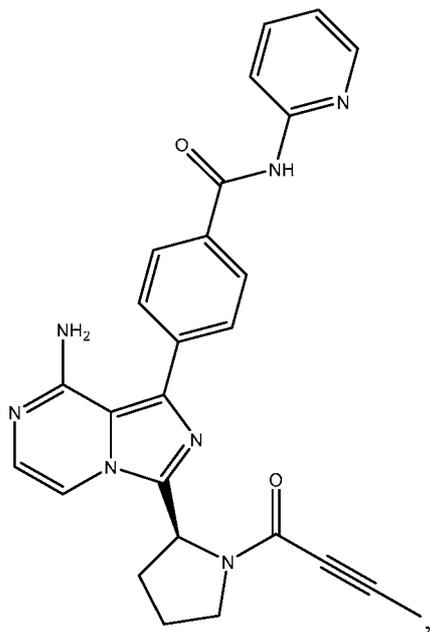
Example 14 -*In Vivo* Study of CD 19 CAR-T Cells and BTK Synergistic Combinations

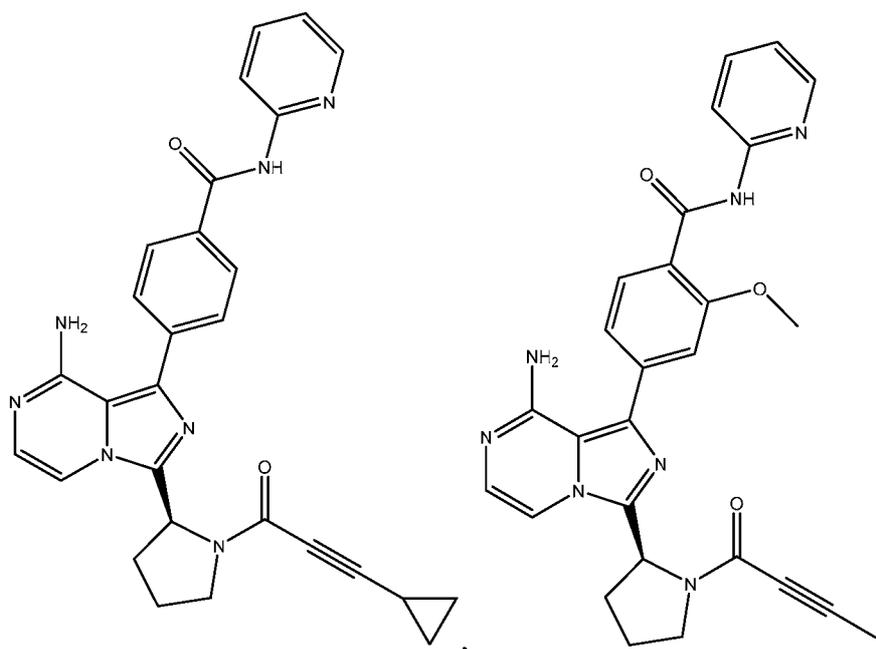
[00753] To evaluate the effect of inhibiting BTK in tumors treated with CD 19 CAR-T cells, eight-week-old SCID-Beige mice (Charles River) mice are injected by tail vein on day 1 with 1 × 10⁶ green fluorescent protein-firefly luciferase (GFP-FFLuc) transduced NALM-6 tumor cells. Seven days after tumor engraftment, mice are injected intravenously with 1 × 10⁷ CAR-T cells (day 7 and day 14). Tumor bioluminescence is monitored using a Xenogen *in vivo* Imaging System (IVIS; Caliper Life Sciences, Hopkinton, MA) for acquisition of imaging data sets. To evaluate a BTK inhibitor effect, GFP-FFLuc transduced NALM-6 cells are injected *via* the tail vein, and mice are treated with (A) oral Formula (2) at a dose of 15 mg/kg BID, (B) intravenous CAR-T cells as described above, or (C) a combination of Formula (2) at a dose of 15 mg/kg BID and intravenous CAR-T cells as described above. The CAR-T cells may use a variety of signaling domains, including CD28, 4-1BB, and CD3 ζ domains, different transmembrane domains, and different CD 19 scFv domains to evaluate the optimal combination.

CLAIMS

We claim:

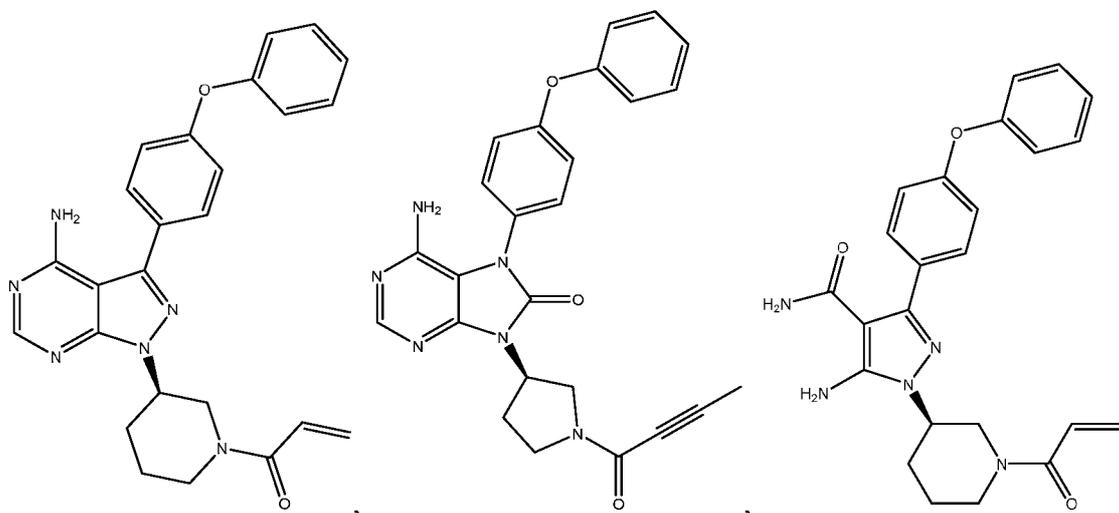
1. A method of treating a hyperproliferative disease, comprising co-administering, to a mammal in need thereof, therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and (2) a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof.
2. The method of Claim 1, wherein the CD 19 inhibitor is administered to the mammal before administration of the BTK inhibitor.
3. The method of Claim 1, wherein the CD 19 inhibitor is administered to the mammal simultaneously with the administration of the BTK inhibitor.
4. The method of Claim 1, wherein the CD 19 inhibitor is administered to the mammal after administration of the BTK inhibitor.
5. The method of any one of Claims 1 to 4, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of:





and pharmaceutically-acceptable salts, cocrystals, hydrates, solvates, and prodrugs thereof.

6. The method of any one of Claims 1 to 4, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of:



and pharmaceutically-acceptable salts, cocrystals, hydrates, solvates, and prodrugs thereof.

7. The method of any one of Claims 1 to 6, wherein the CD19 inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of blinatumomab, coltuximab ravtansine, denintuzumab mafodotin, and antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, and biosimilars thereof.

8. The method of any one of Claims 1 to 6, wherein the CD 19 inhibitor is a T cell comprising an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor.
9. The method of any one of Claims 1 to 6, wherein the CD 19 inhibitor is an NK cell comprising an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor.
10. The method of any one of Claims 8 to 9, wherein the anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor comprises intracellular signaling domain, a transmembrane domain, and an anti-CD 19 extracellular domain, wherein the anti-CD 19 extracellular domain is selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29, SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:32, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34, SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:37, SEQ ID NO:38, SEQ ID NO:39, and conservative amino acid substitutions thereof.
11. The method of Claim 10, wherein the intracellular signaling domain comprises a CD3 ζ signaling domain and a costimulatory domain selected from the group consisting of a 4-1BB signaling domain, a CD28 signaling domain, and combinations thereof.
12. The method of Claim 10, wherein the intracellular signaling domain is selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41, SEQ ID NO:42, conservative amino acid substitutions thereof, and combinations thereof.
13. The method of any one of Claims 8 to 9, wherein the anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor is selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:45, SEQ ID NO:46, SEQ ID NO:47, SEQ ID NO:48, SEQ ID NO:49, SEQ ID NO:50, SEQ ID NO:51, SEQ ID NO:52, SEQ ID NO:53, SEQ ID NO:54, SEQ ID NO:55, SEQ ID NO:56, SEQ ID NO:57, SEQ ID NO:58, SEQ ID NO:59, and conservative amino acid substitutions thereof.
14. The method of any one of Claims 1 to 13, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of an anti-CD20 antibody.
15. The method of Claim 14, wherein the anti-CD20 antibody is selected from the group consisting of rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, ibritumomab, and fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, radioisotope-labeled complexes, biosimilars thereof, and combinations thereof.
16. The method of any one of Claims 1 to 15, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of a chemotherapeutic regimen selected from the group

consisting of (1) fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, and rituximab (FCR); (2) rituximab, cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, and prednisone (R-CHOP); and (3) bendamustine and rituximab (BR).

17. The method of any one of Claims 1 to 16, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of gemcitabine.

18. The method of any one of Claims 1 to 17, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of albumin-bound paclitaxel.

19. The method of any one of Claims 1 to 18, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of a PD-1 or PD-L1 inhibitor selected from the group consisting of nivolumab, pembrolizumab, pidilizumab, durvalumab, atezolizumab, avelumab, and antigen-binding fragments, variants, conjugates, or biosimilars thereof.

20. The method of any one of Claims 1 to 19, wherein the hyperproliferative disease is a cancer.

21. The method of Claim 20, wherein the cancer is a B cell hematological malignancy.

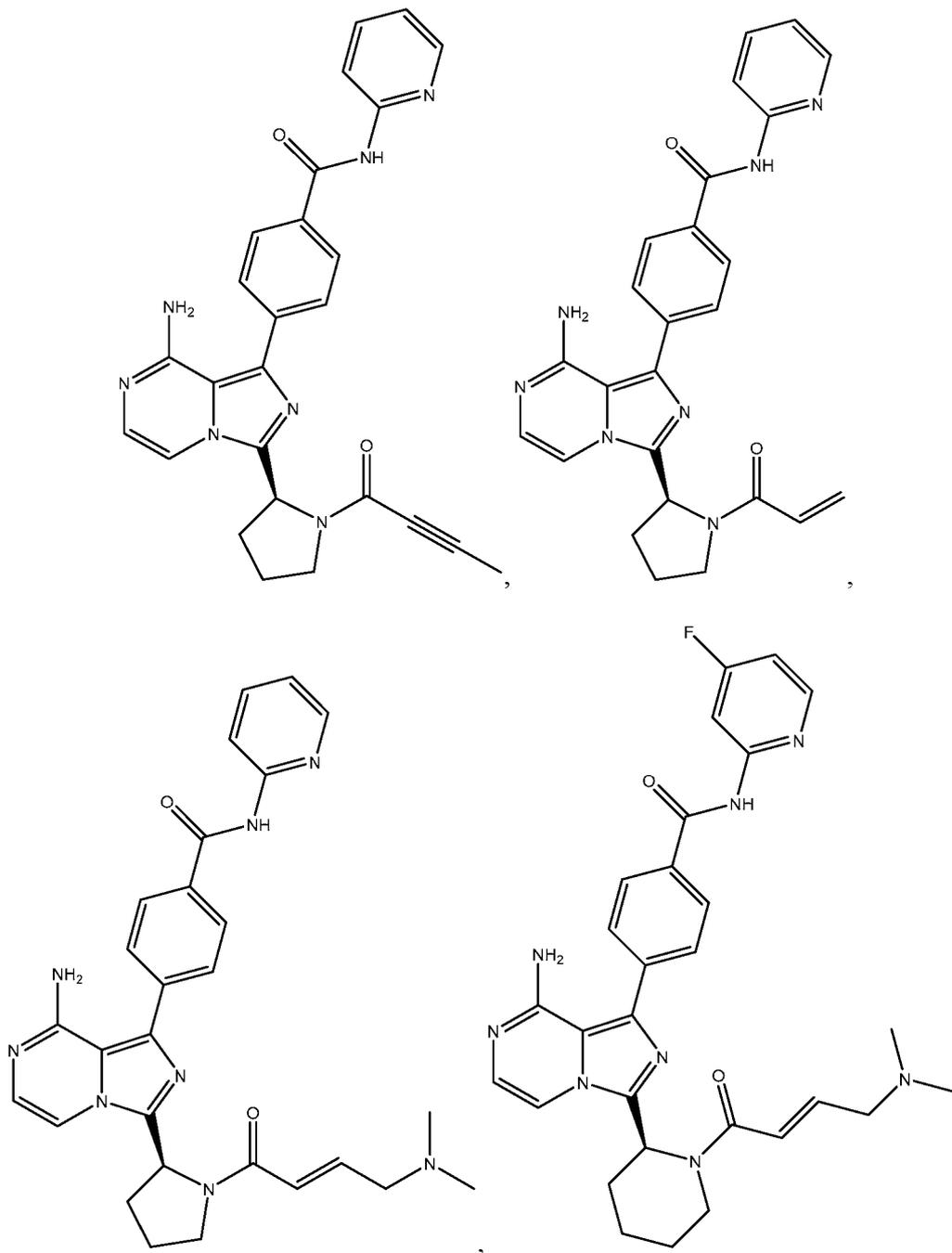
22. The method of Claim 21, wherein the B cell hematological malignancy is selected from the group consisting of chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL), small lymphocytic leukemia (SLL), non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (NHL), diffuse large B cell lymphoma (DLBCL), follicular lymphoma (FL), mantle cell lymphoma (MCL), Hodgkin's lymphoma, B cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia (B-ALL), Burkitt's lymphoma, Waldenstrom's macroglobulinemia (WM), Burkitt's lymphoma, multiple myeloma, and myelofibrosis.

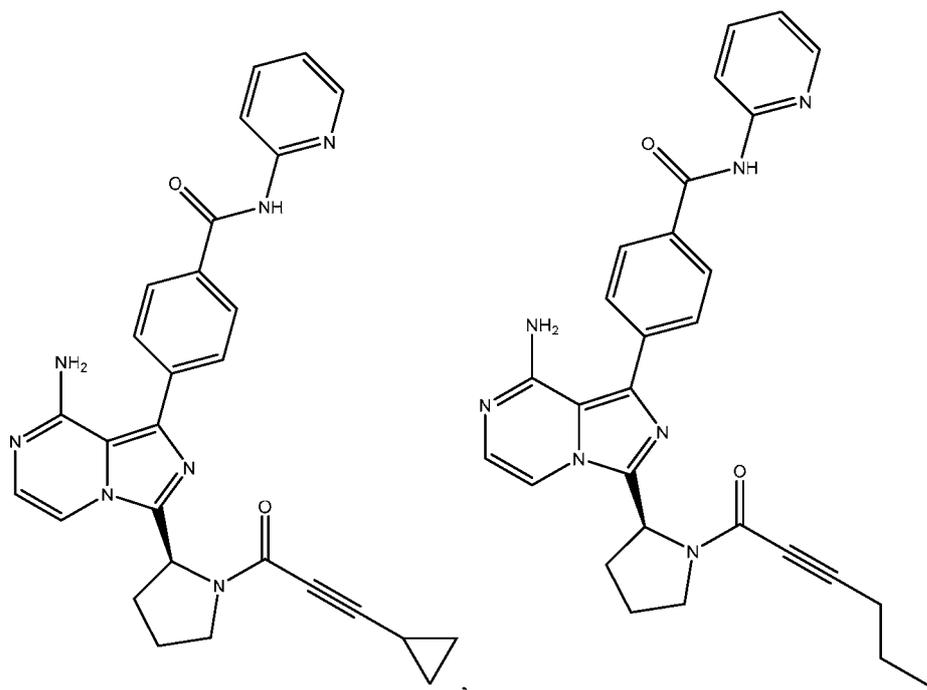
23. The method of Claim 20, wherein the cancer is a solid tumor cancer.

24. The method of Claim 23, wherein the solid tumor cancer is selected from the group consisting of bladder cancer, non-small cell lung cancer, cervical cancer, anal cancer, pancreatic cancer, squamous cell carcinoma including head and neck cancer, renal cell carcinoma, melanoma, ovarian cancer, small cell lung cancer, glioblastoma, gastrointestinal stromal tumor, breast cancer, lung cancer, colorectal cancer, thyroid cancer, bone sarcoma, stomach cancer, oral cavity cancer, oropharyngeal cancer, gastric cancer, kidney cancer, liver cancer, prostate cancer, esophageal cancer, testicular cancer, gynecological cancer, colon cancer, and brain cancer.

25. A method of treating a cancer in a human intolerant to a bleeding event comprising the

step of administering (1) a therapeutically effective amount of a CD 19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and (2) a therapeutically effective amount of a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of:





and pharmaceutically-acceptable salts, cocrystals, hydrates, solvates, or prodrugs thereof.

26. The method of Claim 25, wherein the bleeding event is selected from the group consisting of subdural hematoma, gastrointestinal bleeding, hematuria, post-procedural hemorrhage, bruising, petechiae, and combinations thereof.

27. The method of any one of Claims 25 to 26, wherein the CD 19 inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of blinatumomab, coltuximab ravtansine, denintuzumab mafodotin, and an anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor, and antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, and biosimilars thereof.

28. The method of any one of Claims 25 to 27, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of a chemotherapeutic regimen selected from the group consisting of (1) fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, and rituximab (FCR); (2) rituximab, cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, and prednisone (R-CHOP); and (3) bendamustine and rituximab (BR).

29. The method of any one of Claims 25 to 28, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of a PD-1 or PD-L1 inhibitor selected from the group consisting of nivolumab, pembrolizumab, pidilizumab, durvalumab, atezolizumab, avelumab, and antigen-binding fragments, variants, conjugates, or biosimilars thereof.

30. The method of any one of Claims 25 to 29, further comprising the step of administering a therapeutically effective amount of an anticoagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient.

31. The method of Claim 30, wherein the anticoagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient is selected from the group consisting of acenocoumarol, anagrelide, anagrelide hydrochloride, abciximab, aloxiprin, antithrombin, apixaban, argatroban, aspirin, aspirin with extended-release dipyridamole, beraprost, betrixaban, bivalirudin, carbasalate calcium, cilostazol, clopidogrel, clopidogrel bisulfate, cloricromen, dabigatran etexilate, darexaban, dalteparin, dalteparin sodium, defibrotide, dicumarol, diphenadione, dipyridamole, ditazole, desirudin, edoxaban, enoxaparin, enoxaparin sodium, eptifibatide, fondaparinux, fondaparinux sodium, heparin, heparin sodium, heparin calcium, idraparin, idraparin sodium, iloprost, indobufen, lepirudin, low molecular weight heparin, melagatran, nadroparin, otamixaban, parnaparin, phenindione, phenprocoumon, prasugrel, picotamide, prostacyclin, ramatroban, reviparin, rivaroxaban, sulodexide, terutroban, terutroban sodium, ticagrelor, ticlopidine, ticlopidine hydrochloride, tinzaparin, tinzaparin sodium, tirofiban, tirofiban hydrochloride, treprostinil, treprostinil sodium, triflusal, vorapaxar, warfarin, warfarin sodium, ximelagatran, salts thereof, solvates thereof, hydrates thereof, and combinations thereof.

32. The method of any one of Claims 25 to 31, wherein the cancer is selected from the group consisting of bladder cancer, squamous cell carcinoma including pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma (PDA), pancreatic cancer, colon carcinoma, mammary carcinoma, breast cancer, fibrosarcoma, mesothelioma, renal cell carcinoma, lung carcinoma, thymoma, prostate cancer, colorectal cancer, ovarian cancer, acute myeloid leukemia, thymus cancer, brain cancer, squamous cell cancer, skin cancer, eye cancer, retinoblastoma, melanoma, intraocular melanoma, oral cavity and oropharyngeal cancers, gastric cancer, stomach cancer, cervical cancer, head and neck cancer, renal cancer, kidney cancer, liver cancer, ovarian cancer, esophageal cancer, testicular cancer, gynecological cancer, thyroid cancer, acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS)-related cancers (e.g., lymphoma and Kaposi's sarcoma), viral-induced cancer, glioblastoma, esophageal tumors, hematological neoplasms, non-small-cell lung cancer, chronic myelocytic leukemia, diffuse large B-cell lymphoma, esophagus tumor, follicle center lymphoma, head and neck tumor, hepatitis C virus infection, hepatocellular carcinoma, Hodgkin's disease, metastatic colon cancer, multiple myeloma, non-Hodgkin's lymphoma,

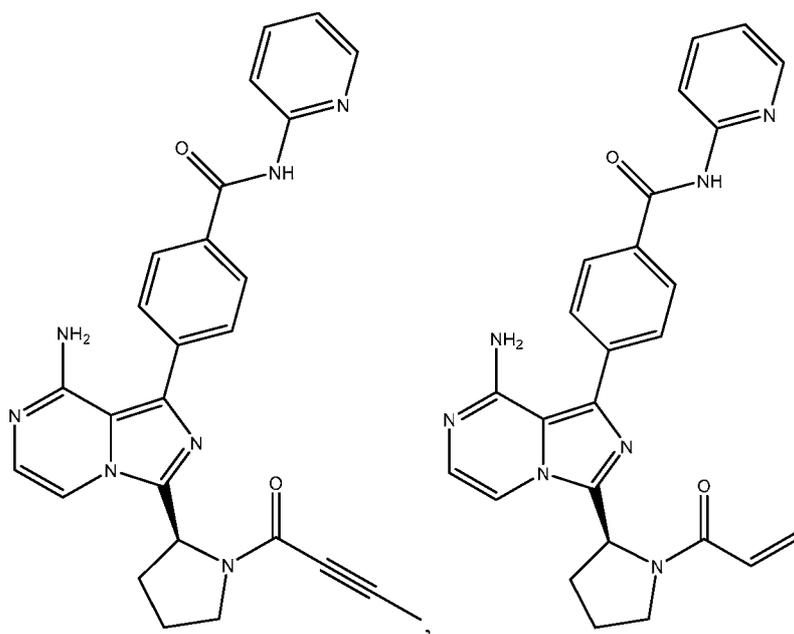
indolent non-Hogkin's lymphoma, ovary tumor, pancreas tumor, renal cell carcinoma, small-cell lung cancer, stage IV melanoma, chronic lymphocytic leukemia, B-cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), mature B-cell ALL, follicular lymphoma, mantle cell lymphoma, Burkitt's lymphoma, and myelofibrosis.

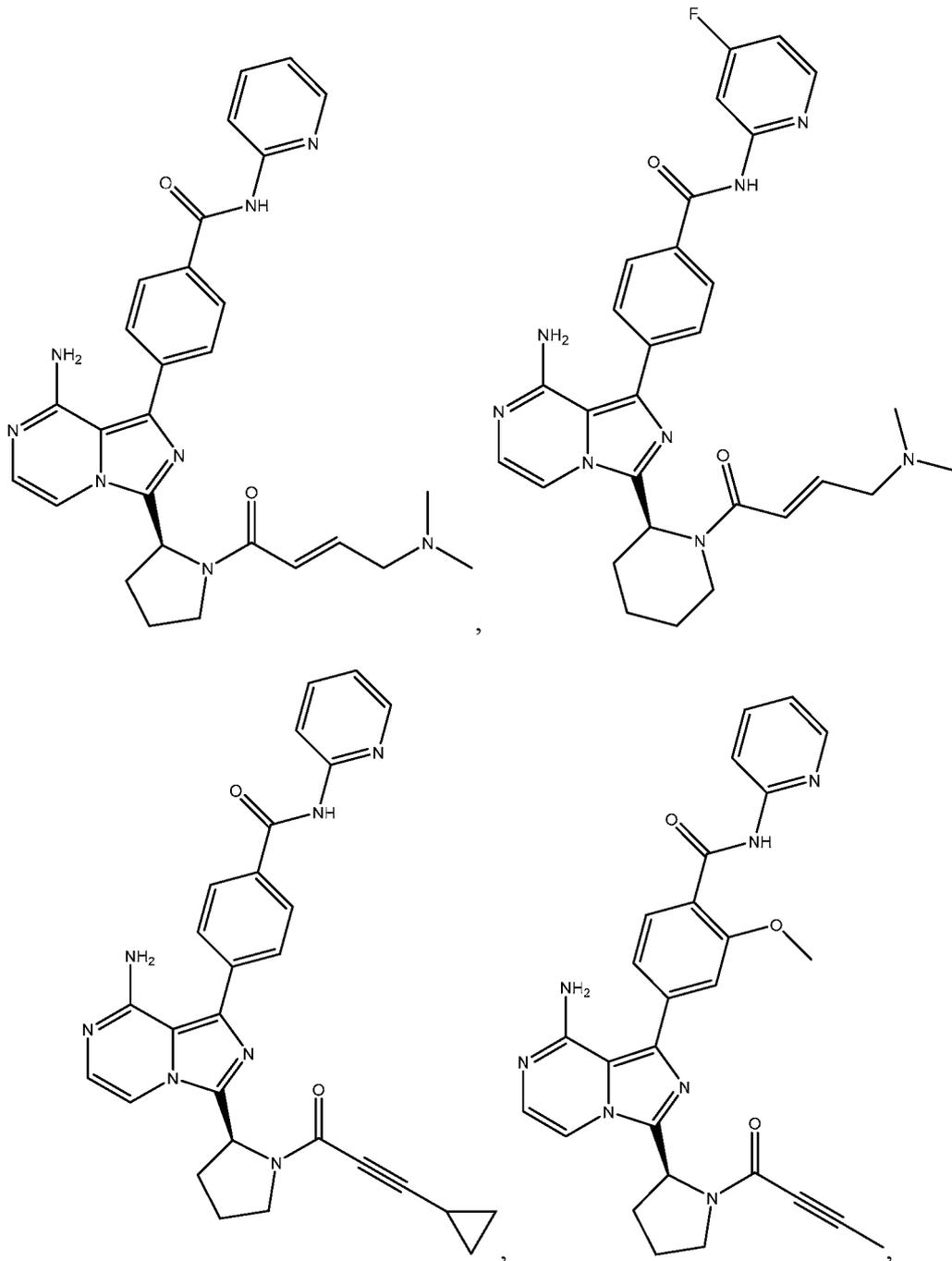
33. A composition comprising therapeutically effective amounts of (1) a CD19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; and (2) a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof.

34. The composition of Claim 33, for use as a medicament.

35. The composition of any one of Claims 33 to 34, for use in the treatment of cancer.

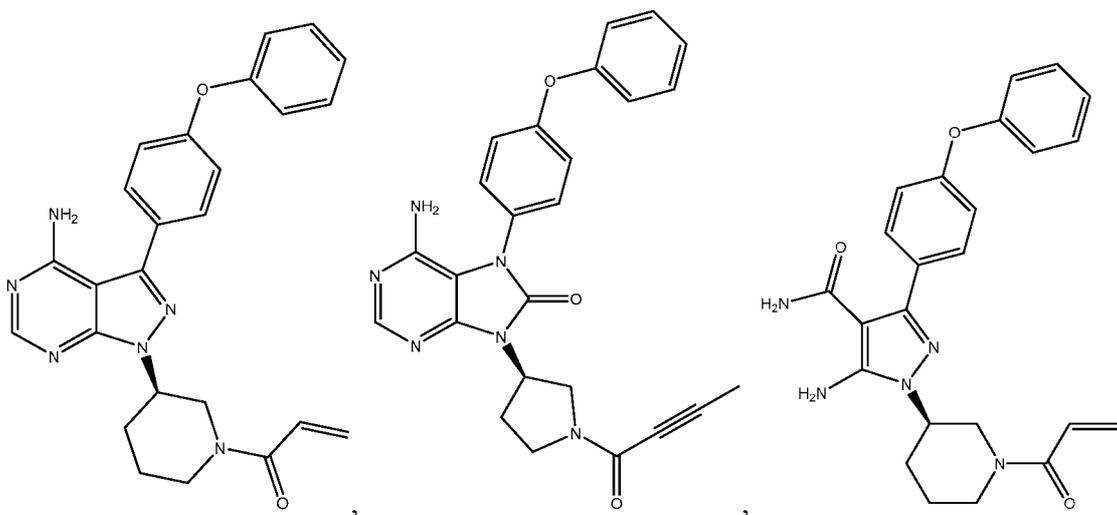
36. The composition of any one of Claims 33 to 35, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of:





and pharmaceutically-acceptable salts, cocrystals, hydrates, solvates, and prodrugs thereof.

37. The composition of any one of Claims 33 to 35, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of:



and pharmaceutically-acceptable salts, cocrystals, hydrates, solvates, and prodrugs thereof.

38. The composition of any one of Claims 33 to 37, wherein the CD19 inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of blinatumomab, coltuximab ravtansine, denintuzumab mafodotin, and antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, and biosimilars thereof.

39. The composition of any one of Claims 33 to 37, wherein the CD 19 inhibitor is a T cell comprising an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor.

40. The composition of any one of Claims 33 to 37, wherein the CD 19 inhibitor is an NK cell comprising an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor.

41. The composition of any one of Claims 39 to 40, wherein the anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor comprises intracellular signaling domain, a transmembrane domain, and an anti-CD 19 extracellular domain, wherein the anti-CD 19 extracellular domain is selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:29, SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:32, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:34, SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:37, SEQ ID NO: 38, SEQ ID NO: 39, and conservative amino acid substitutions thereof.

42. The composition of Claim 41, wherein the intracellular signaling domain comprises a CD3 ζ signaling domain and a costimulatory domain selected from the group consisting of a 4-1BB signaling domain, a CD28 signaling domain, and combinations thereof.

43. The composition of Claim 41, wherein the intracellular signaling domain is selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:41, SEQ ID NO:42, and combinations

thereof.

44. The composition of any one of Claims 39 to 40, wherein the anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor is selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:45, SEQ ID NO:46, SEQ ID NO:47, SEQ ID NO:48, SEQ ID NO:49, SEQ ID NO: 50, SEQ ID NO:51, SEQ ID NO: 52, SEQ ID NO: 53, SEQ ID NO: 54, SEQ ID NO: 55, SEQ ID NO: 56, SEQ ID NO: 57, SEQ ID NO: 58, SEQ ID NO: 59, and conservative amino acid substitutions thereof.

45. The composition of any one of Claims 33 to 44, further comprising a therapeutically effective amount of an anti-CD20 antibody.

46. The composition of Claim 45, wherein the anti-CD20 antibody is selected from the group consisting of rituximab, obinutuzumab, ofatumumab, veltuzumab, tositumomab, ibritumomab, and fragments, derivatives, conjugates, variants, radioisotope-labeled complexes, and biosimilars thereof.

47. The composition of any one of Claims 33 to 46, further comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a chemotherapeutic regimen selected from the group consisting of (1) fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, and rituximab (FCR); (2) rituximab, cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, and prednisone (R-CHOP); and (3) bendamustine and rituximab (BR).

48. The composition of any one of Claims 33 to 47, further comprising a therapeutically effective amount of gemcitabine or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, cocrystal, hydrate, solvate, or prodrug thereof.

49. The composition of any one of Claims 33 to 48, further comprising a therapeutically effective amount of albumin-bound paclitaxel.

50. The composition of any one of Claims 33 to 49, further comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a PD-1 or PD-L1 inhibitor selected from the group consisting of nivolumab, pembrolizumab, pidilizumab, durvalumab, atezolizumab, avelumab, and antigen-binding fragments, variants, conjugates, or biosimilars thereof.

51. The composition of any one of Claims 33 to 50, for use in the treatment of cancer.

52. The composition of Claim 51, wherein the cancer is a B cell hematological malignancy.

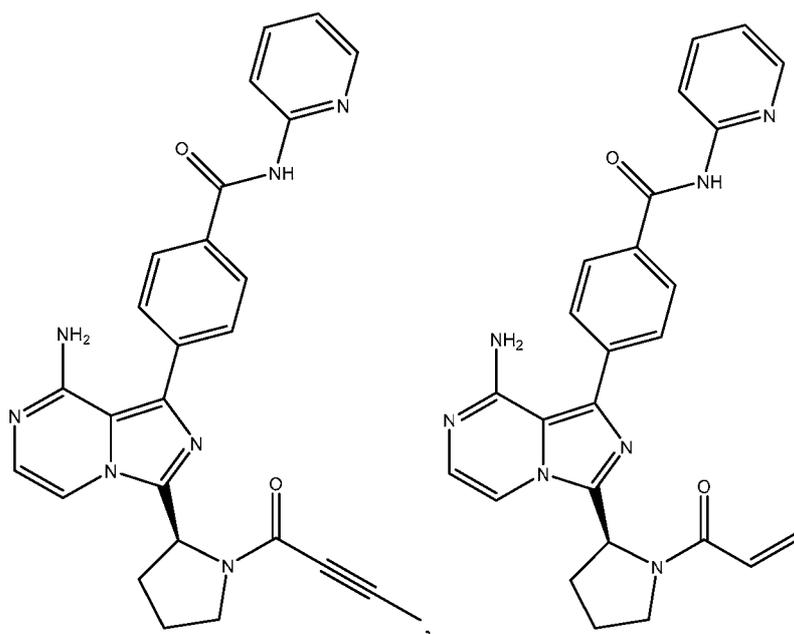
53. The composition of Claim 52, wherein the B cell hematological malignancy is selected

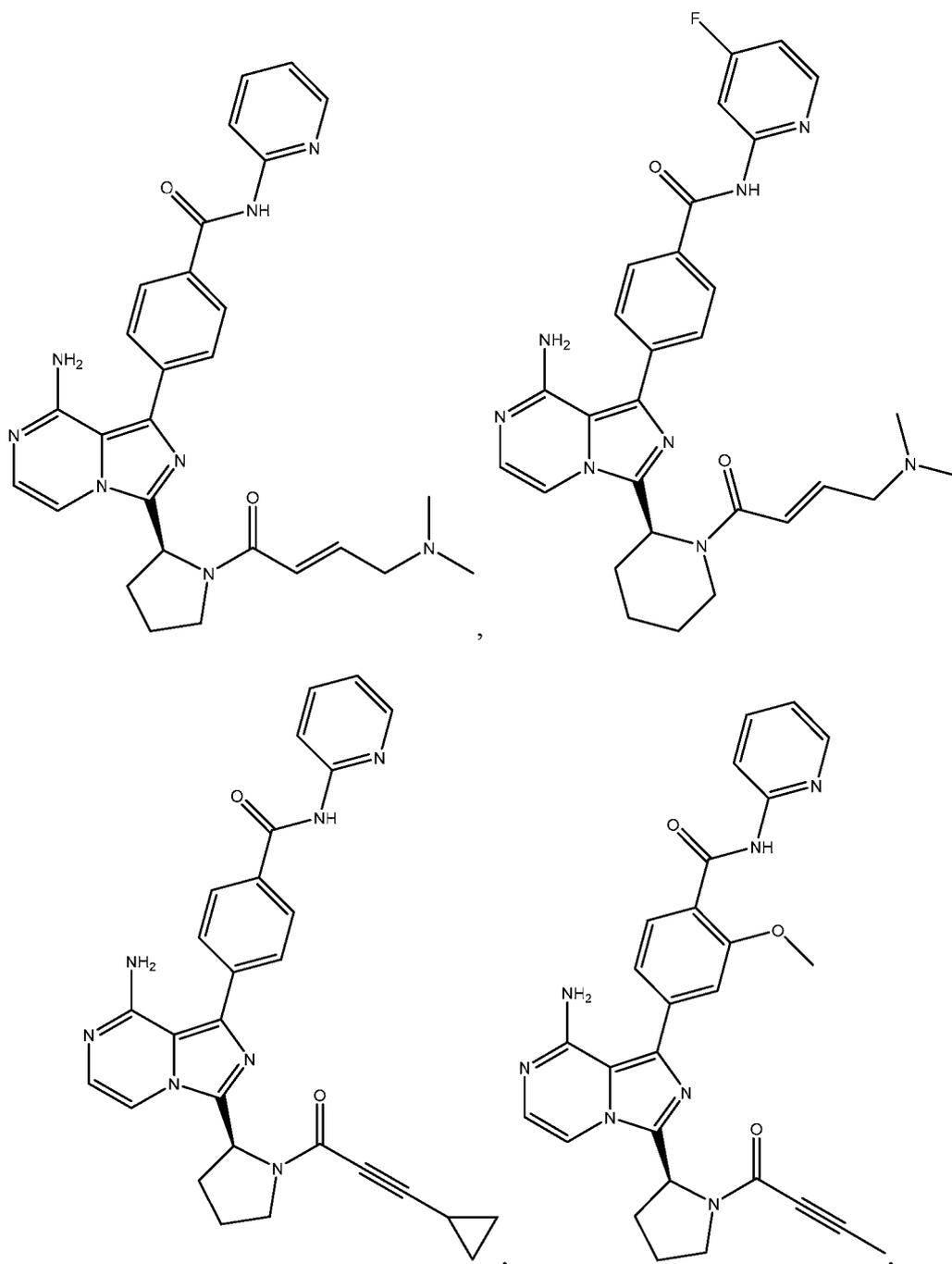
from the group consisting of chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL), small lymphocytic leukemia (SLL), non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (NHL), diffuse large B cell lymphoma (DLBCL), follicular lymphoma (FL), mantle cell lymphoma (MCL), Hodgkin's lymphoma, B cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia (B-ALL), Burkitt's lymphoma, Waldenstrom's macroglobulinemia (WM), Burkitt's lymphoma, multiple myeloma, or myelofibrosis.

54. The composition of Claim 51, wherein the cancer is a solid tumor cancer.

55. The composition of Claim 54, wherein the solid tumor cancer is selected from the group consisting of bladder cancer, non-small cell lung cancer, cervical cancer, anal cancer, pancreatic cancer, squamous cell carcinoma including head and neck cancer, renal cell carcinoma, melanoma, ovarian cancer, small cell lung cancer, glioblastoma, gastrointestinal stromal tumor, breast cancer, lung cancer, colorectal cancer, thyroid cancer, bone sarcoma, stomach cancer, oral cavity cancer, oropharyngeal cancer, gastric cancer, kidney cancer, liver cancer, prostate cancer, esophageal cancer, testicular cancer, gynecological cancer, colon cancer, and brain cancer.

56. A composition comprising (1) a therapeutically effective amount of a CD19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof, and (2) a therapeutically effective amount of a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof, wherein the BTK inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of:





and pharmaceutically-acceptable salts, cocrystals, hydrates, solvates, and prodrugs thereof, for use in the treatment of a cancer in a human intolerant to a bleeding event.

57. The composition of Claim 56, wherein the bleeding event is selected from the group consisting of subdural hematoma, gastrointestinal bleeding, hematuria, post-procedural hemorrhage, bruising, petechiae, and combinations thereof.

58. The composition of any one of Claims 56 to 57, wherein the CD19 inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of blinatumomab, coltuximab ravtansine, denintuzumab mafodotin, and an anti-CD 19 chimeric antigen receptor, and antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, and biosimilars thereof.

59. The composition of any one of Claims 56 to 57, further comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a chemotherapeutic regimen selected from the group consisting of (1) fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, and rituximab (FCR); (2) rituximab, cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, and prednisone (R-CHOP); and (3) bendamustine and rituximab.

60. The composition of any one of Claims 56 to 59, further comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a PD-1 or PD-L1 inhibitor selected from the group consisting of nivolumab, pembrolizumab, pidilizumab, durvalumab, atezolizumab, avelumab, and antigen-binding fragments, variants, conjugates, or biosimilars thereof.

61. The composition of any one of Claims 56 to 60, further comprising a therapeutically effective amount of an anticoagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient.

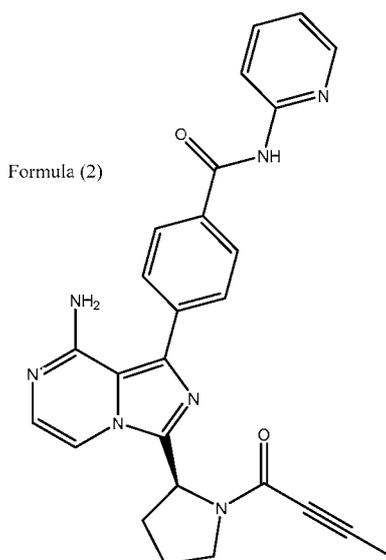
62. The composition of Claim 61, wherein the anticoagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient is selected from the group consisting of acenocoumarol, anagrelide, anagrelide hydrochloride, abciximab, aloxiprin, antithrombin, apixaban, argatroban, aspirin, aspirin with extended-release dipyridamole, beraprost, betrixaban, bivalirudin, carbasalate calcium, cilostazol, clopidogrel, clopidogrel bisulfate, cloricromen, dabigatran etexilate, darexaban, dalteparin, dalteparin sodium, defibrotide, dicumarol, diphenadione, dipyridamole, ditazole, desirudin, edoxaban, enoxaparin, enoxaparin sodium, eptifibatide, fondaparinux, fondaparinux sodium, heparin, heparin sodium, heparin calcium, idraparinux, idraparinux sodium, iloprost, indobufen, lepirudin, low molecular weight heparin, melagatran, nadroparin, otamixaban, parnaparin, phenindione, phenprocoumon, prasugrel, picotamide, prostacyclin, ramatroban, reviparin, rivaroxaban, sulodexide, terutroban, terutroban sodium, ticagrelor, ticlopidine, ticlopidine hydrochloride, tinzaparin, tinzaparin sodium, tirofiban, tirofiban hydrochloride, treprostinil, treprostinil sodium, triflusal, vorapaxar, warfarin, warfarin sodium, ximelagatran, salts thereof, solvates thereof, hydrates thereof, and combinations thereof.

63. The composition of any one of Claims 56 to 62, wherein the cancer is selected from the group consisting of bladder cancer, squamous cell carcinoma including pancreatic ductal

adenocarcinoma (PDA), pancreatic cancer, colon carcinoma, mammary carcinoma, breast cancer, fibrosarcoma, mesothelioma, renal cell carcinoma, lung carcinoma, thymoma, prostate cancer, colorectal cancer, ovarian cancer, acute myeloid leukemia, thymus cancer, brain cancer, squamous cell cancer, skin cancer, eye cancer, retinoblastoma, melanoma, intraocular melanoma, oral cavity and oropharyngeal cancers, gastric cancer, stomach cancer, cervical cancer, head and neck cancer, renal cancer, kidney cancer, liver cancer, ovarian cancer, esophageal cancer, testicular cancer, gynecological cancer, thyroid cancer, acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS)-related cancers (e.g., lymphoma and Kaposi's sarcoma), viral-induced cancer, glioblastoma, esophageal tumors, hematological neoplasms, non-small-cell lung cancer, chronic myelocytic leukemia, diffuse large B-cell lymphoma, esophagus tumor, follicle center lymphoma, head and neck tumor, hepatitis C virus infection, hepatocellular carcinoma, Hodgkin's disease, metastatic colon cancer, multiple myeloma, non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, indolent non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, ovary tumor, pancreas tumor, renal cell carcinoma, small-cell lung cancer, stage IV melanoma, chronic lymphocytic leukemia, B-cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), mature B-cell ALL, follicular lymphoma, mantle cell lymphoma, and Burkitt's lymphoma.

64. A CD19 inhibitor in combination with a BTK inhibitor for use in treating a hyperproliferative disorder.
65. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a CD19 inhibitor in combination with a BTK inhibitor and at least one pharmaceutically acceptable excipient.
66. The pharmaceutical composition of Claim 65, for use in treating a hyperproliferative disorder.
67. A kit comprising a pharmaceutical composition comprising a CD19 inhibitor and a pharmaceutical composition comprising a BTK inhibitor, for co-administration of the CD19 inhibitor and the BTK inhibitor, either simultaneously or separately.
68. The kit of Claim 67, for use in treating a hyperproliferative disorder.
69. A combination comprising (1) a CD19 inhibitor or an antigen-binding fragment, conjugate, variant, or biosimilar thereof; and (2) a BTK inhibitor or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof.

70. A combination according to Claim 69, further comprising an anti-coagulant or antiplatelet active pharmaceutical ingredient.
71. A combination according to any one of Claims 69 to 70, further comprising a chemotherapeutic regimen selected from the group consisting of (1) fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, and rituximab (FCR); (2) rituximab, cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, and prednisone (R-CHOP); and (3) bendamustine and rituximab.
72. A combination according to any one of Claims 69 to 71, further comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a PD-1 or PD-L1 inhibitor selected from the group consisting of nivolumab, pembrolizumab, pidilizumab, durvalumab, atezolizumab, avelumab, and antigen-binding fragments, variants, conjugates, or biosimilars thereof.
73. A combination according to any one of Claims 69 to 72, wherein the BTK inhibitor is a compound of Formula (2):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, hydrate, cocrystal, or prodrug thereof.

74. A combination according to any one of Claims 69 to 73, wherein the CD19 inhibitor is selected from the group consisting of blinatumomab, coltuximab ravtansine, denintuzumab mafodotin, and an anti-CD19 chimeric antigen receptor, and antigen-binding fragments, conjugates, variants, and biosimilars thereof.
75. A combination according to any one of Claims 69 to 74 for use in the treatment of hyperproliferative disease such as cancer.

76. A combination according to any one of Claims 69 to 75 for use in the treatment of a cancer selected from the group consisting of bladder cancer, squamous cell carcinoma including head and neck cancer, pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma (PDA), pancreatic cancer, colon carcinoma, mammary carcinoma, breast cancer, fibrosarcoma, mesothelioma, renal cell carcinoma, lung carcinoma, thyoma, prostate cancer, colorectal cancer, ovarian cancer, acute myeloid leukemia, thymus cancer, brain cancer, squamous cell cancer, skin cancer, eye cancer, retinoblastoma, melanoma, intraocular melanoma, oral cavity and oropharyngeal cancers, gastric cancer, stomach cancer, cervical cancer, head, neck, renal cancer, kidney cancer, liver cancer, ovarian cancer, prostate cancer, colorectal cancer, esophageal cancer, testicular cancer, gynecological cancer, thyroid cancer, acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS)-related cancers (e.g., lymphoma and Kaposi's sarcoma), viral-induced cancer, glioblastoma, esophageal tumors, hematological neoplasms, non-small-cell lung cancer, chronic myelocytic leukemia, diffuse large B-cell lymphoma, esophagus tumor, follicle center lymphoma, head and neck tumor, hepatitis C virus infection, hepatocellular carcinoma, Hodgkin's disease, metastatic colon cancer, multiple myeloma, non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, indolent non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, ovary tumor, pancreas tumor, renal cell carcinoma, small-cell lung cancer, stage IV melanoma, chronic lymphocytic leukemia, B-cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), mature B-cell ALL, follicular lymphoma, mantle cell lymphoma, and Burkitt's lymphoma.

77. A combination according to any one of Claims 69 to 76 for use in the treatment of:
solid tumor cancer selected from the group consisting of breast, lung, colorectal, thyroid, bone sarcoma and stomach cancers;
leukemia selected from the group consisting of acute myelogenous leukemia (AML), chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), and acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL); and/or
lymphoma is follicular lymphoma, mantle cell lymphoma, diffuse large B cell lymphoma (DLBCL), B cell chronic lymphocytic leukemia, or Burkitt's lymphoma.

78. Use of a combination according to any one of Claims 69 to 77 as a research tool in the discovery and/or development of a pharmaceutical product.

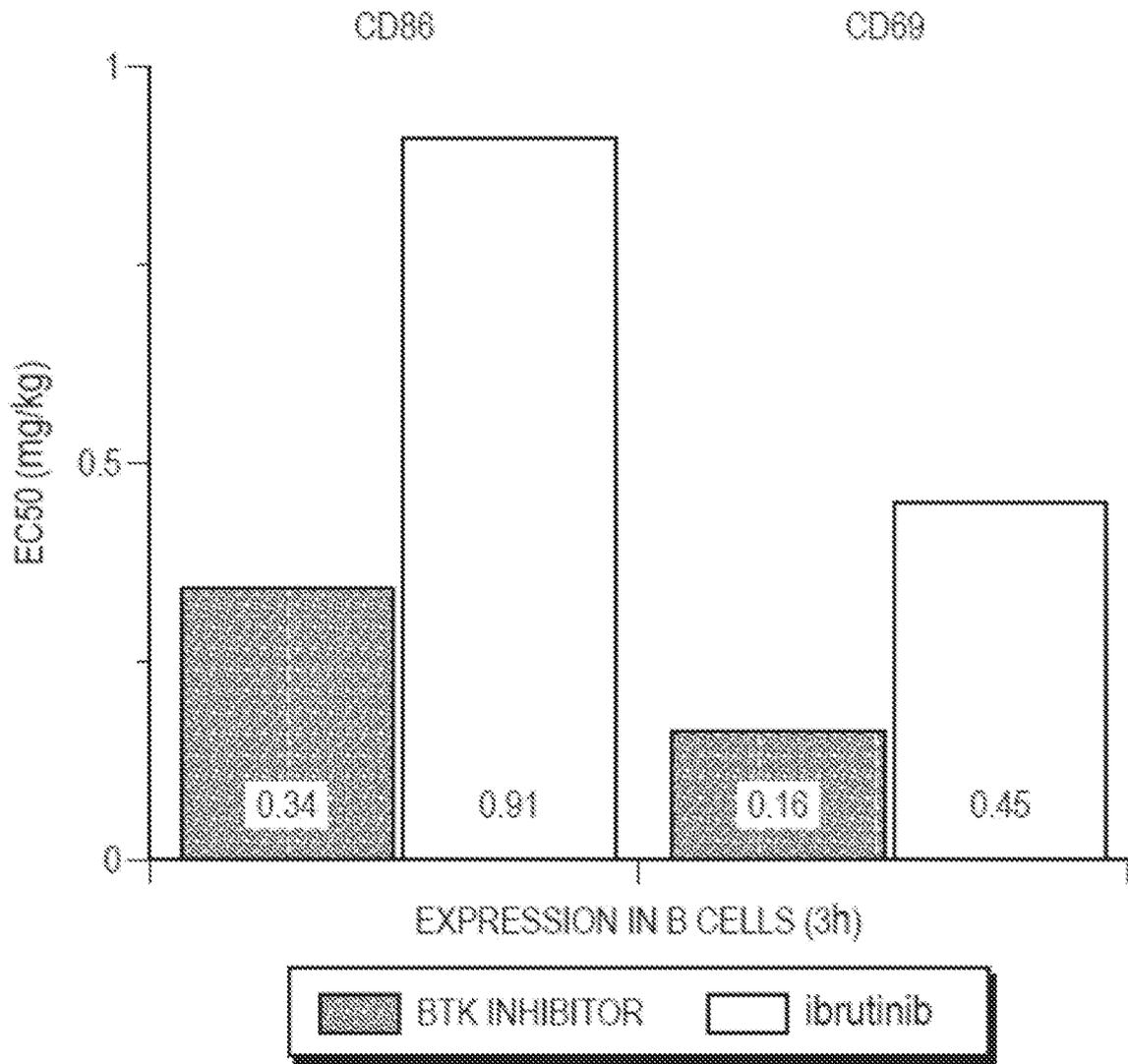


FIG. 1

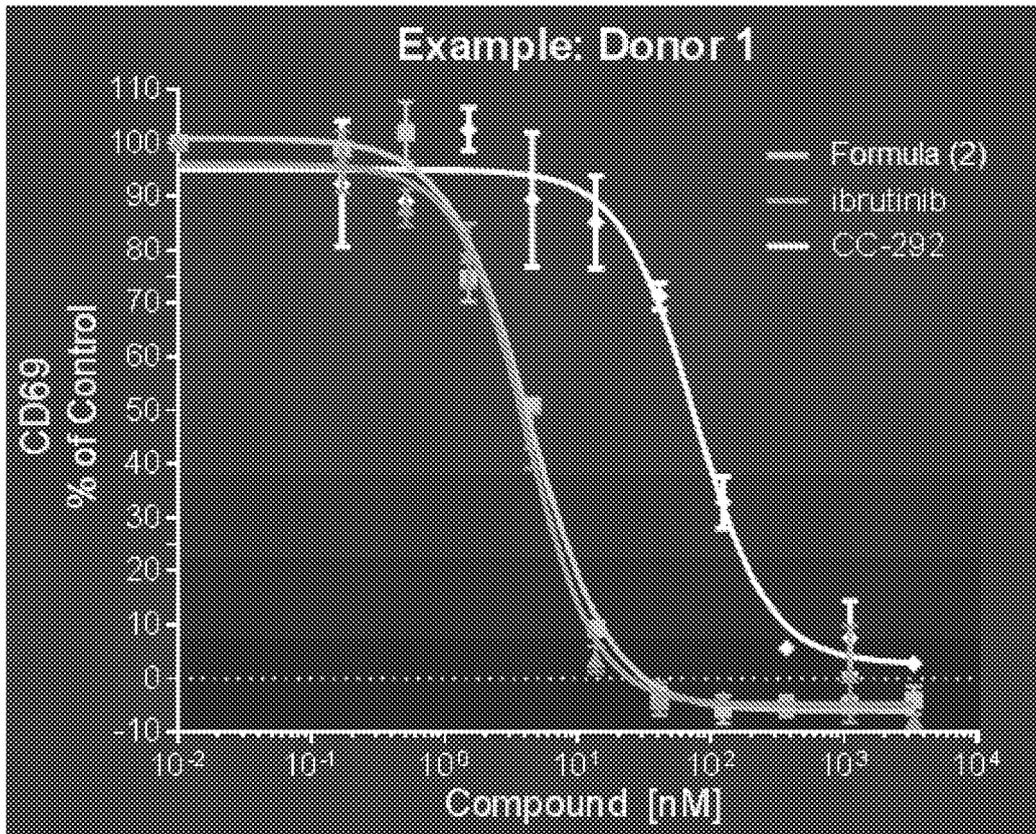


FIG. 2

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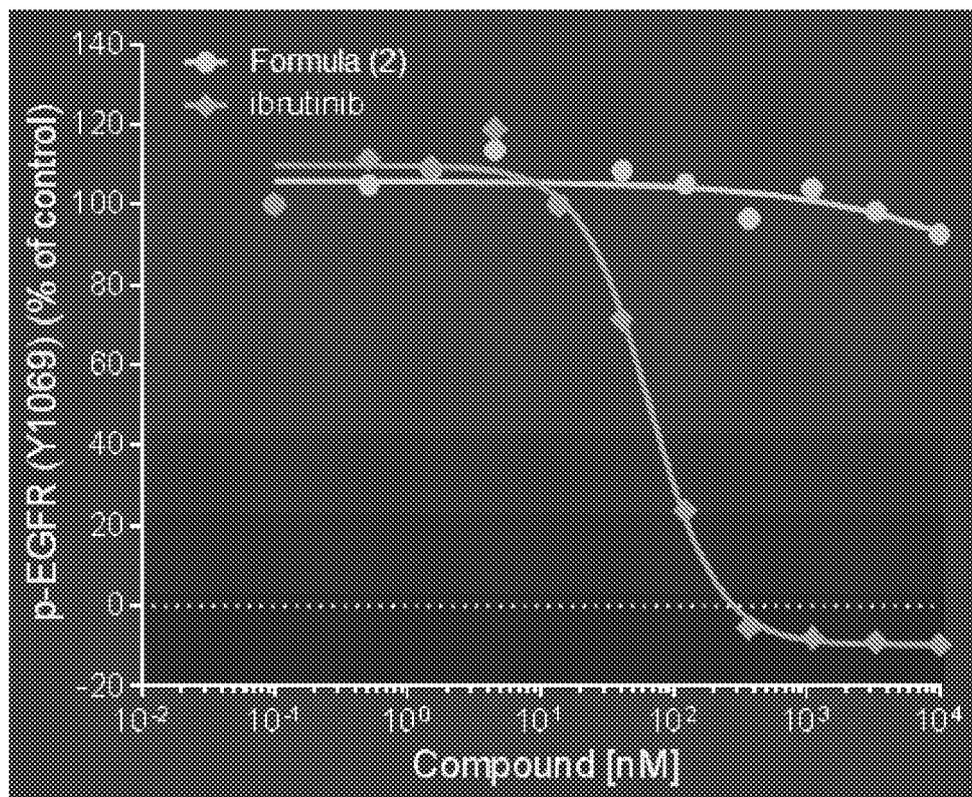


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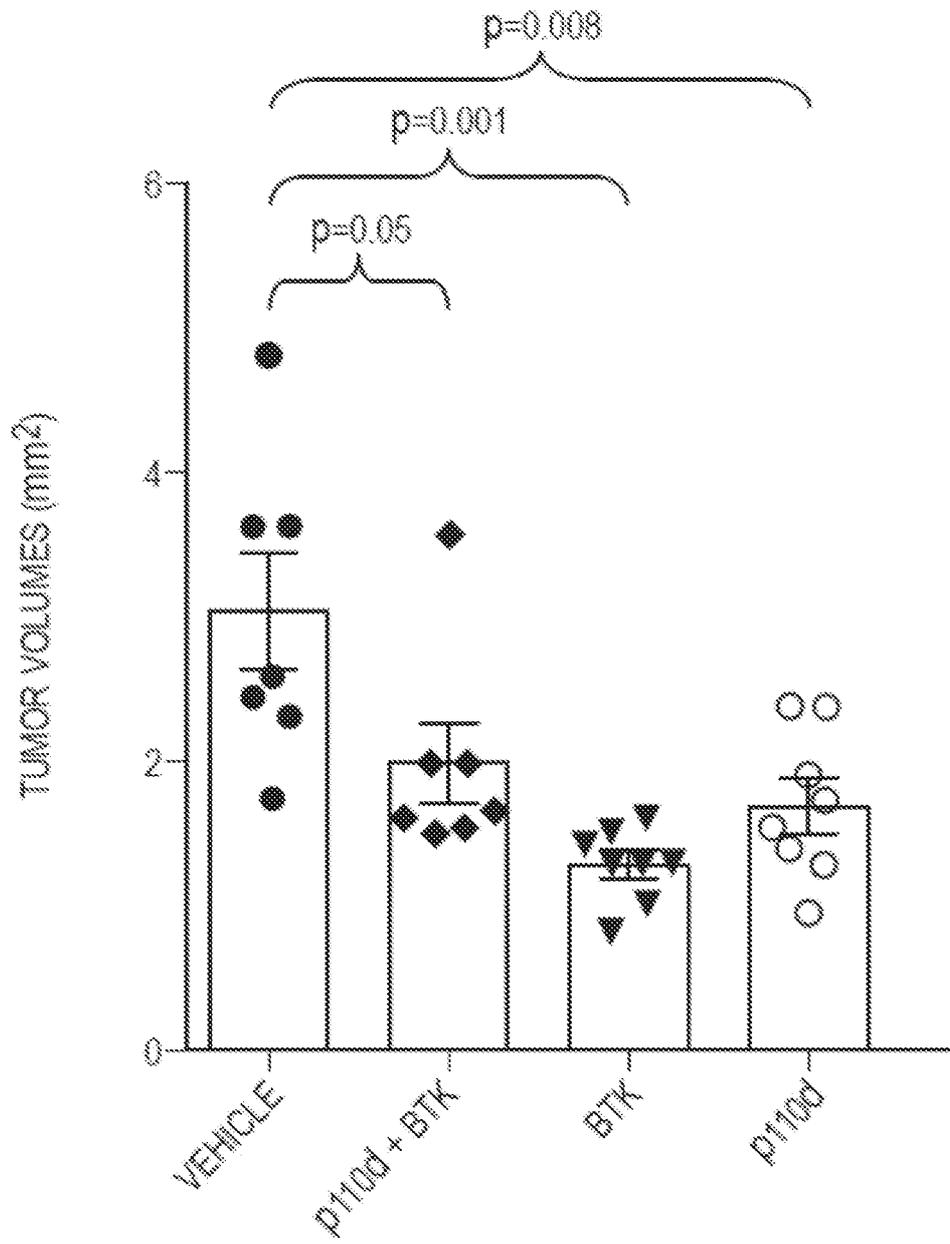


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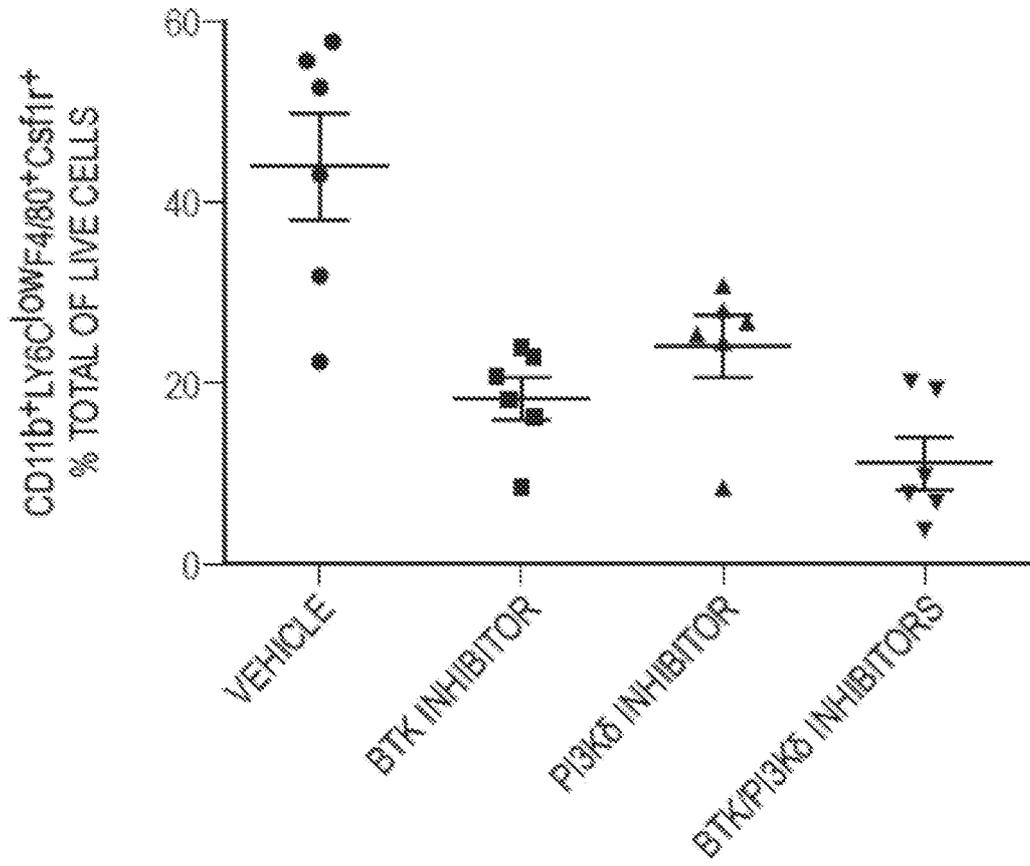


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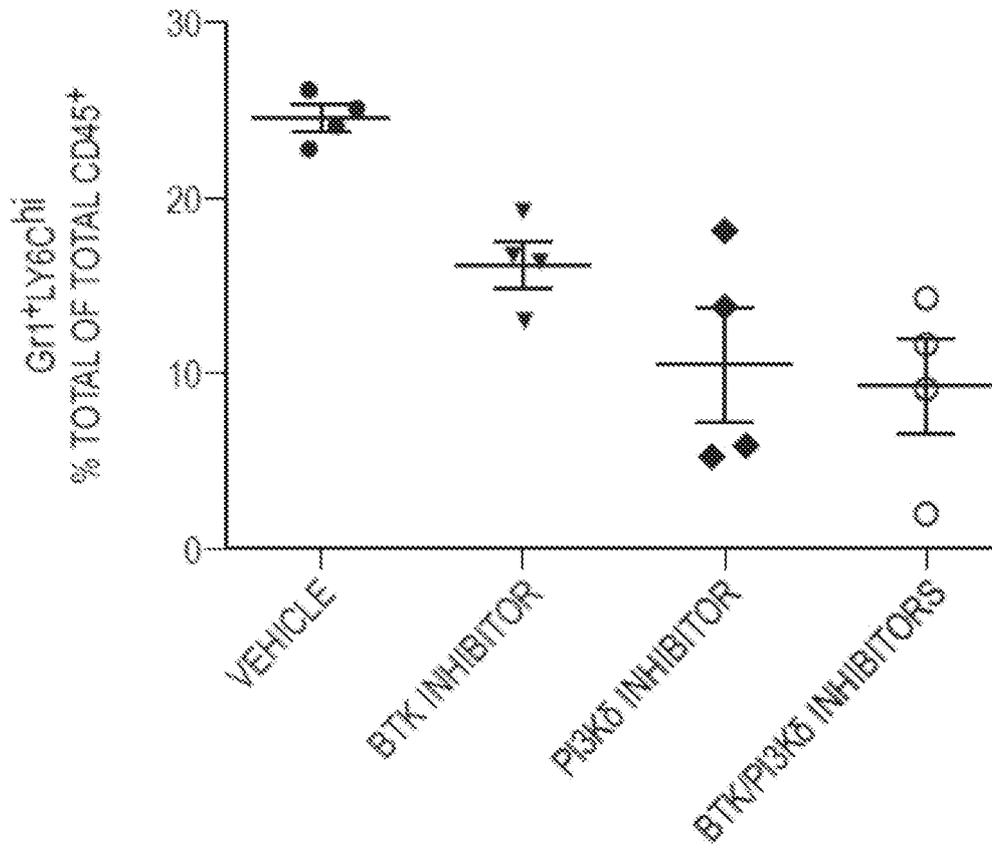


FIG. 6

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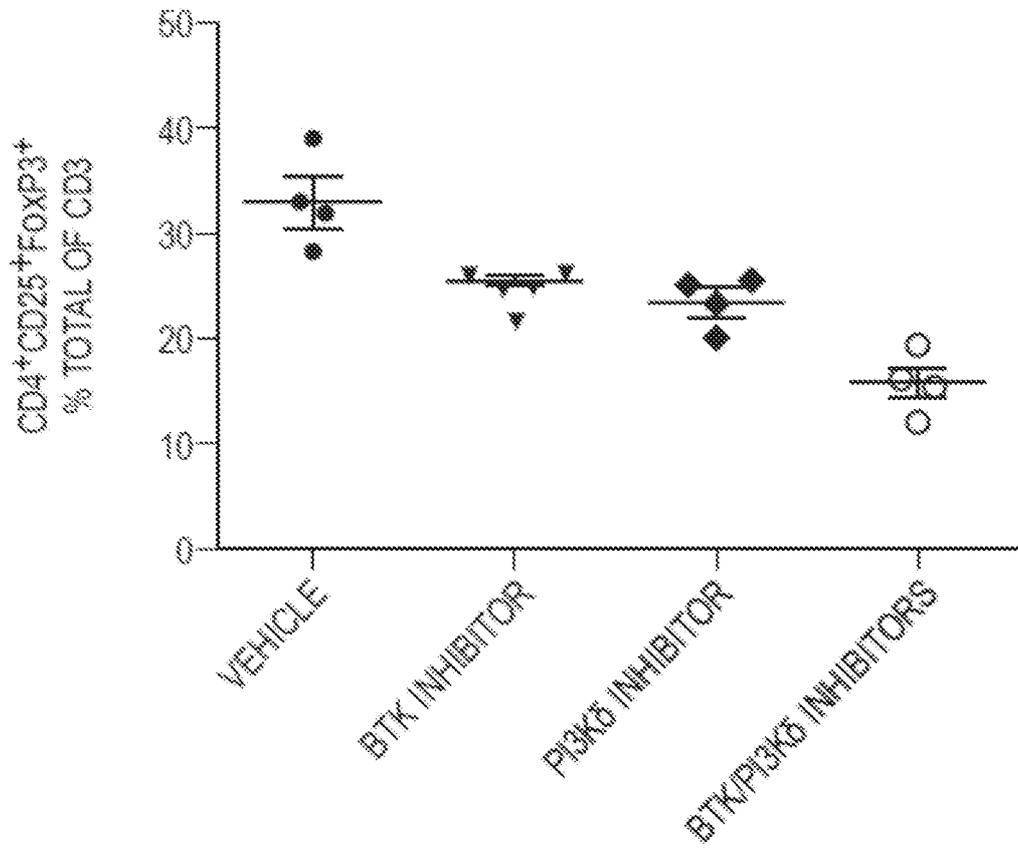


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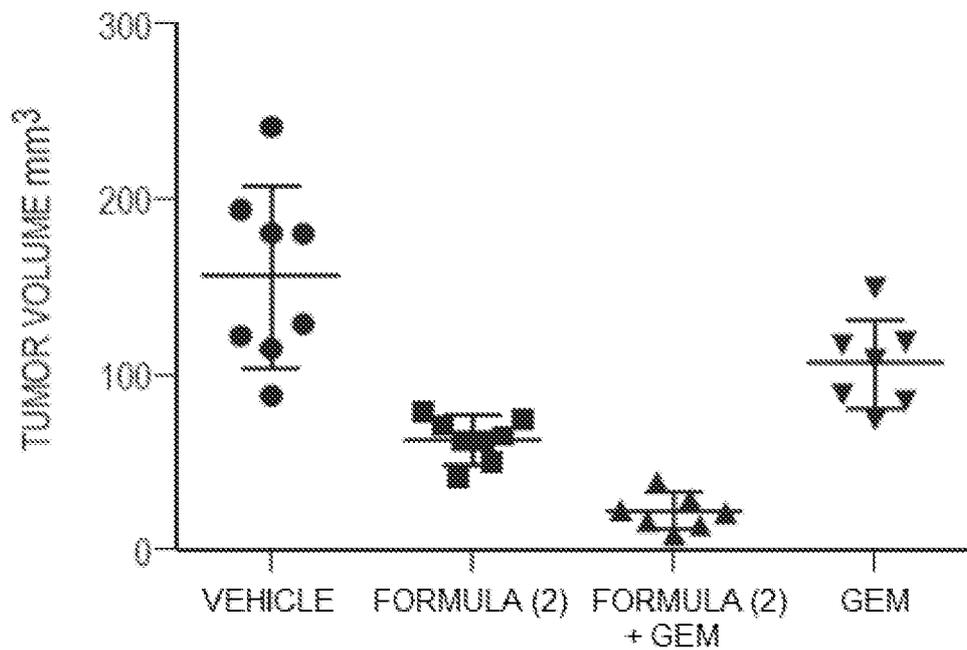


FIG. 8

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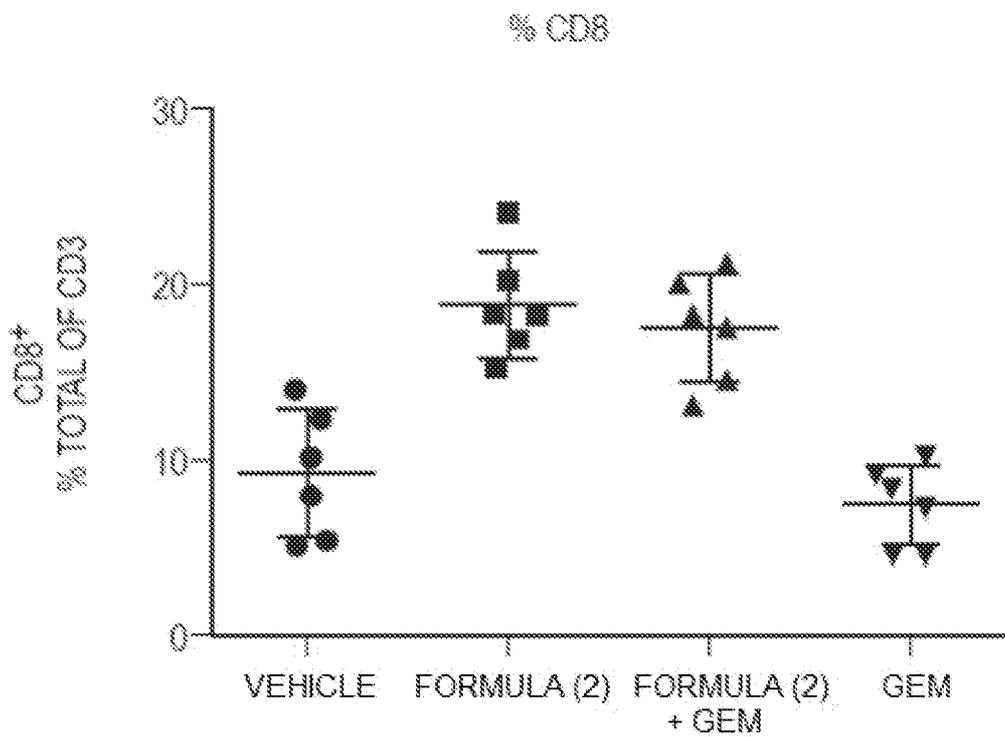


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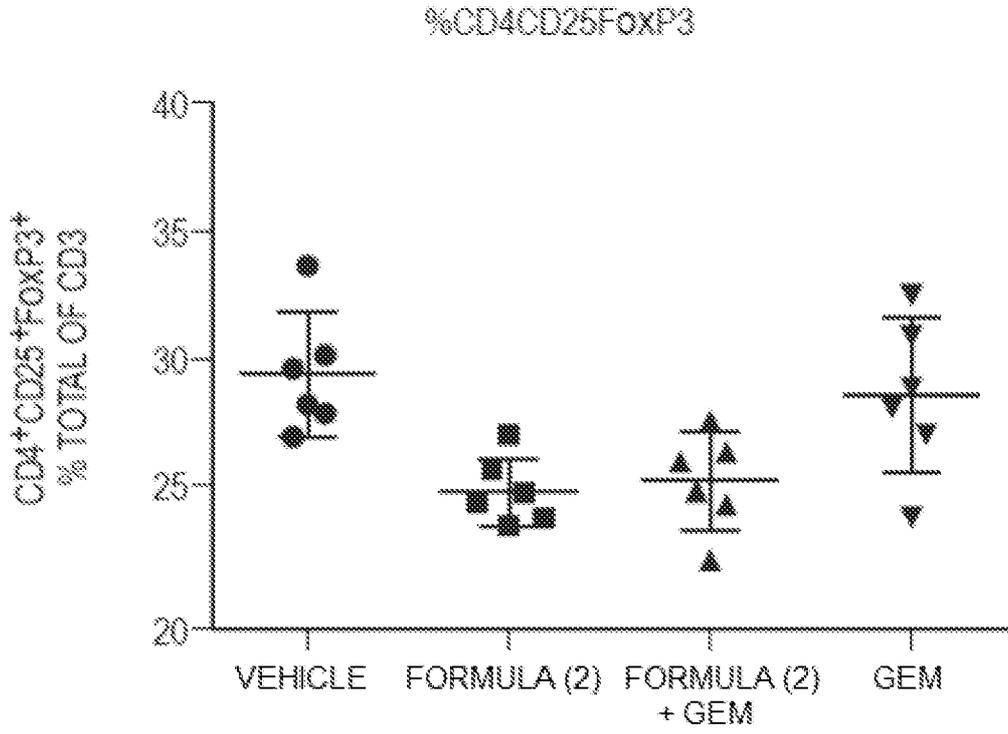


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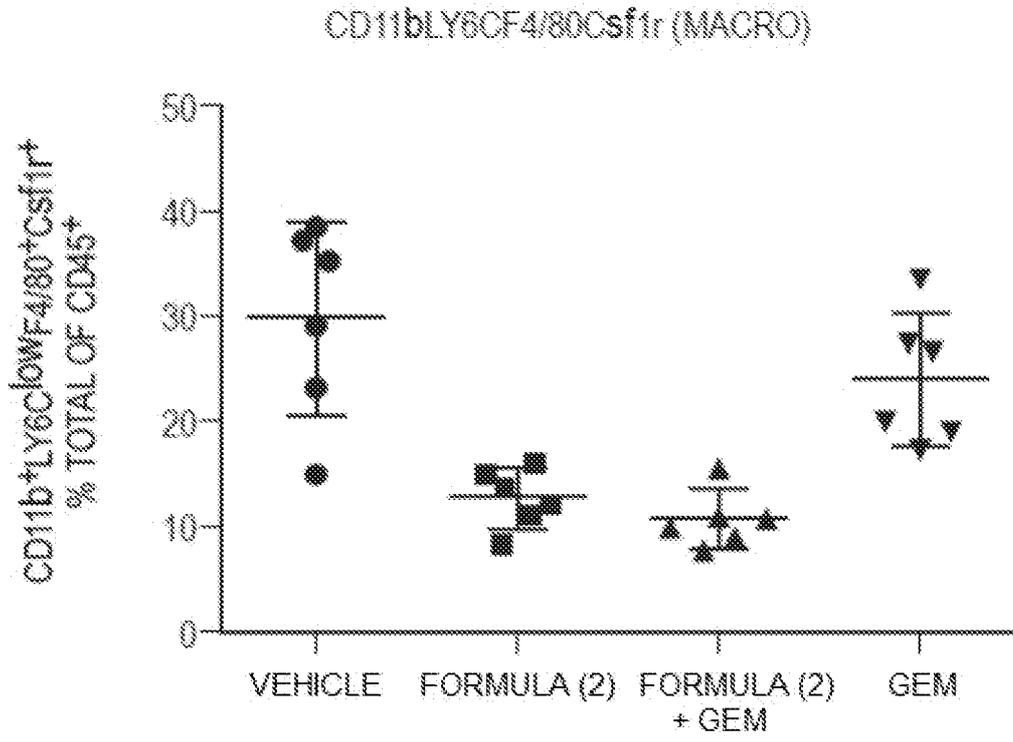


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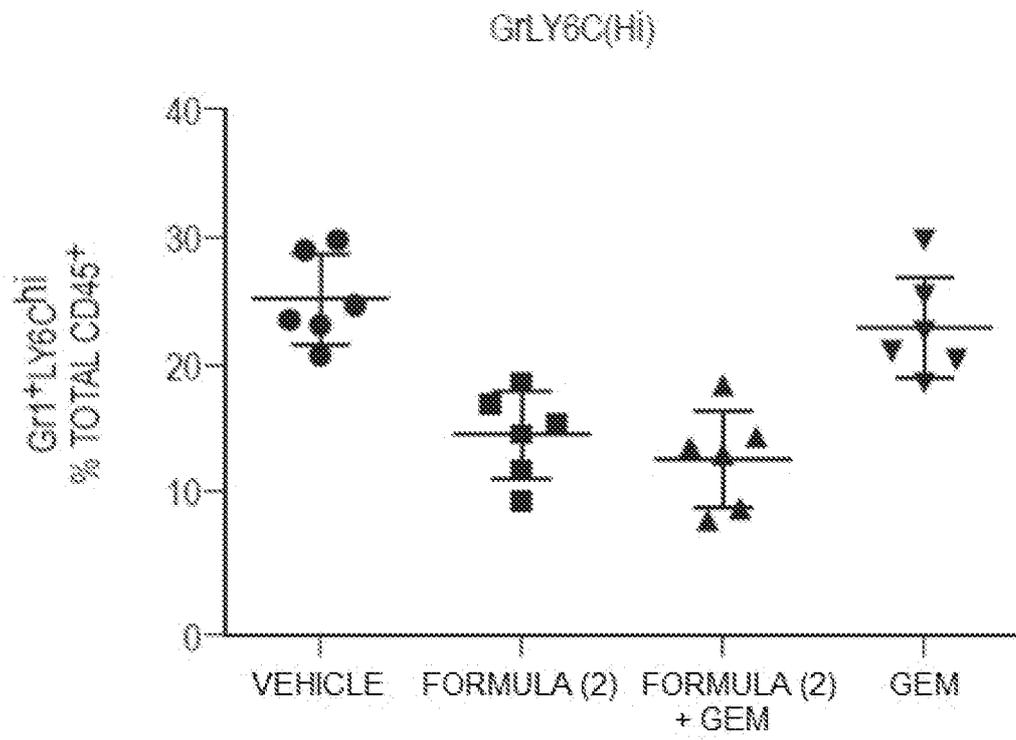


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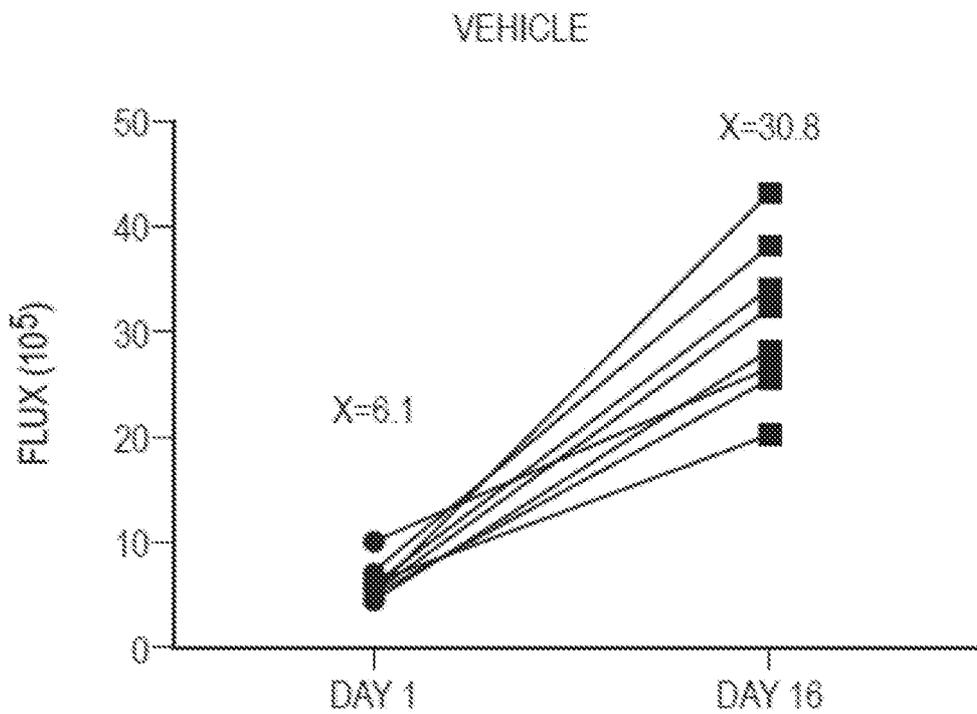


FIG. 13

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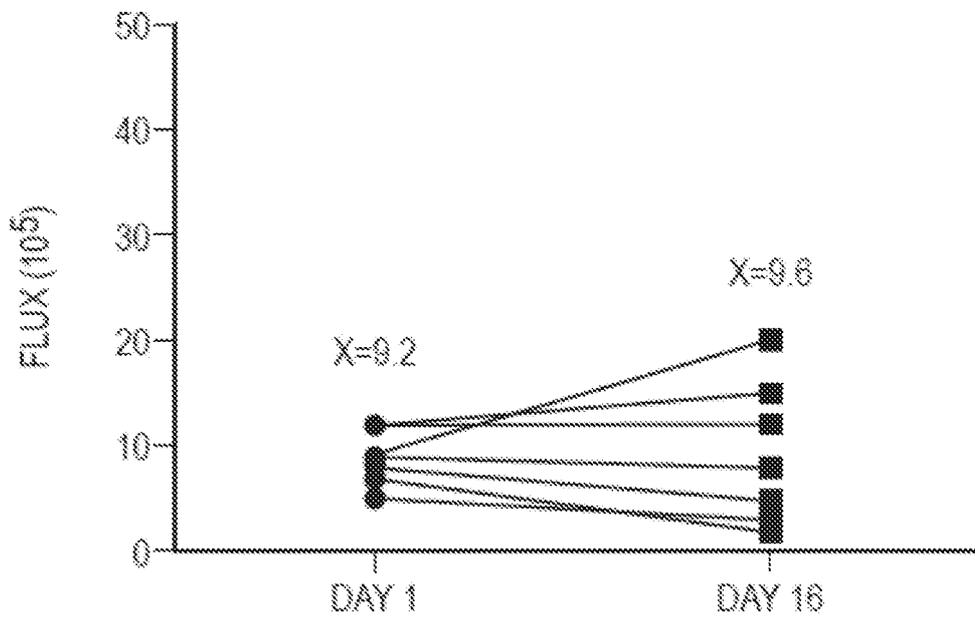


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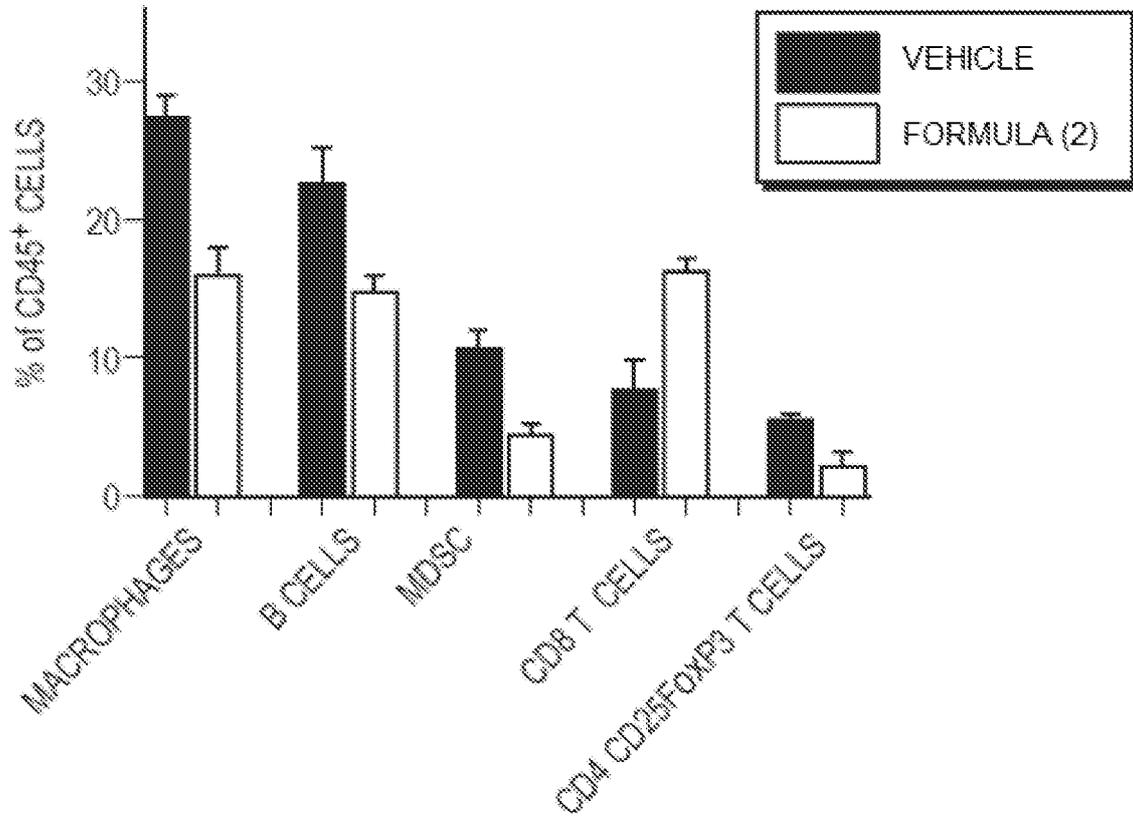


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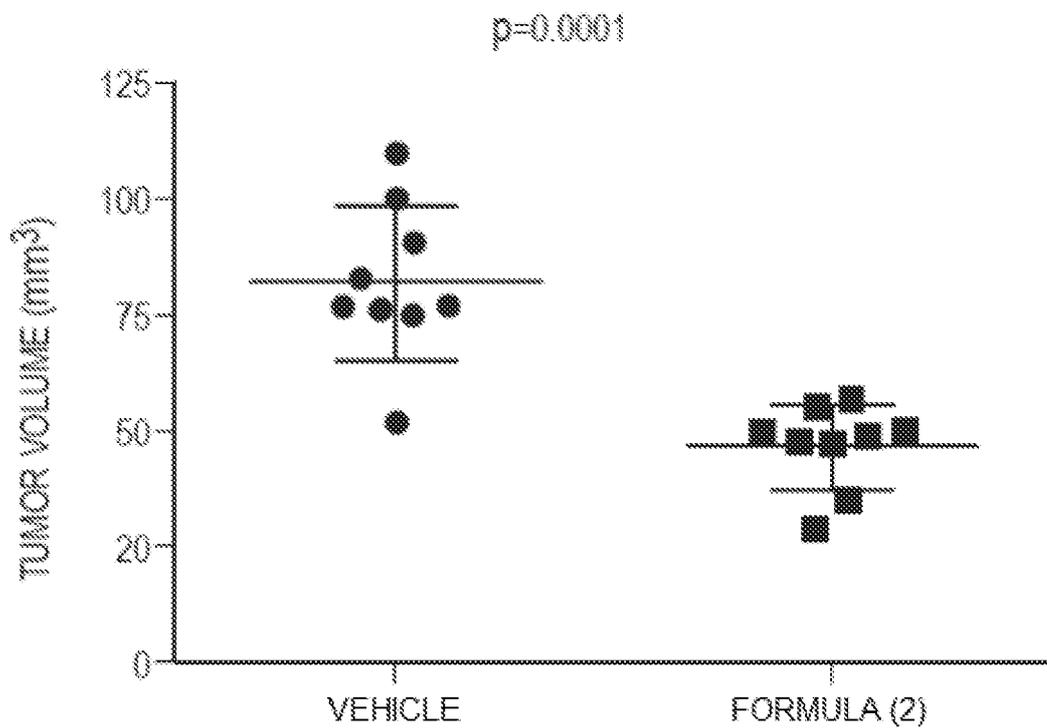


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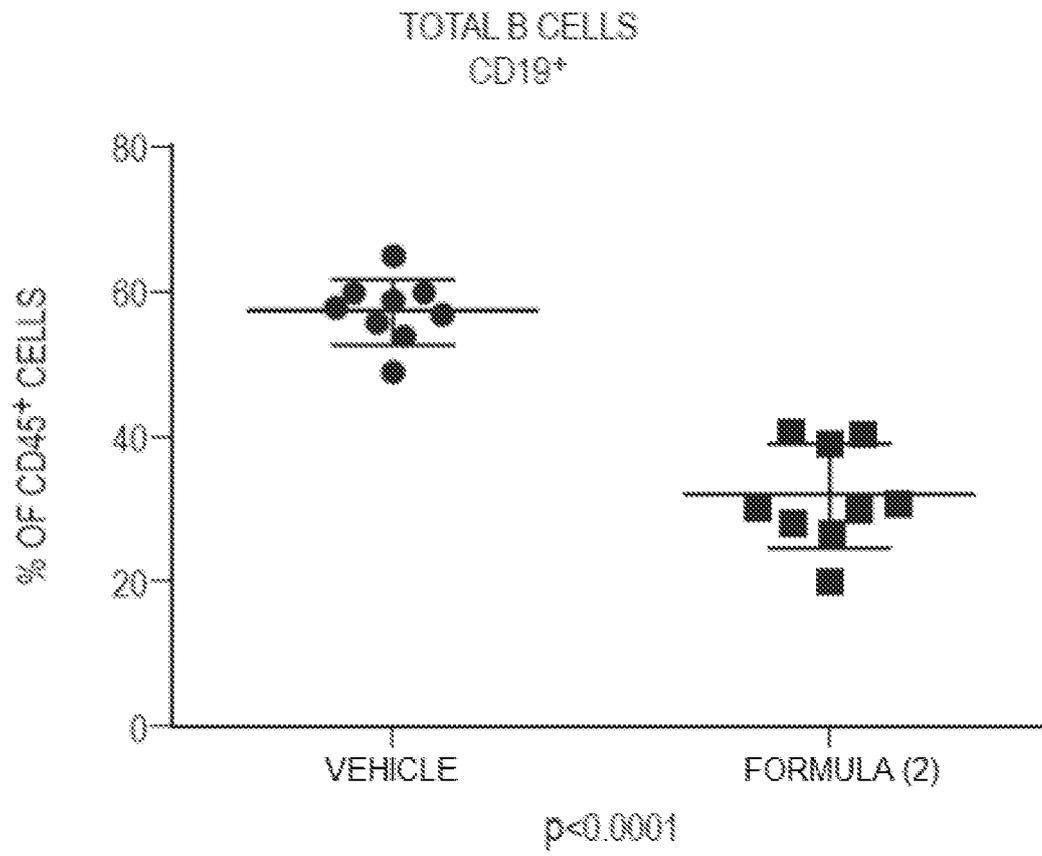


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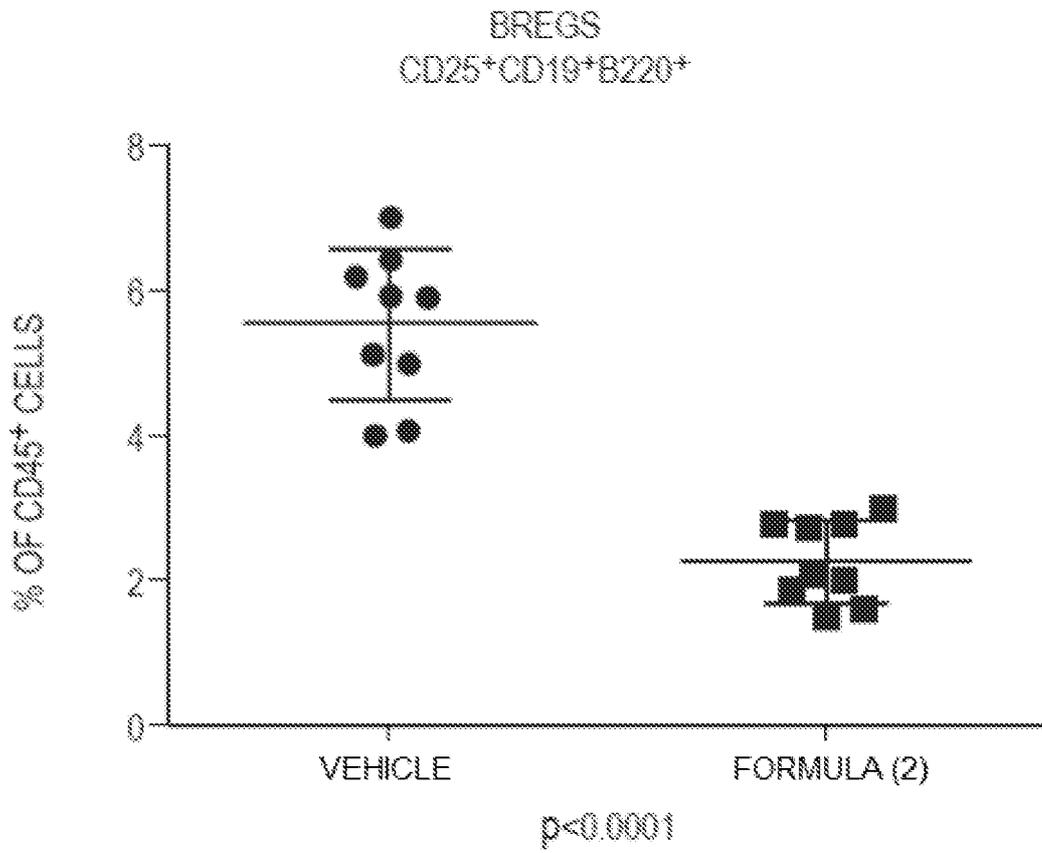


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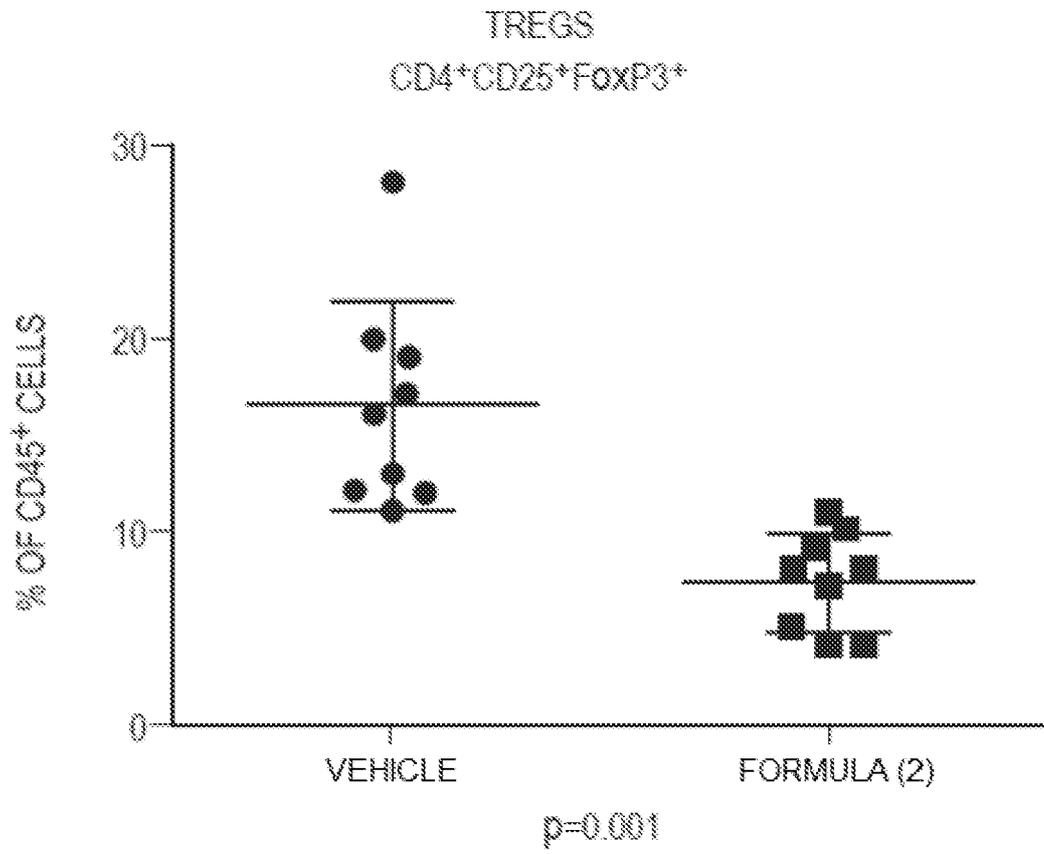


FIG. 19

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CD8⁺

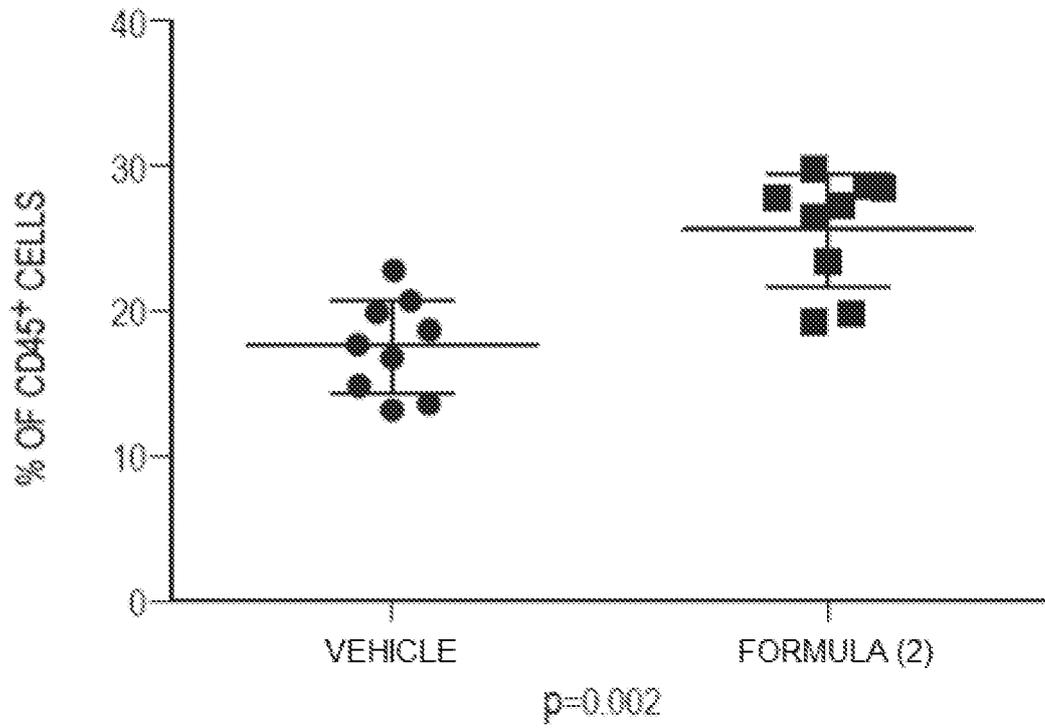


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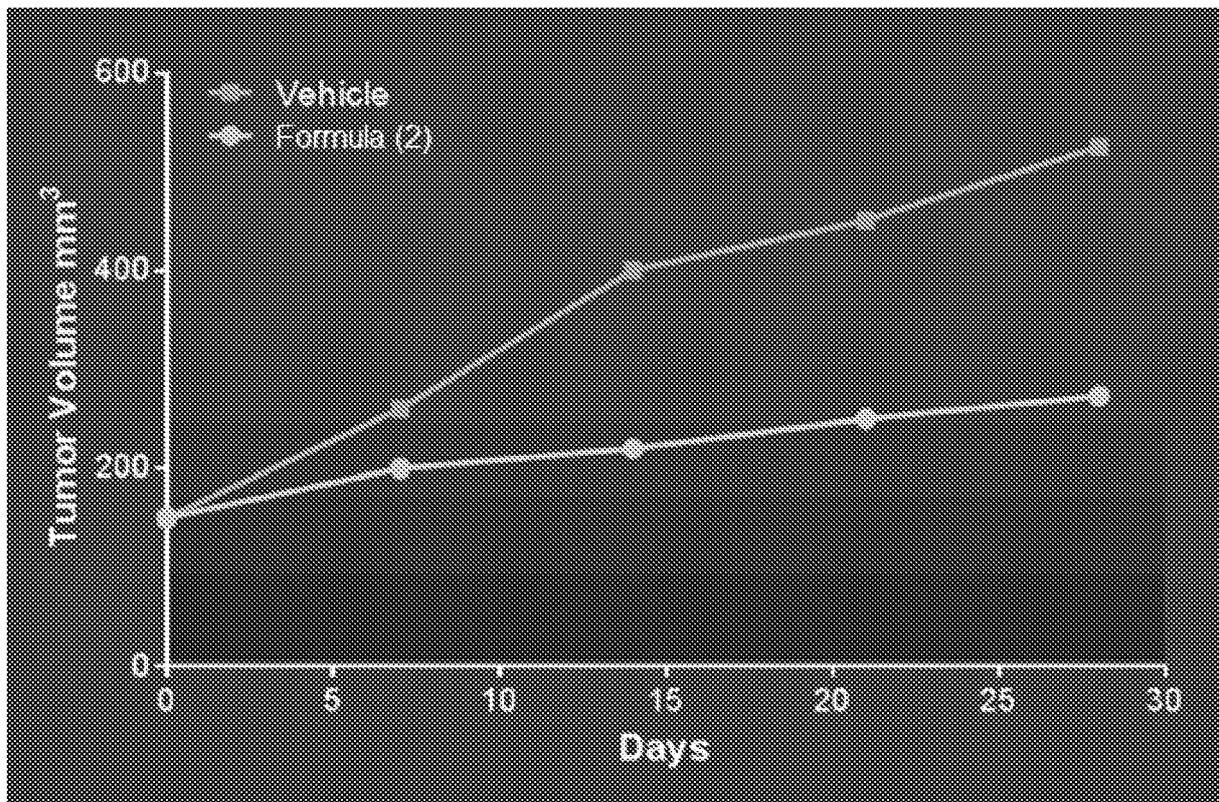


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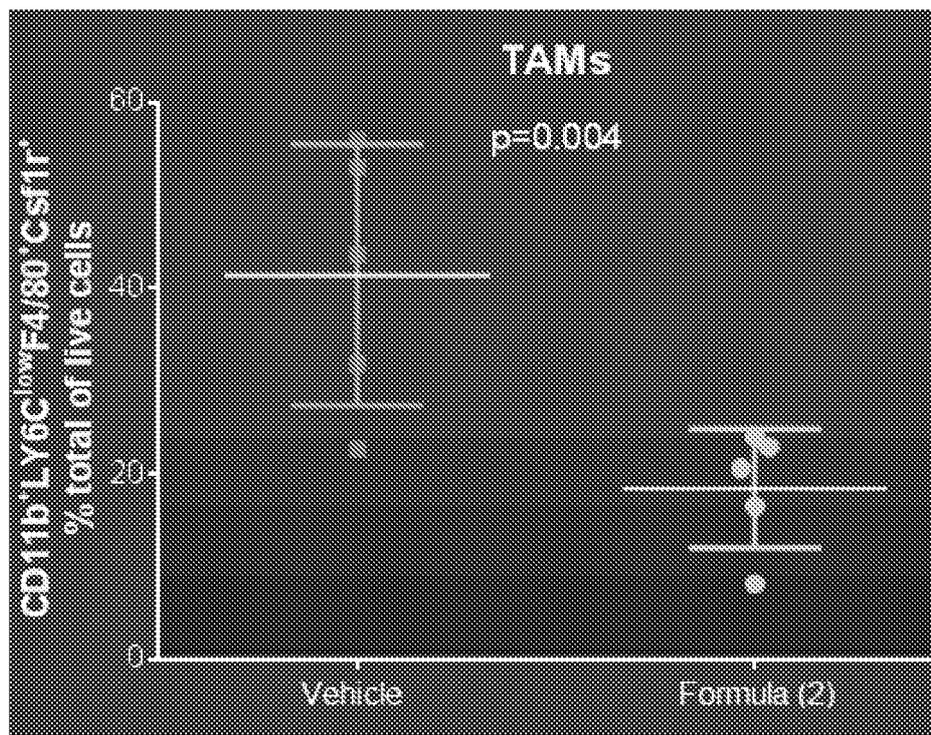


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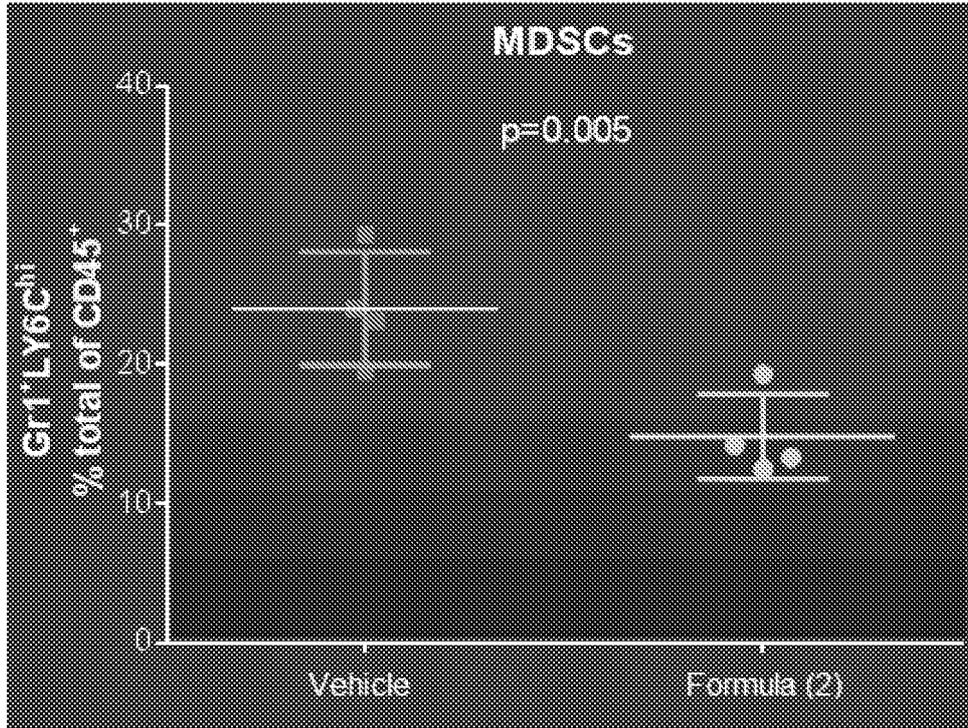


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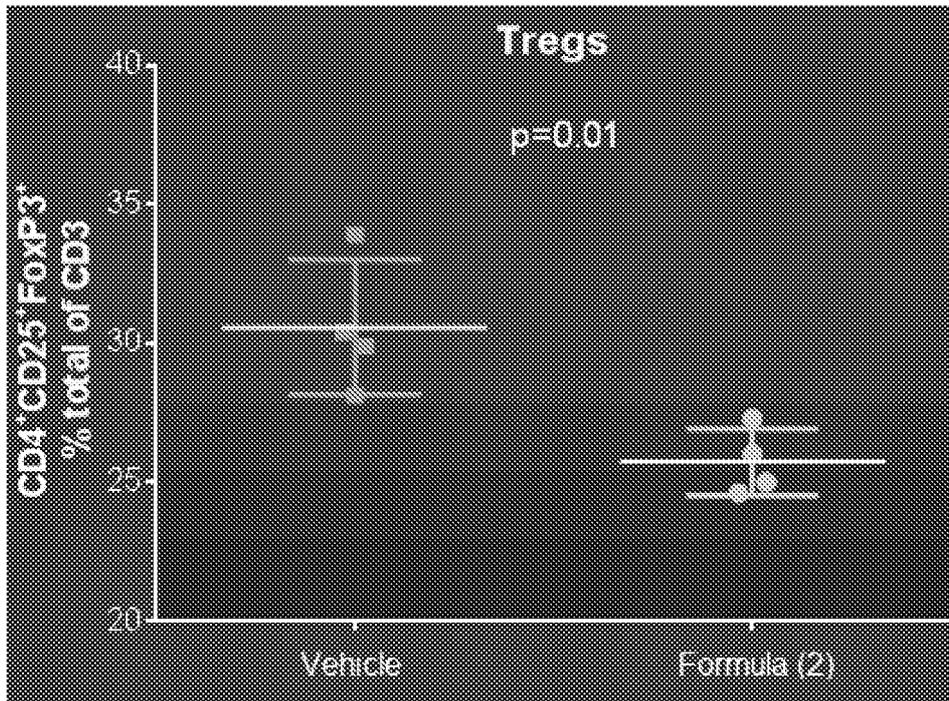


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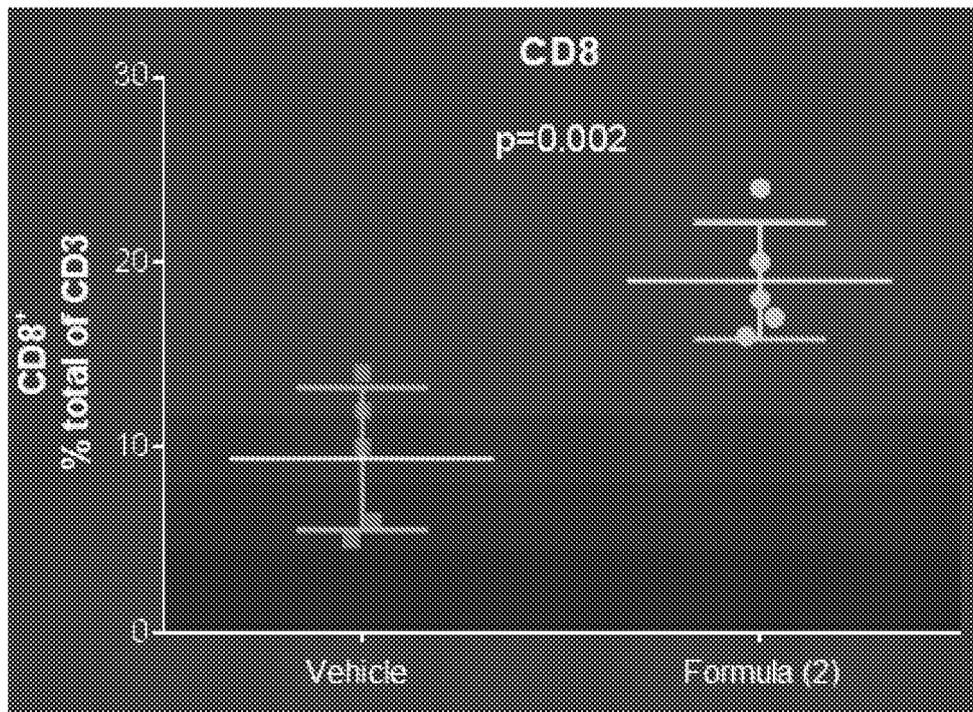


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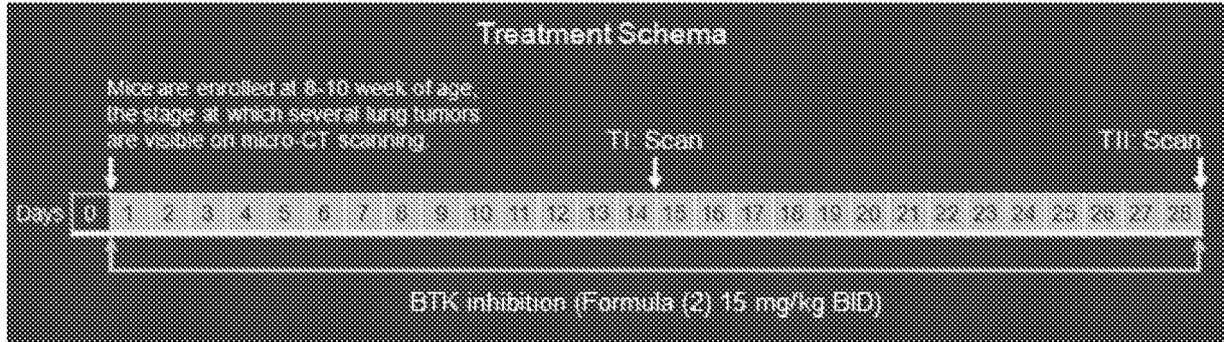


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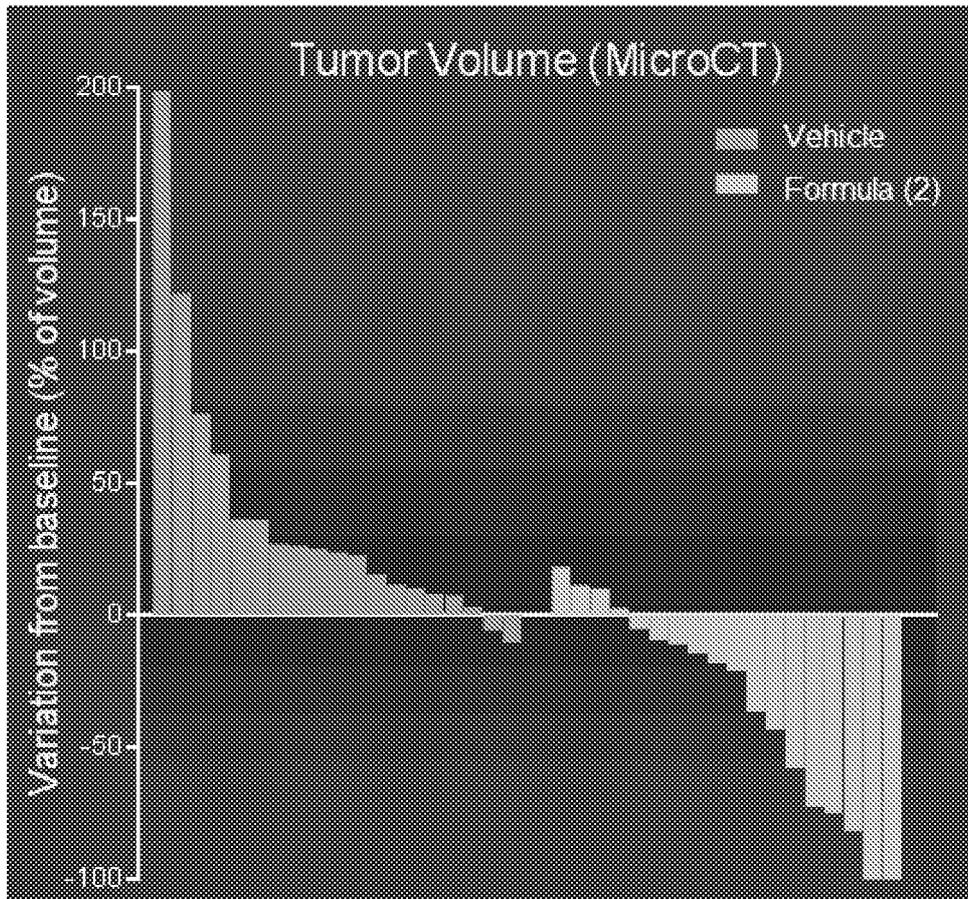


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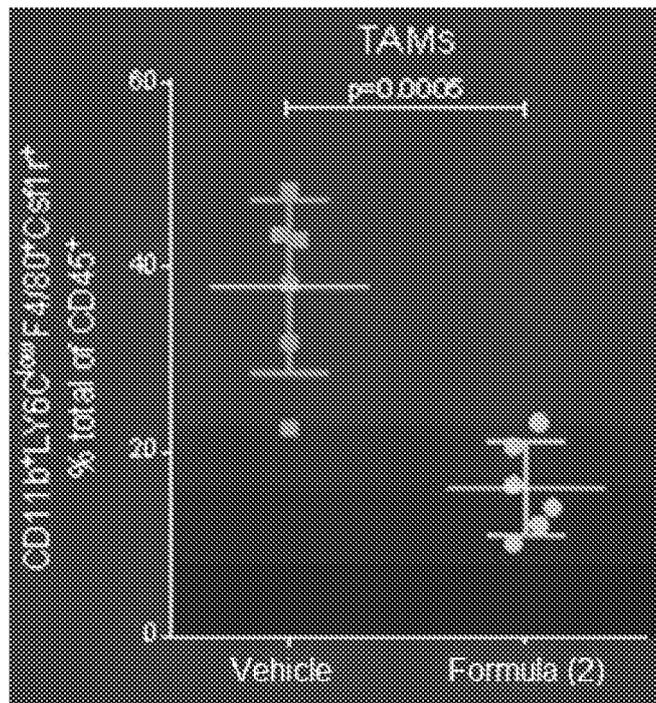


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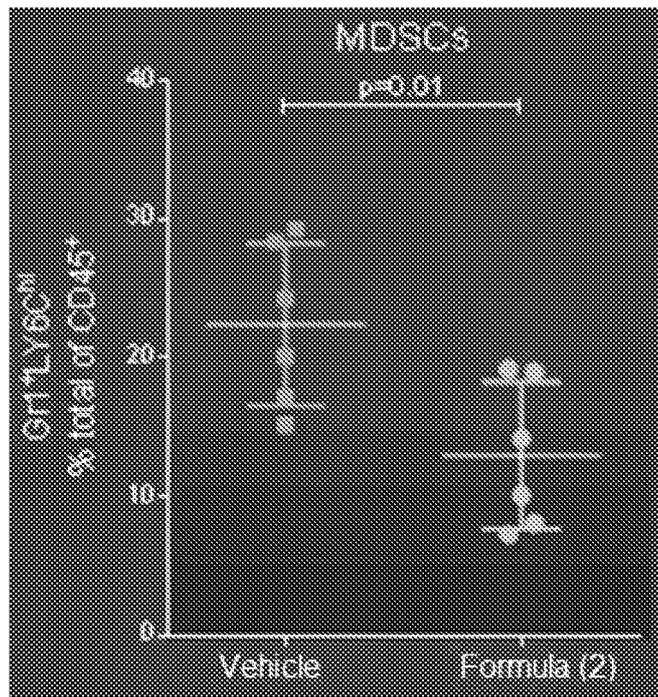


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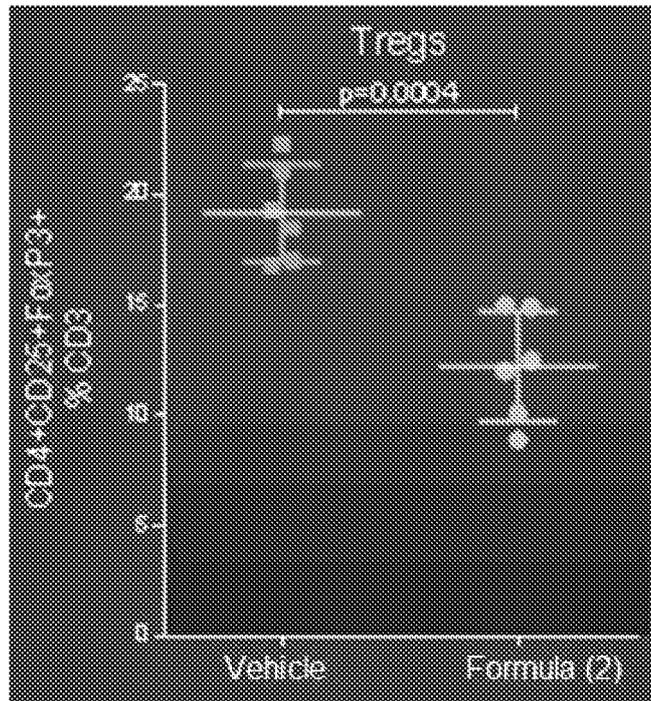


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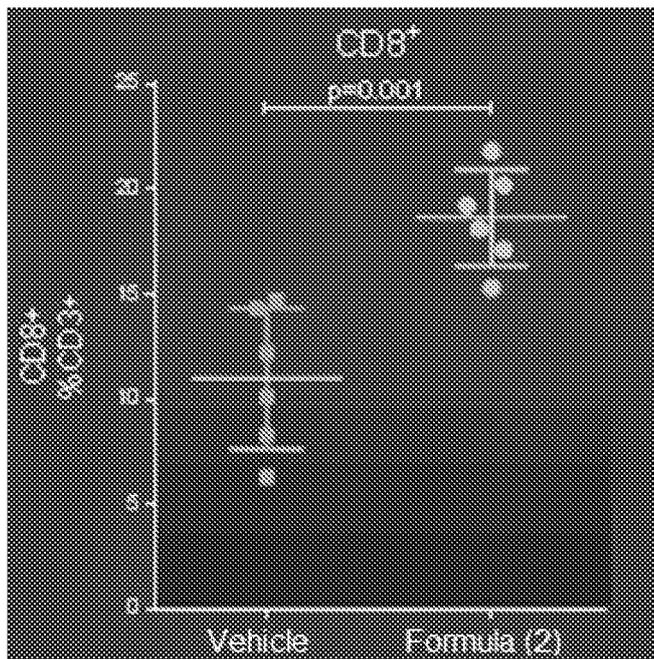


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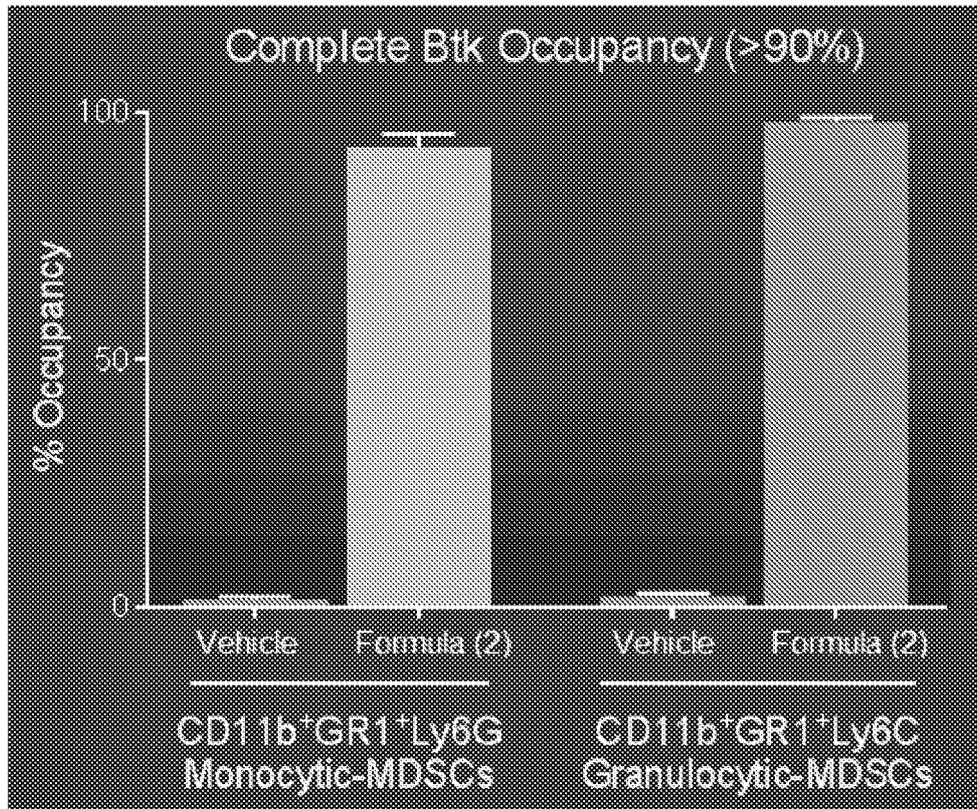


FIG. 32

Induced IFN- γ release

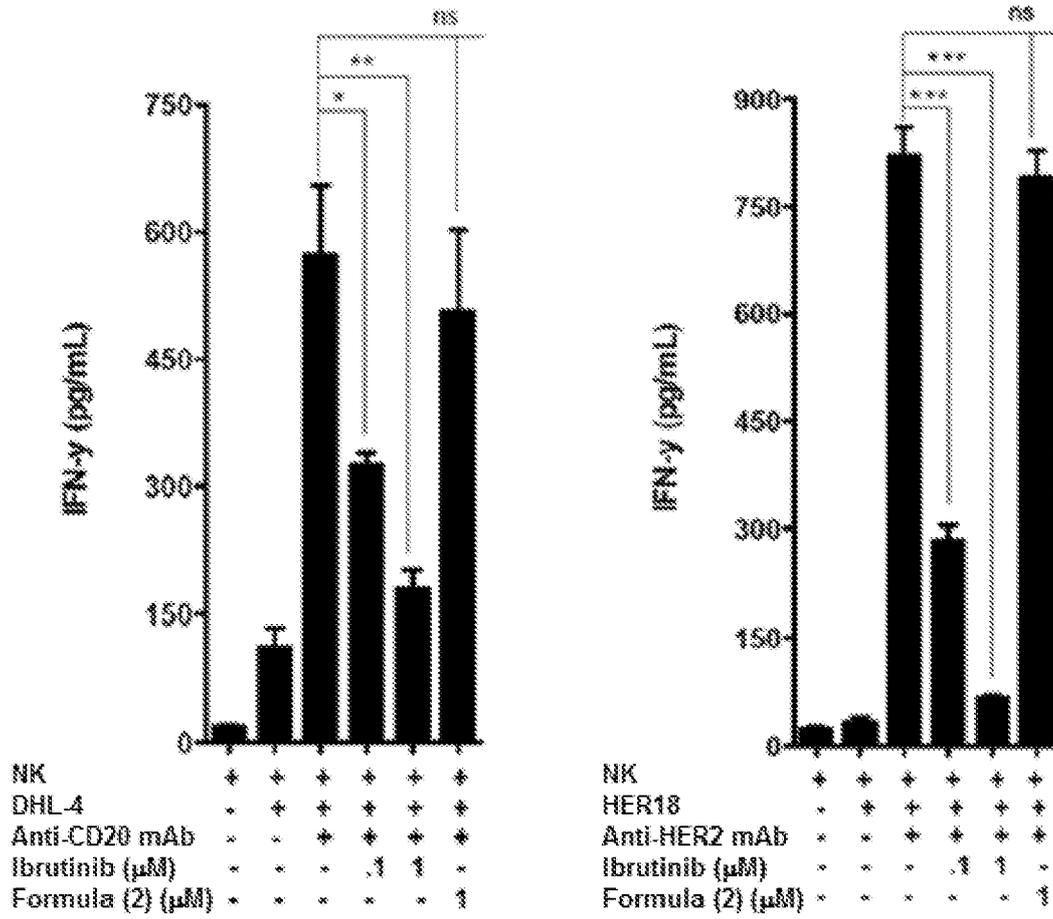


FIG. 33

CD107a⁺ expression (NK activation marker)

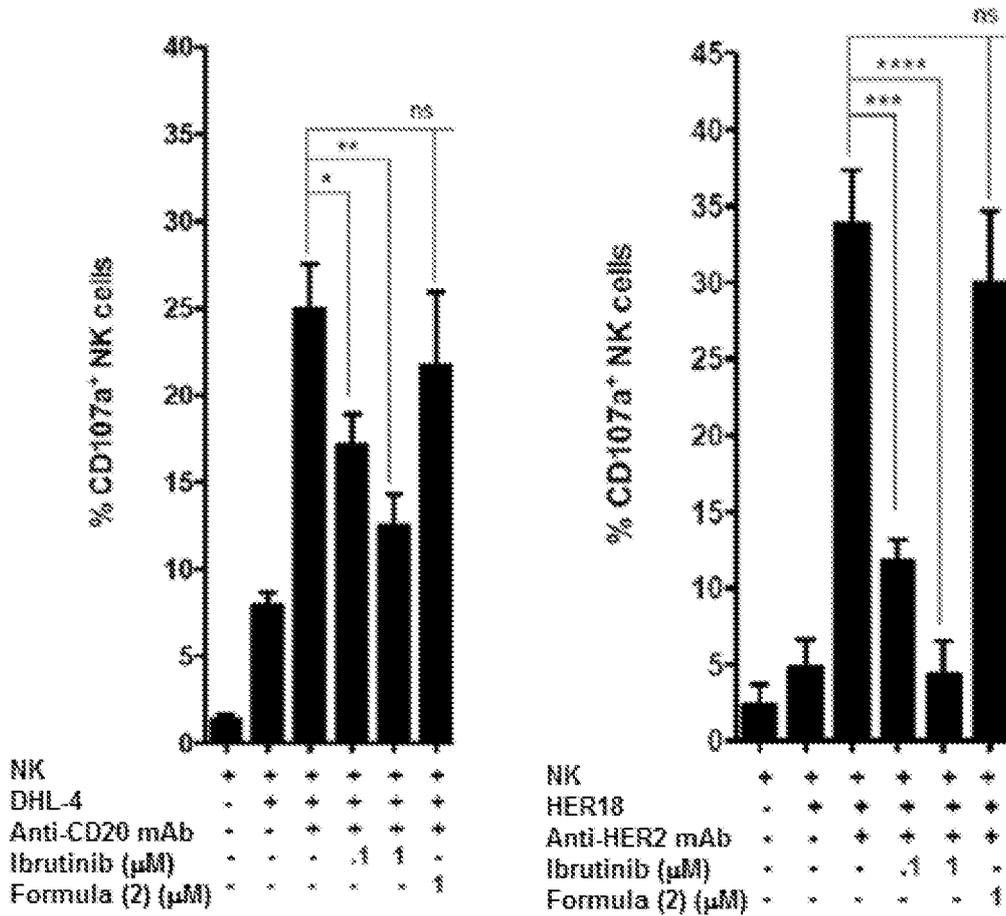


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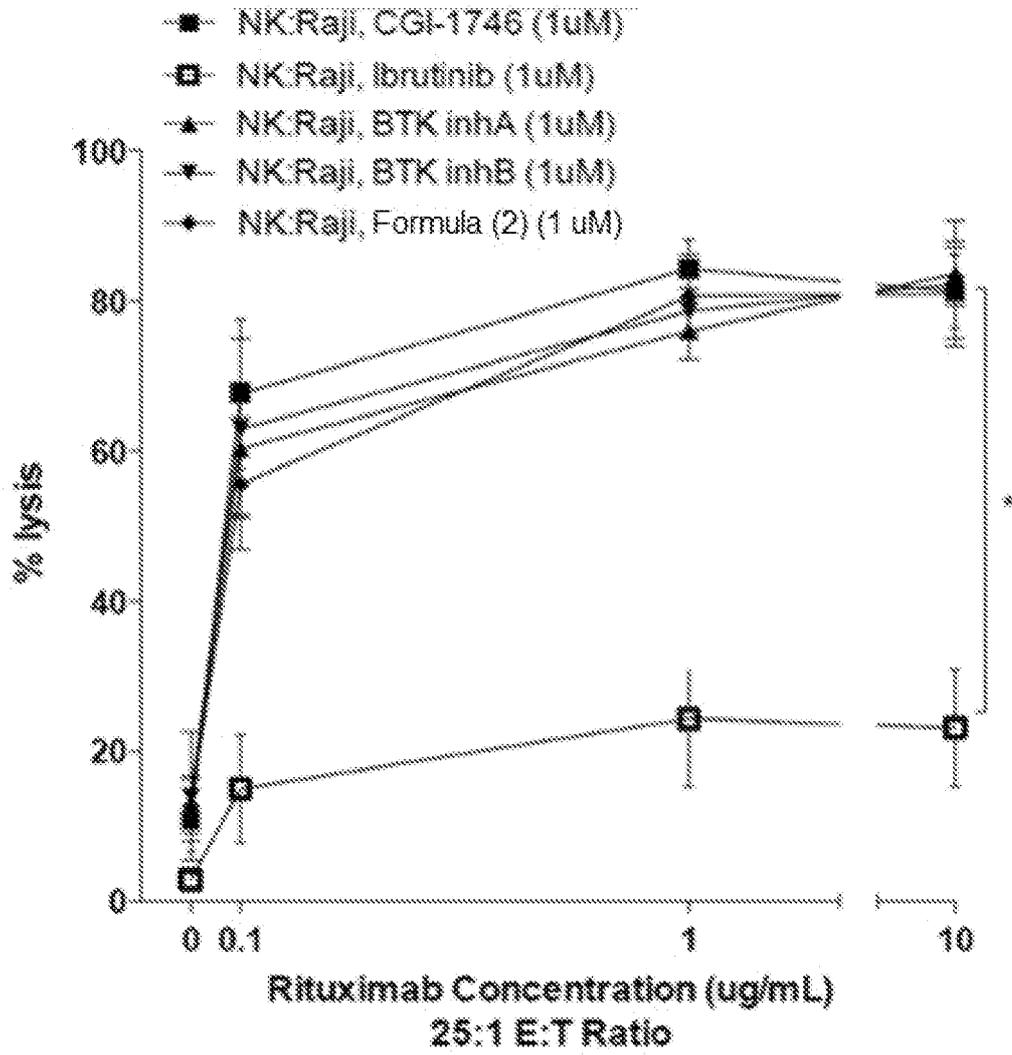


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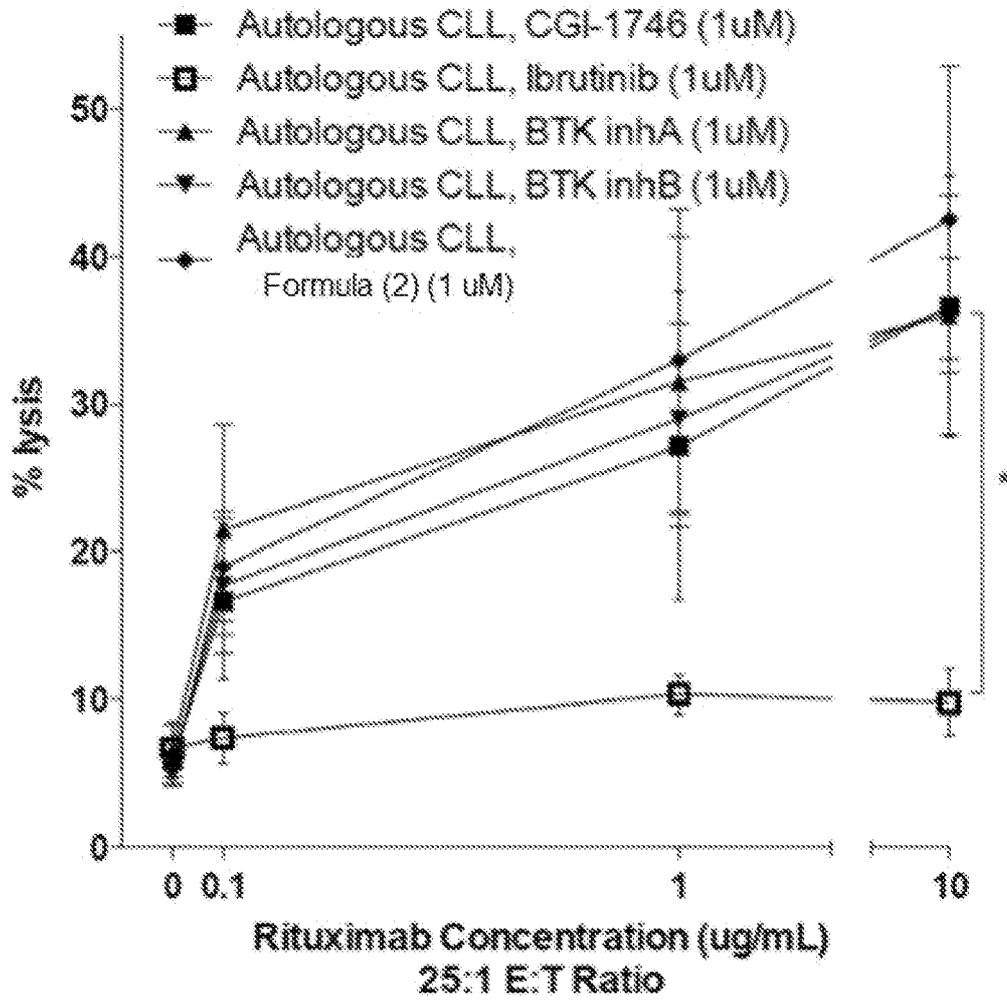


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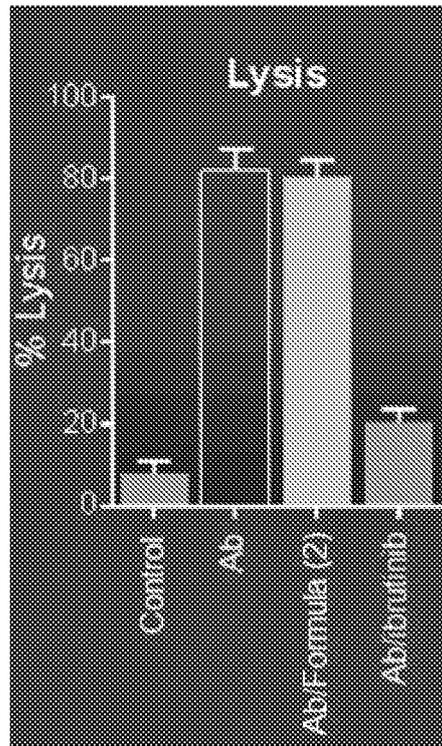


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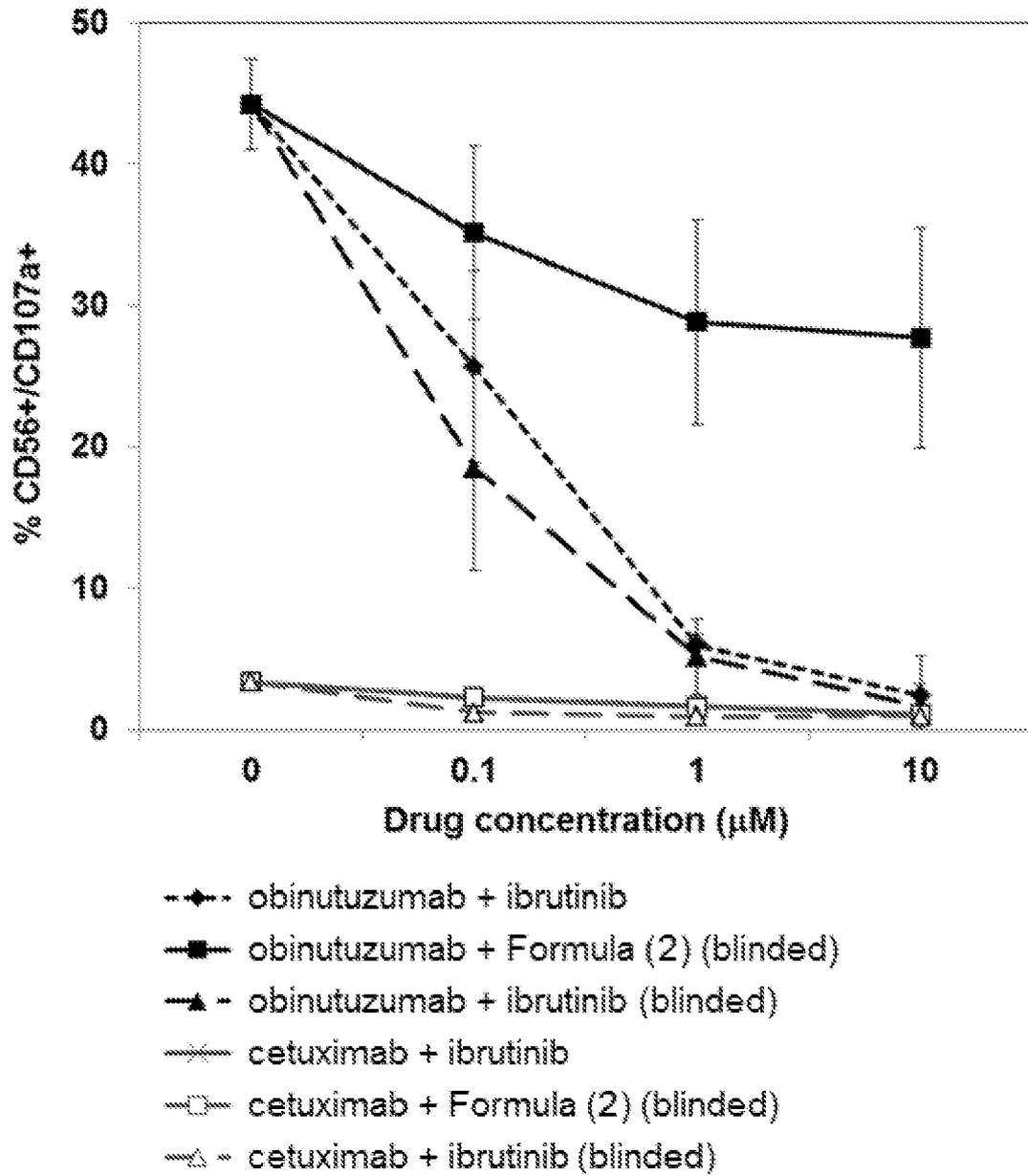


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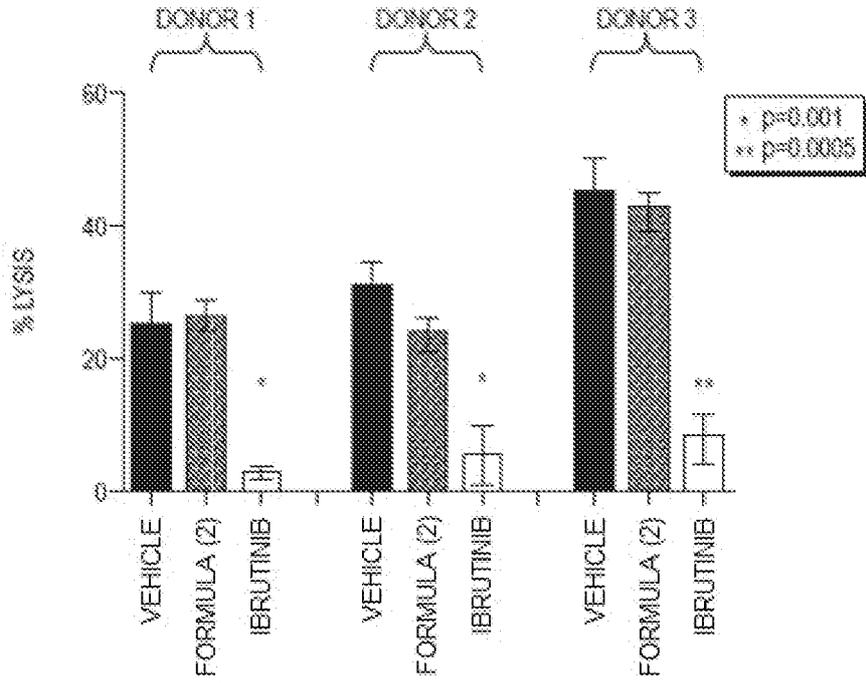


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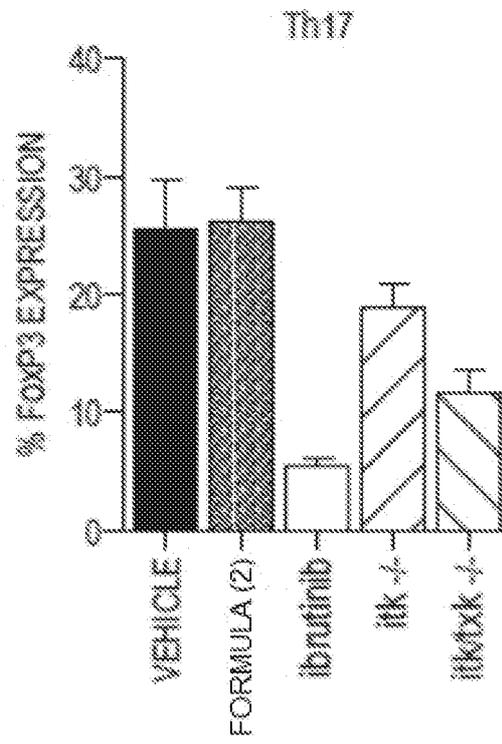


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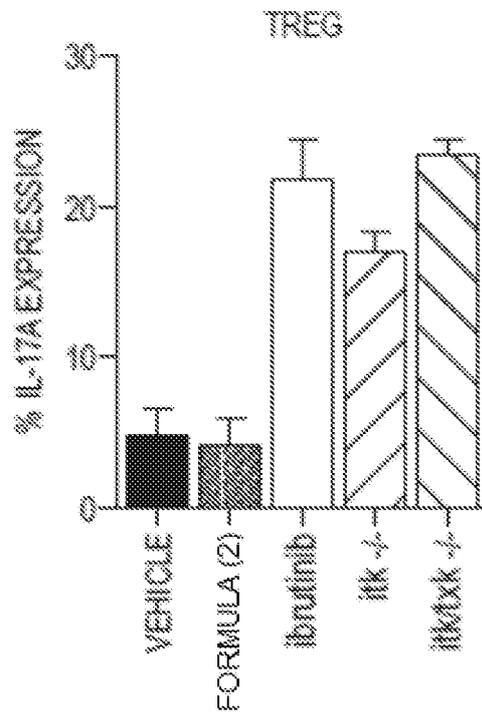


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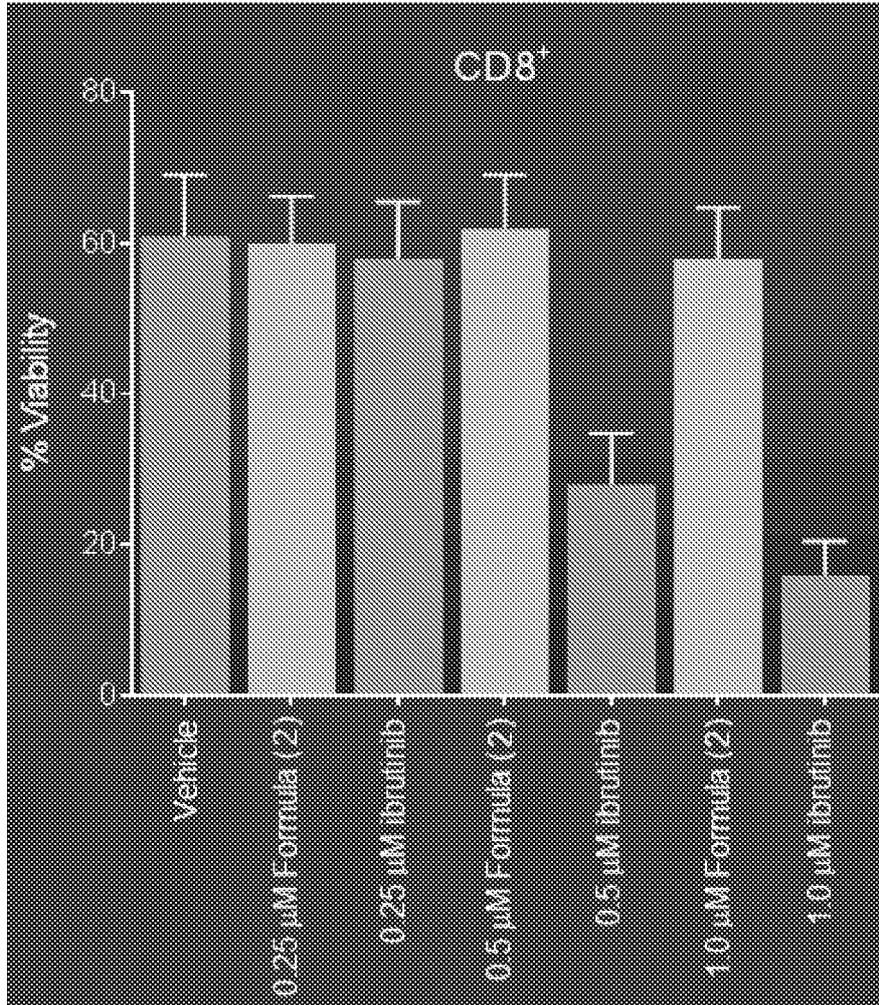


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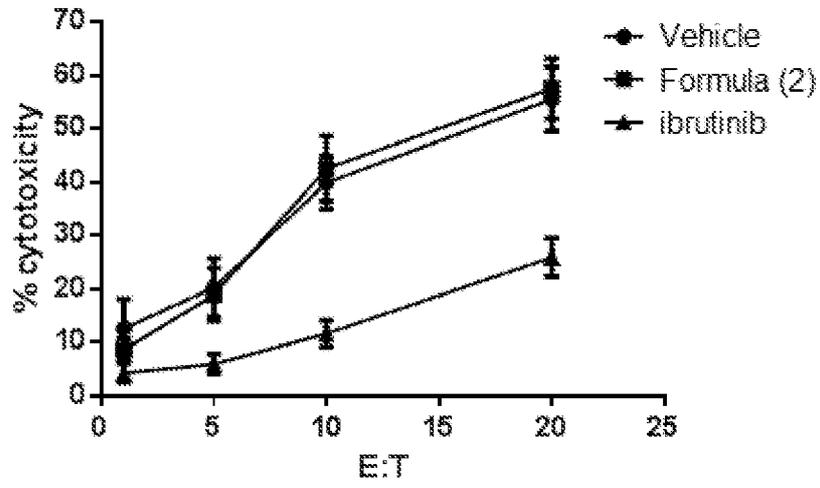


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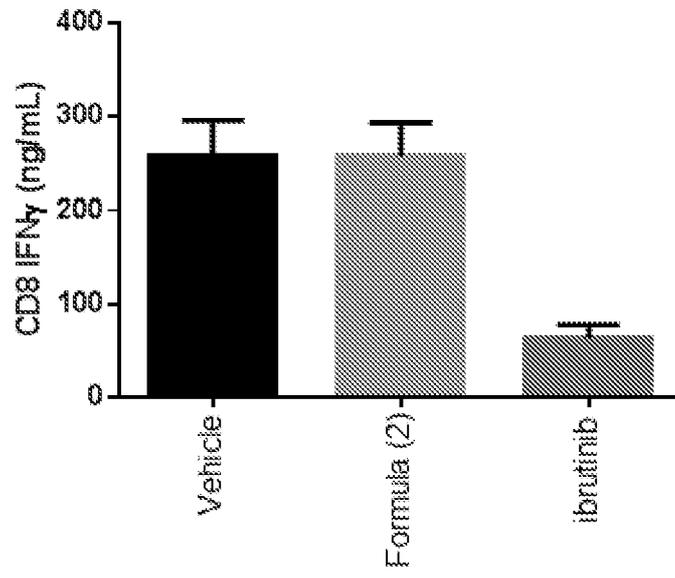


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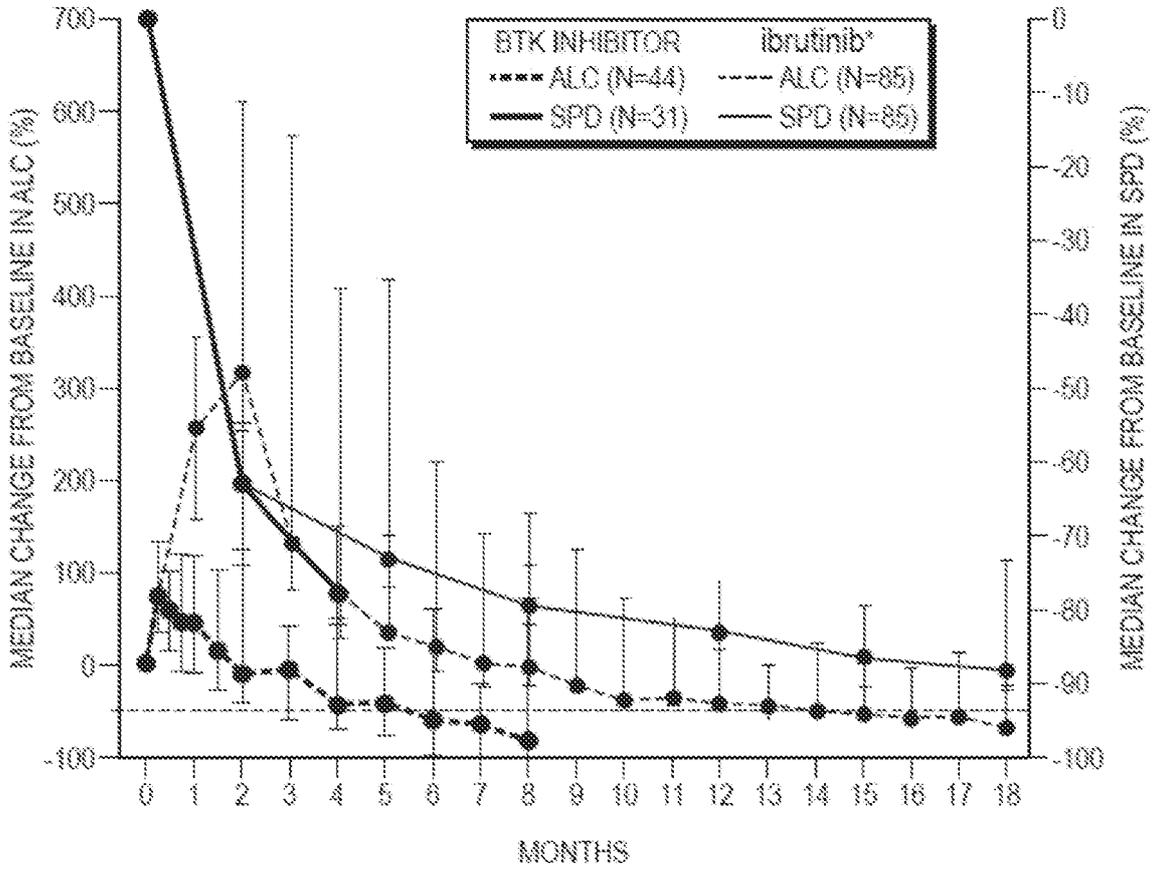


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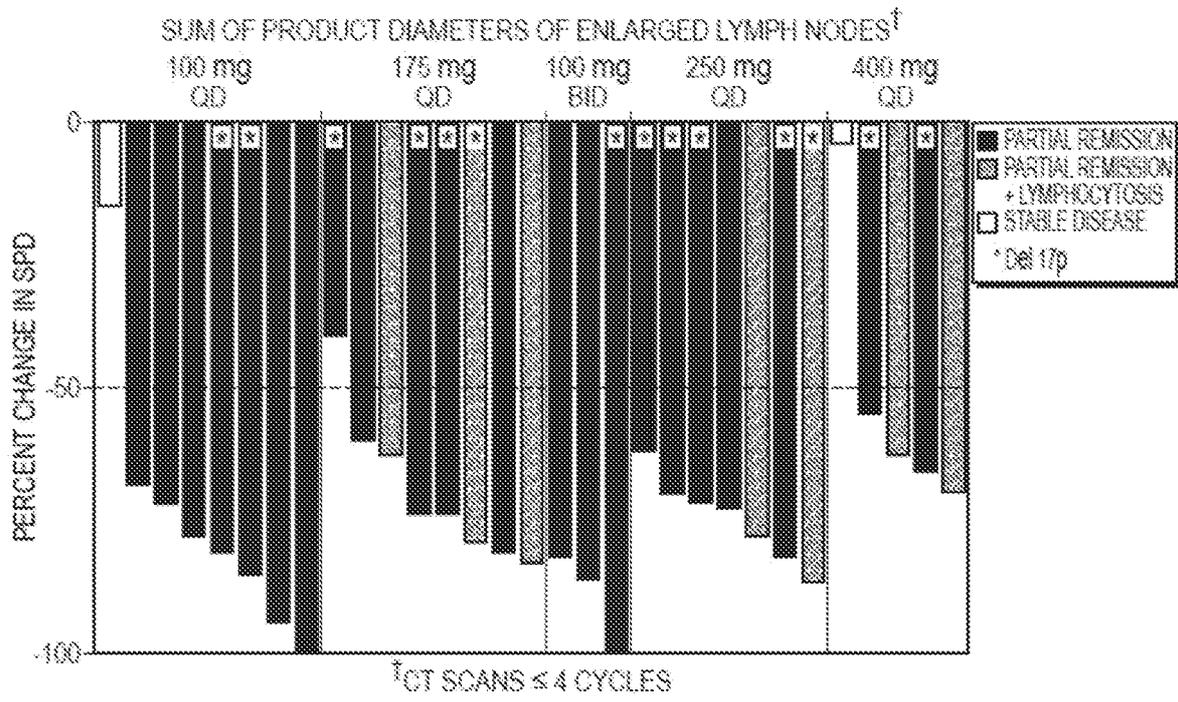


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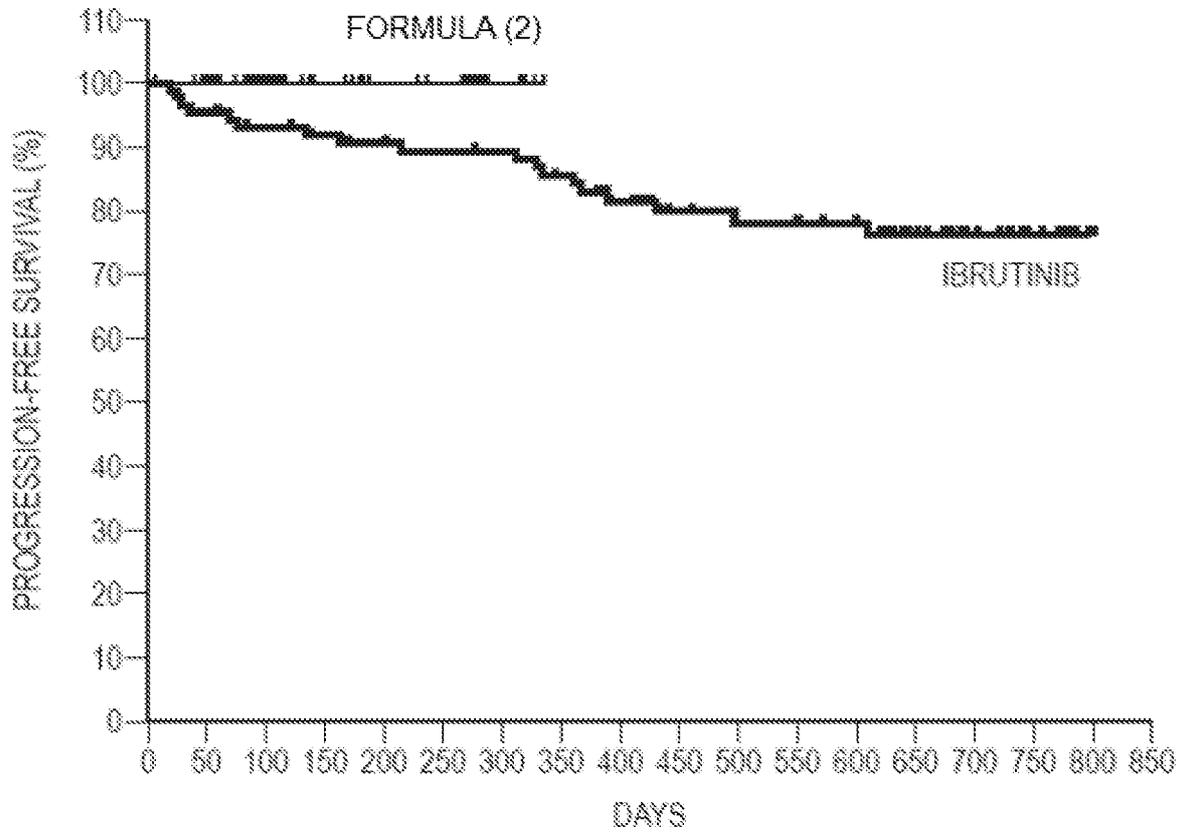


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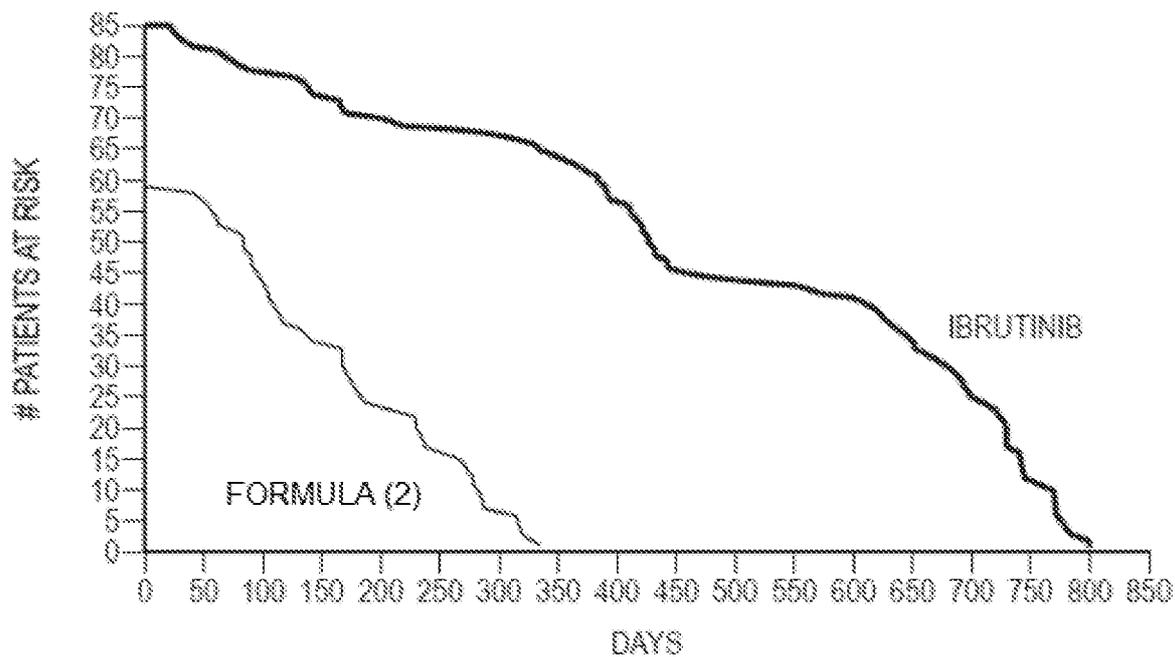


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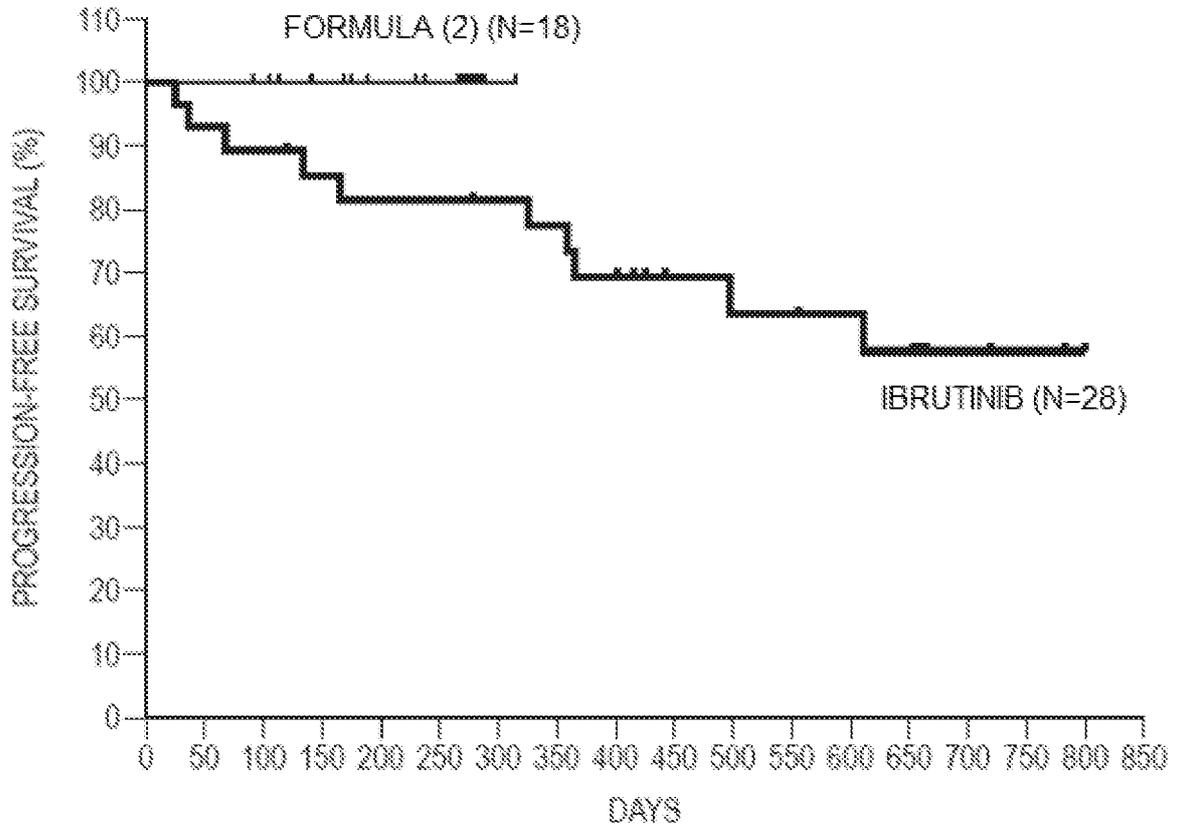


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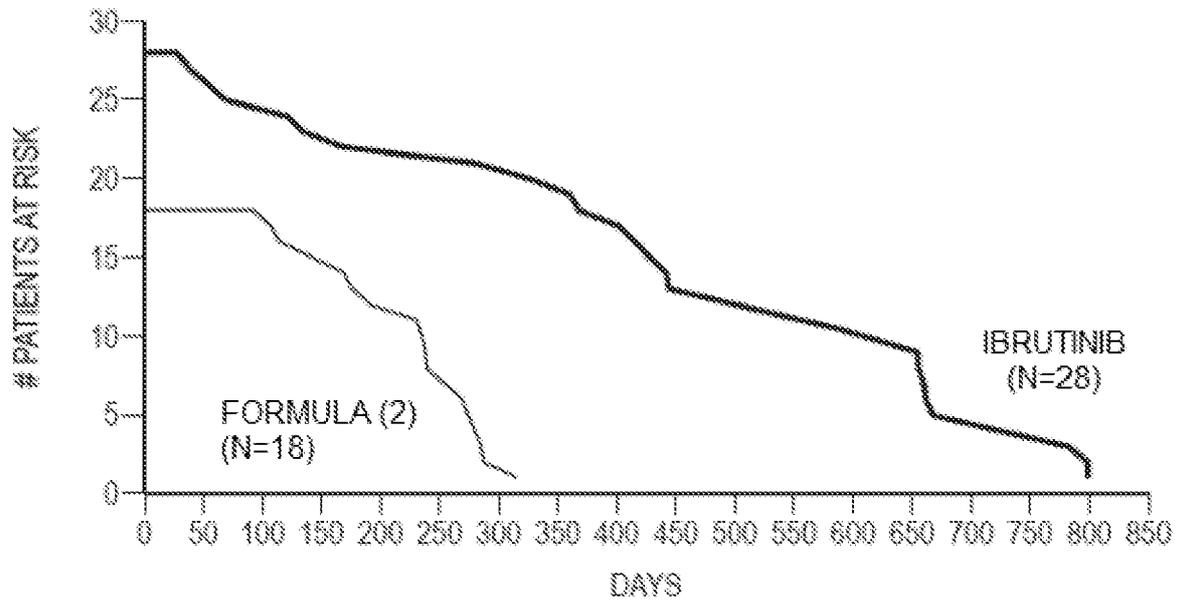


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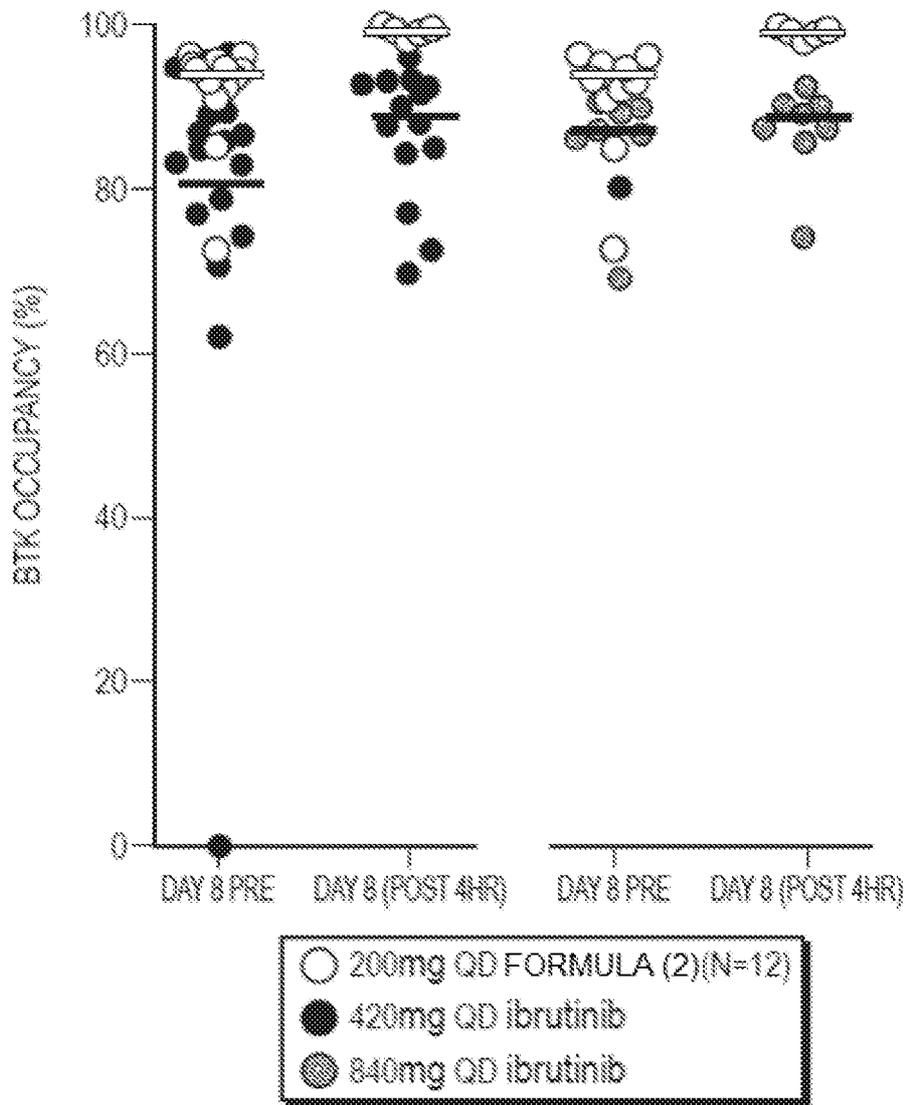


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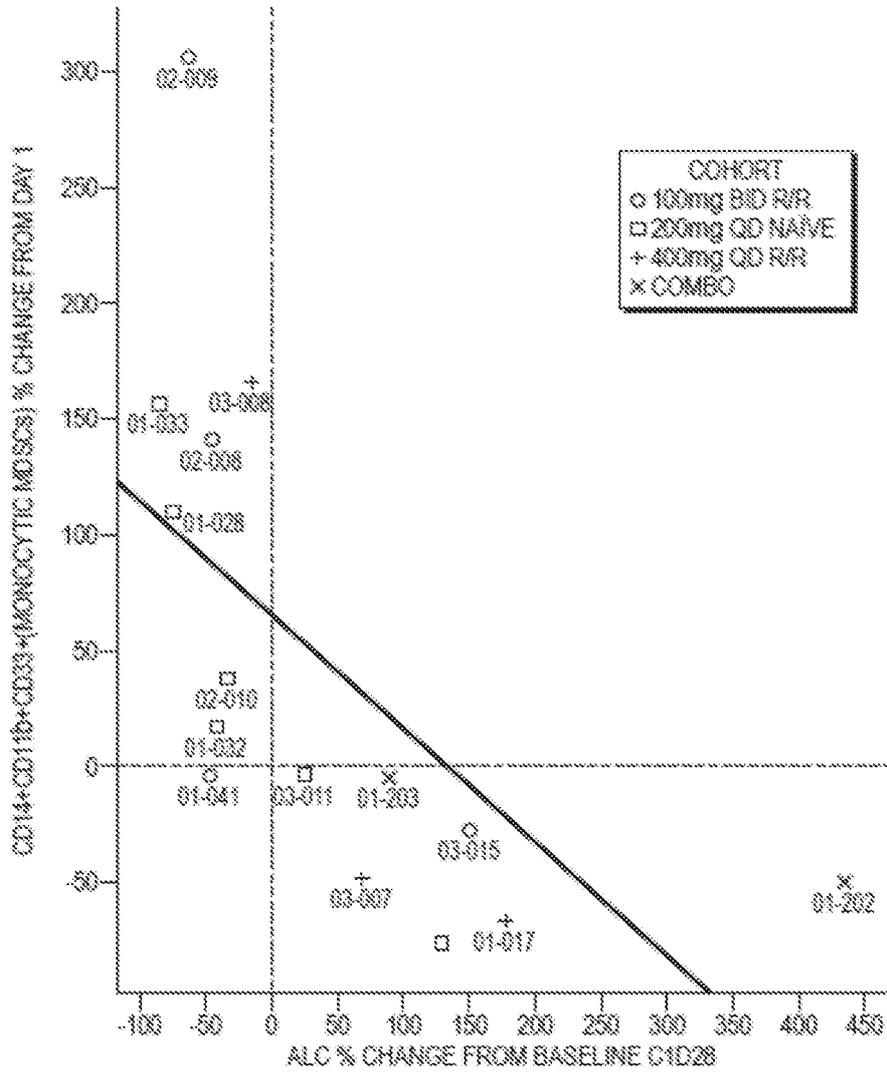


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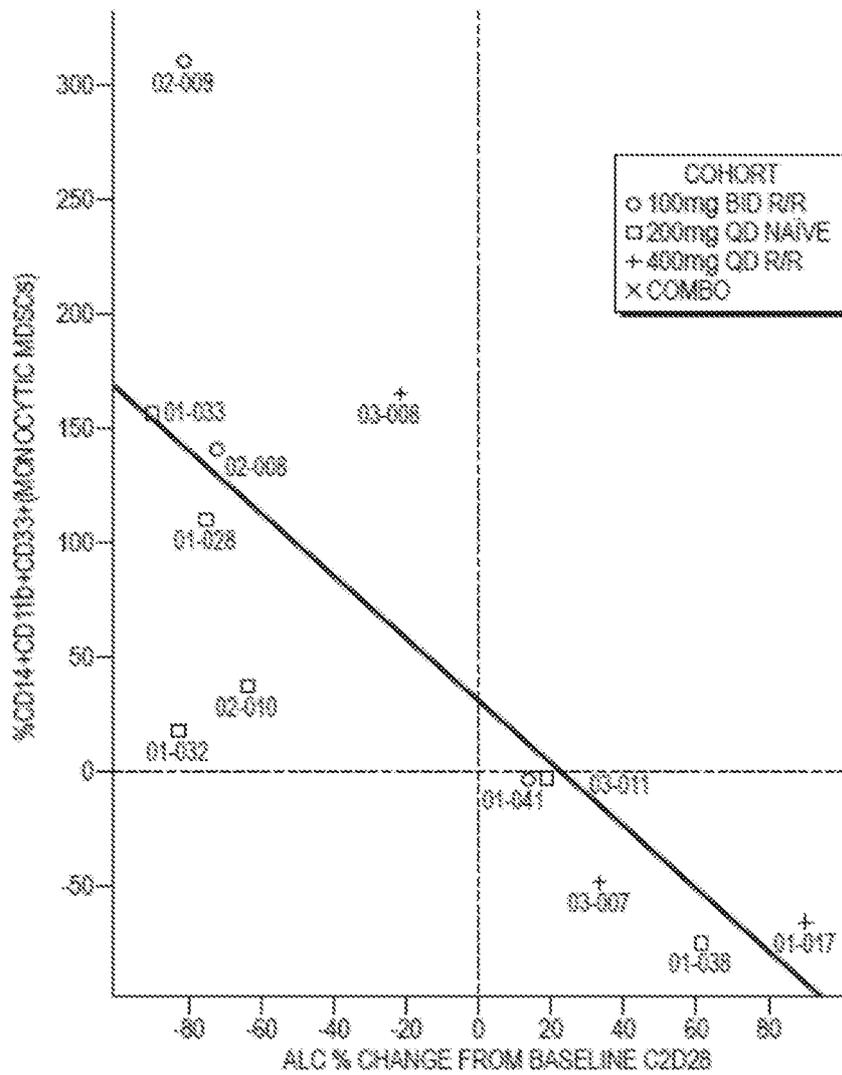


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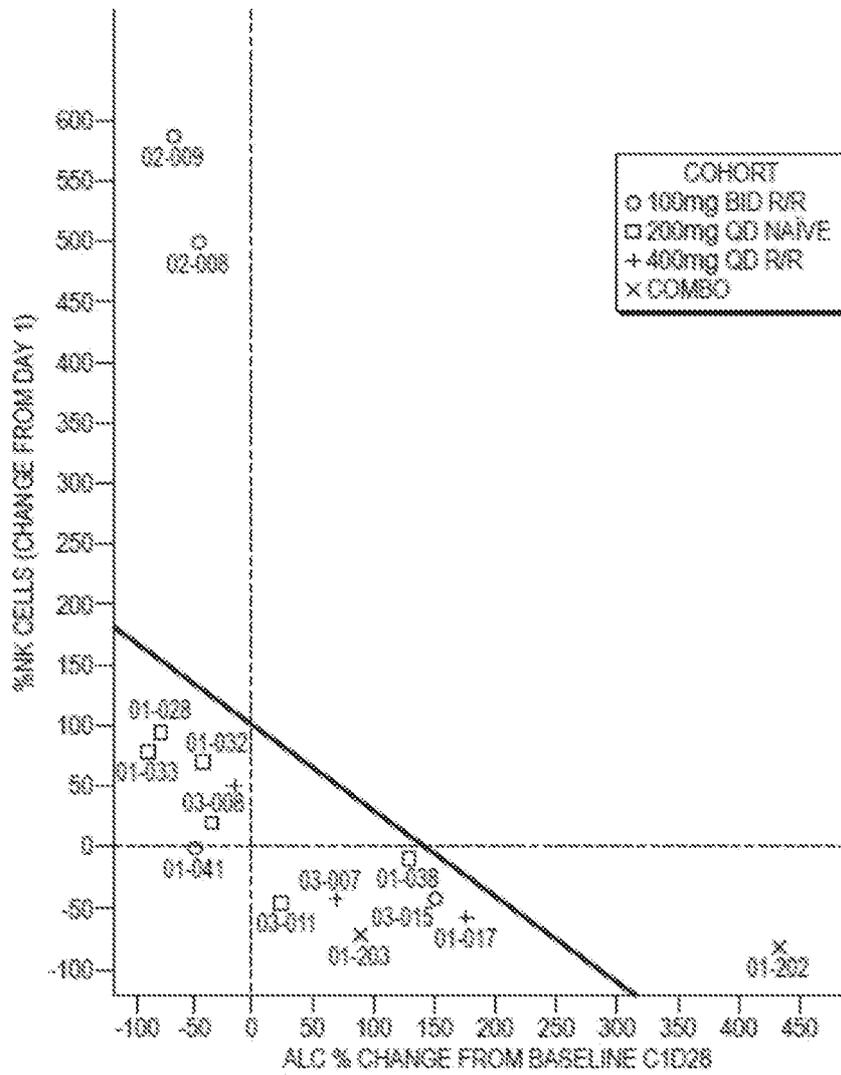


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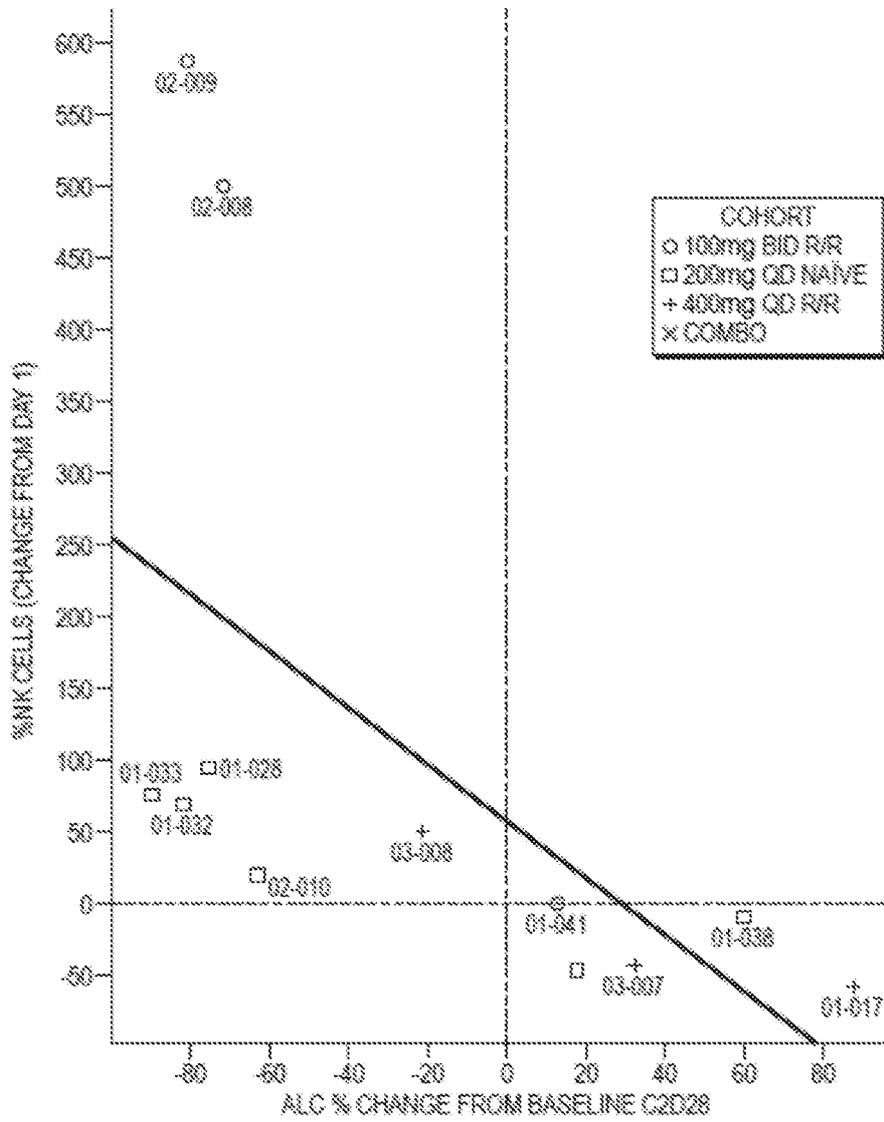


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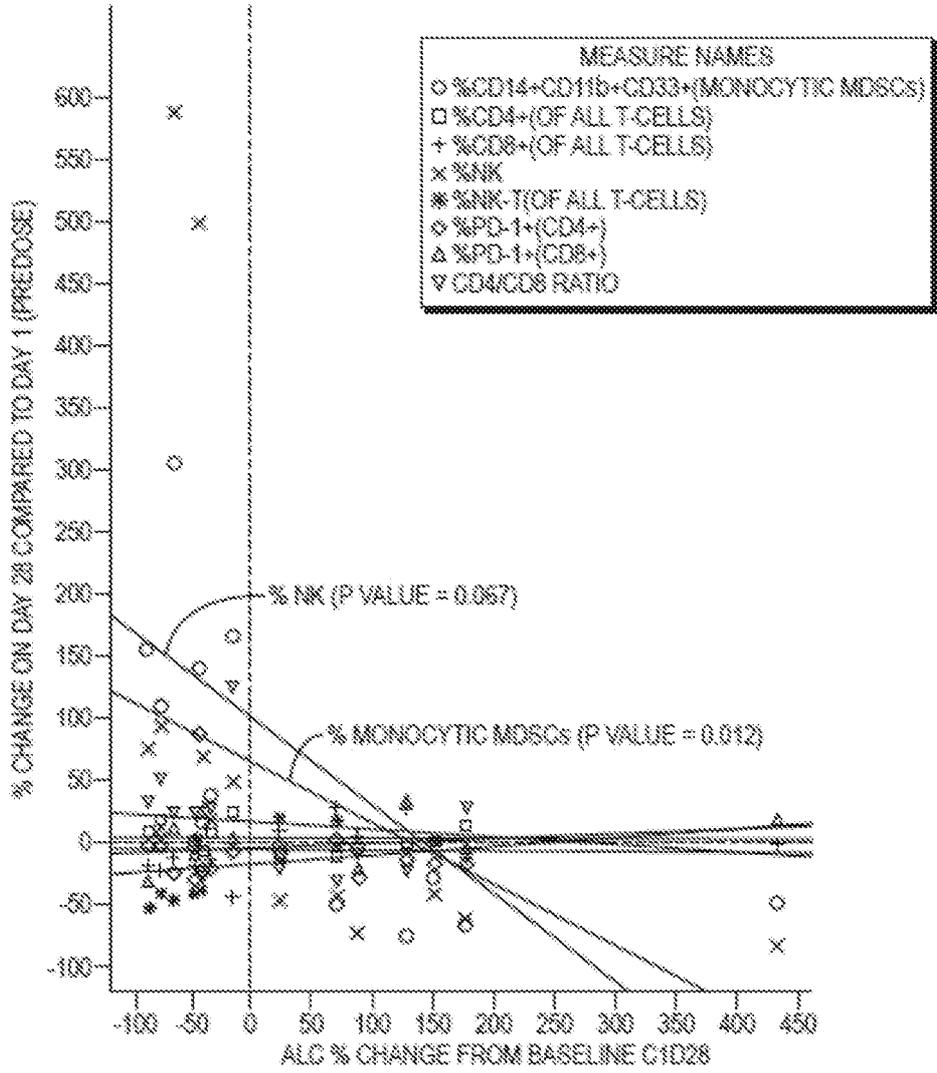


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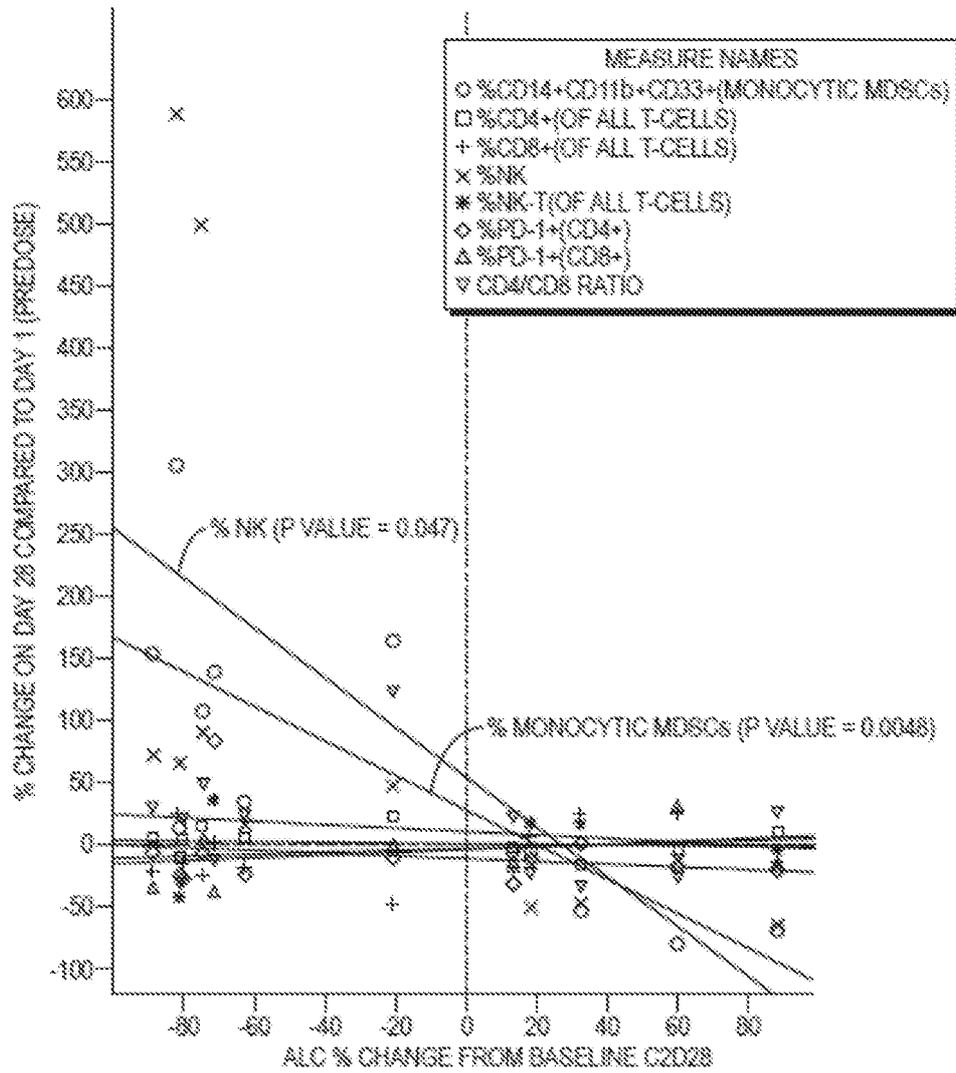


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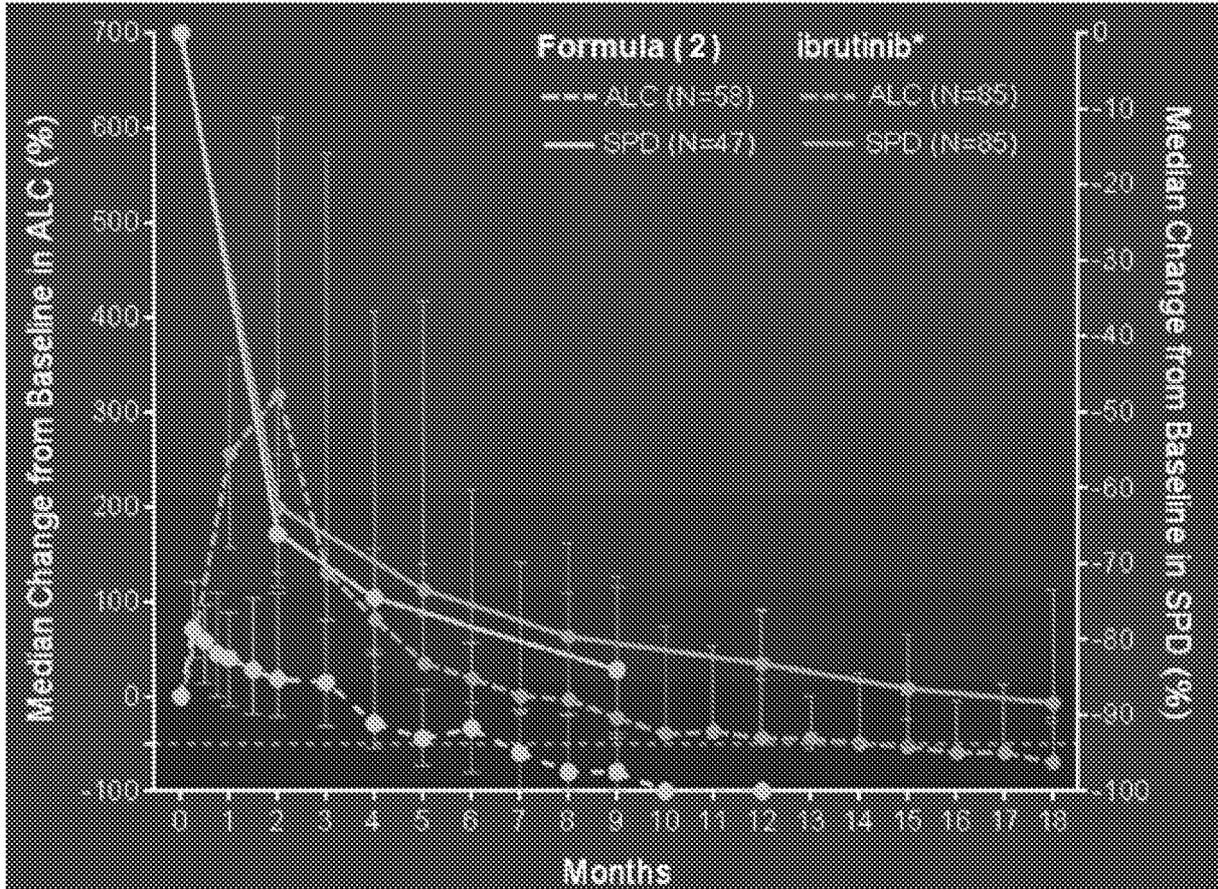


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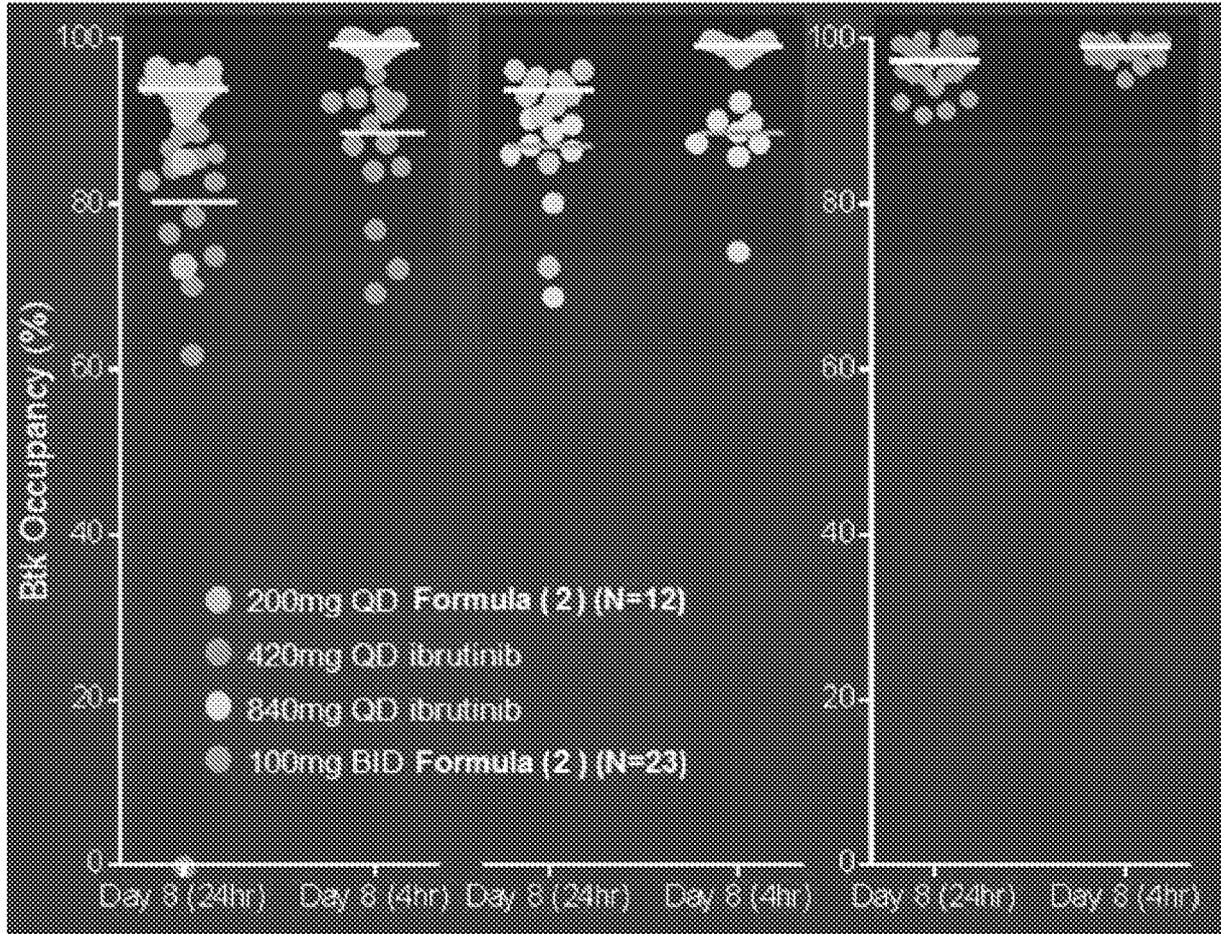
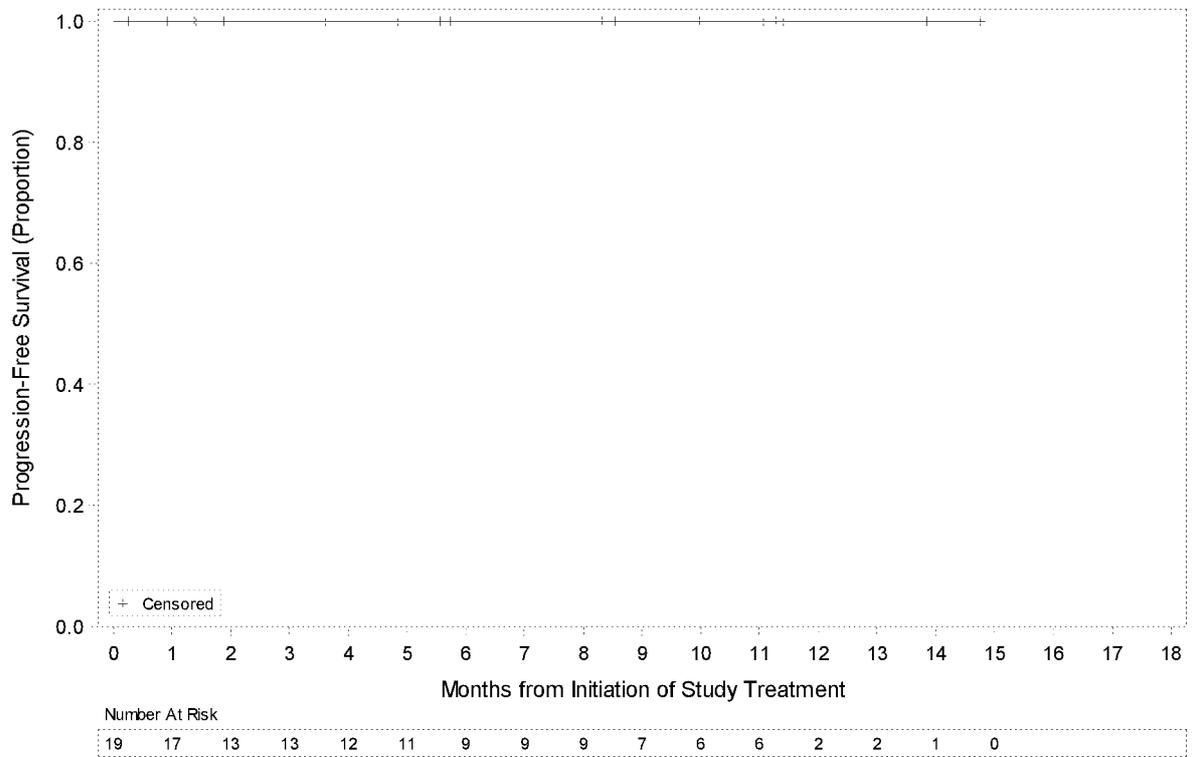


FIG. 59

Figure Kaplan-Meier Curves for PFS
Relapsed/Refractory Treated Subjects with Deletion 17p

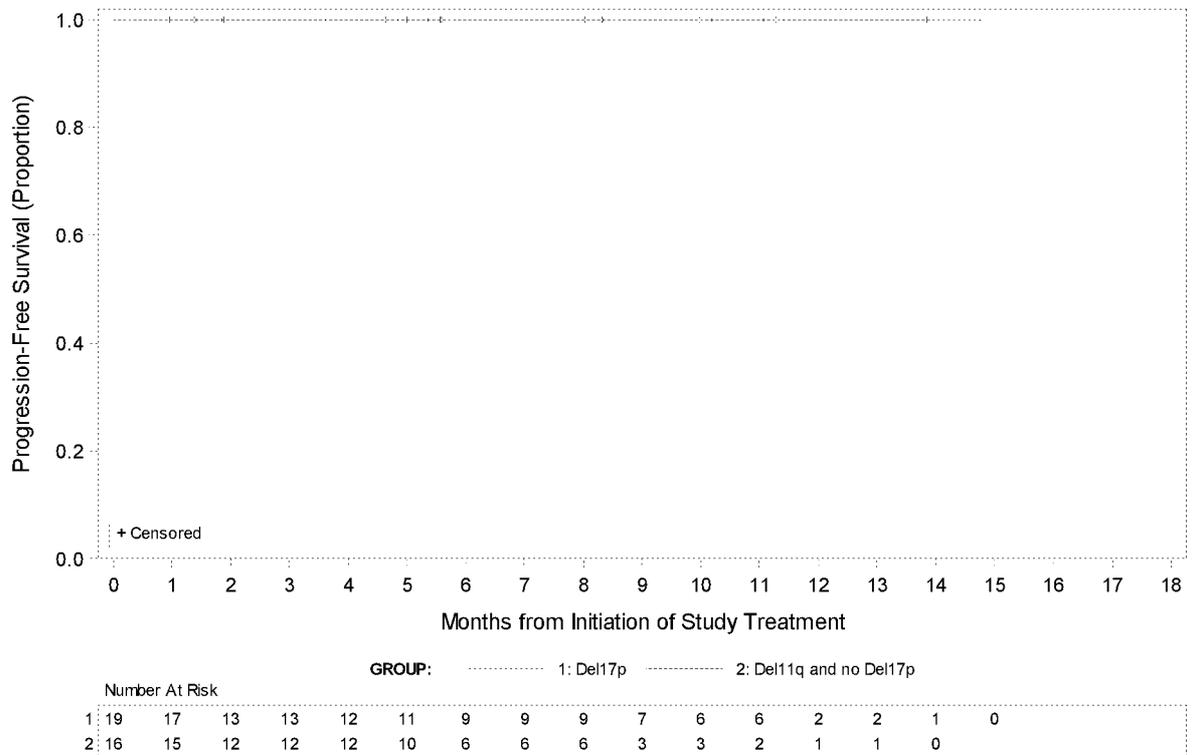


Note: This figure includes Relapsed/Refractory Cohorts 1, 2a/2b/2c, 3 and 4a/4b.

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**Figure Kaplan-Meier Curves for PFS
Relapsed/Refractory Treated Subjects**

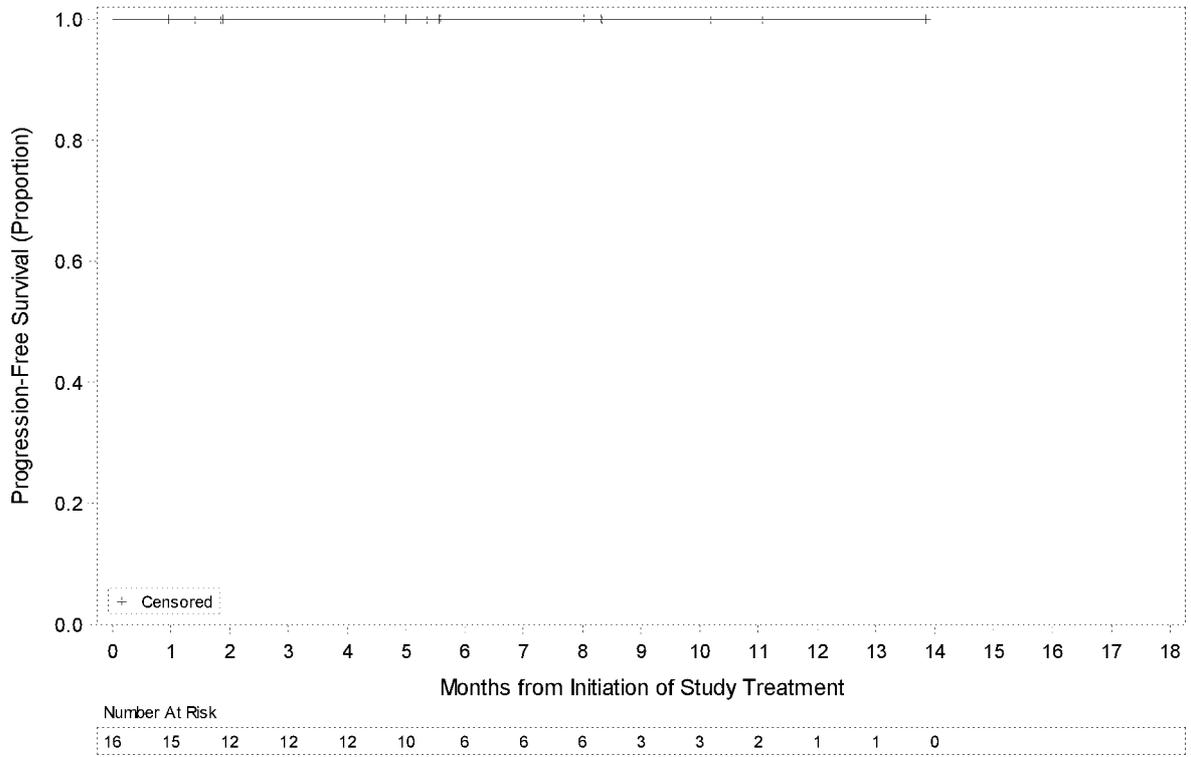


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FIG. 61

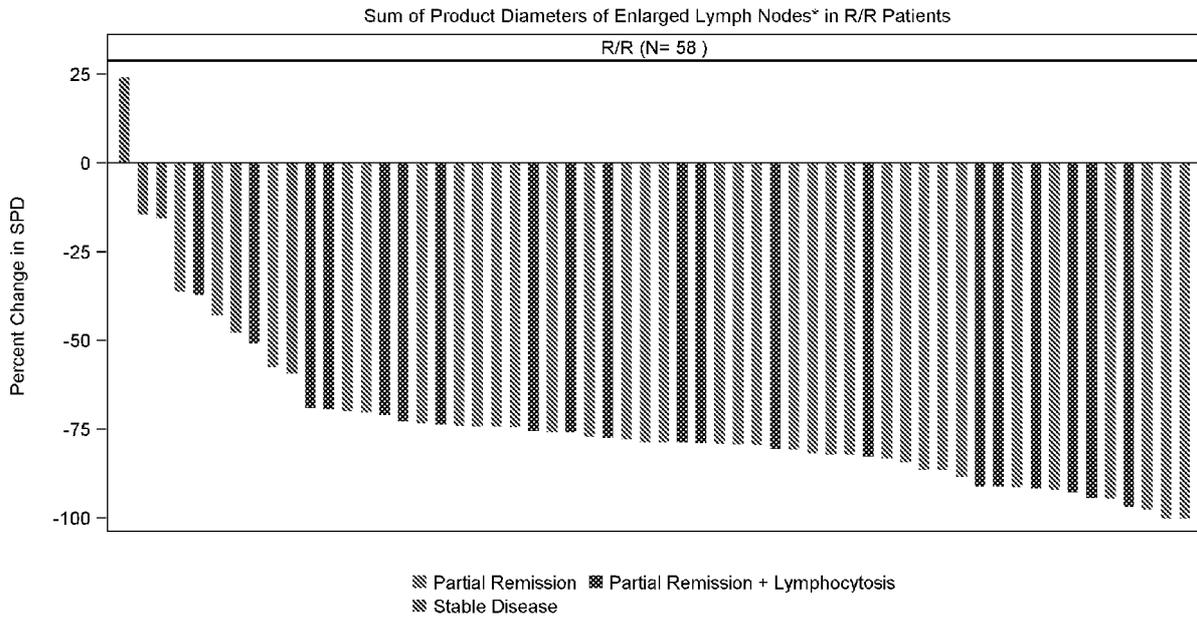
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**Figure Kaplan-Meier Curves for PFS
Relapsed/Refractory Treated Subjects with Deletion 11q (and no Deletion 17p)**



Note: This figure includes Relapsed/Refractory Cohorts 1, 2a/2b/2c, 3 and 4a/4b.

FIG. 62



*Any node with a diameter > 1.5 cm.

N's are subjects with observed Lymphadenopathy and overall response data.

Subjects with overall response but no observed Lymphadenopathy, 01-025 = PR, 06-002 = PR, 06-003 = PR, 03-015 = PRL, 05-001 = PRL, 05-002 = PRL, 25-001 = PRL, 01-026 = SD, 01-035 = SD, 06-004 = SD

FIG. 63

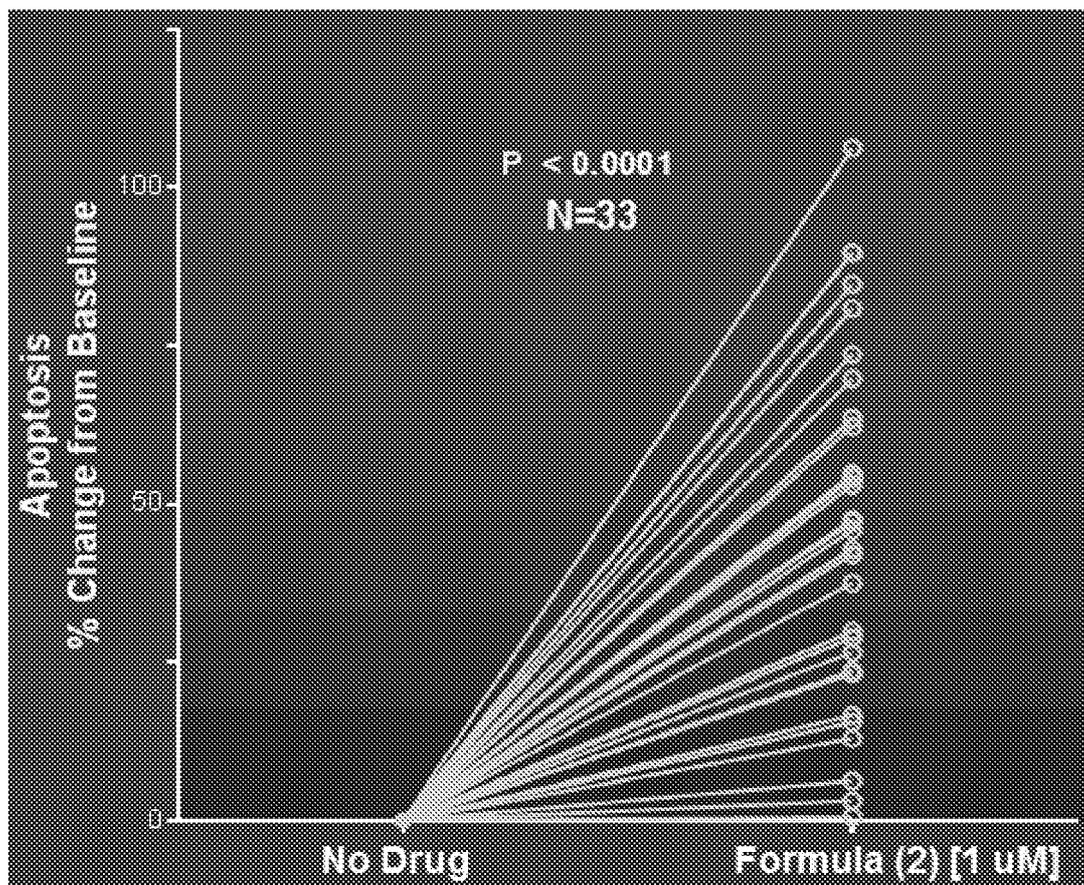


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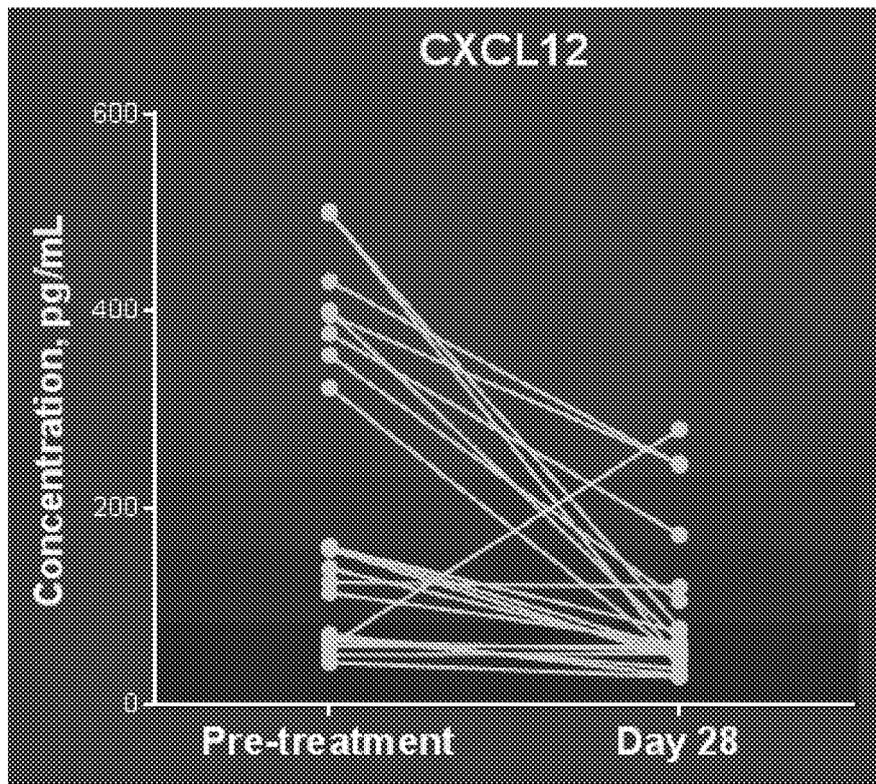


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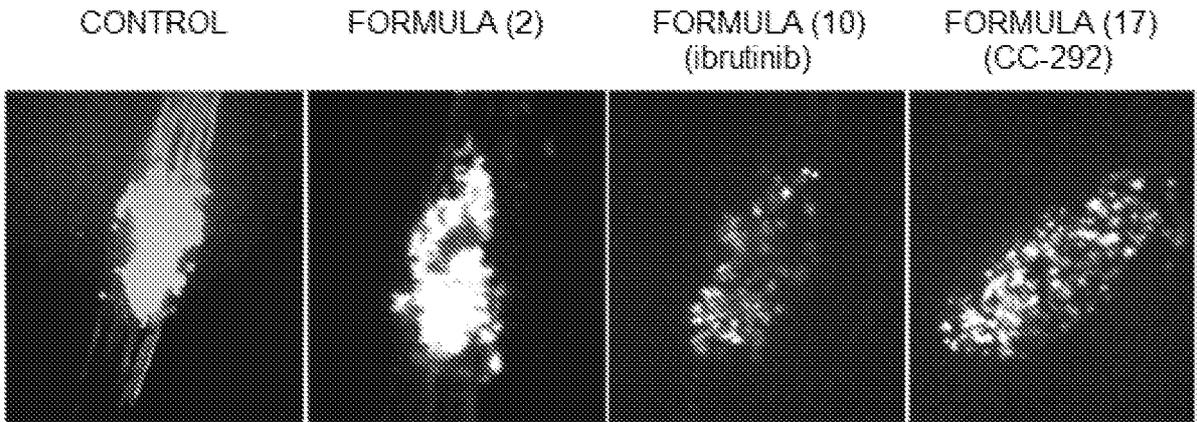


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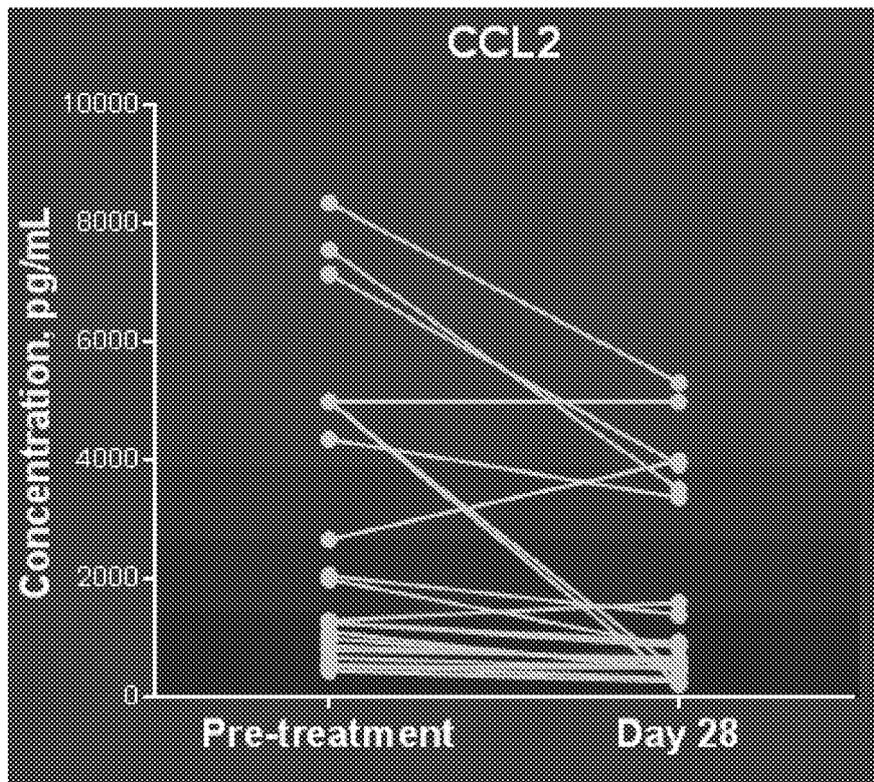


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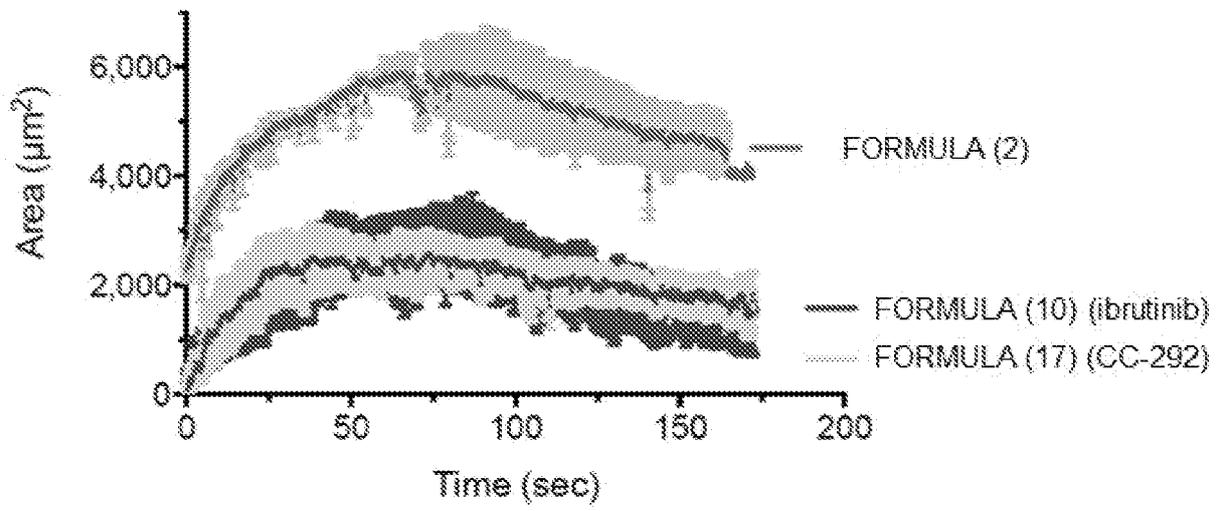


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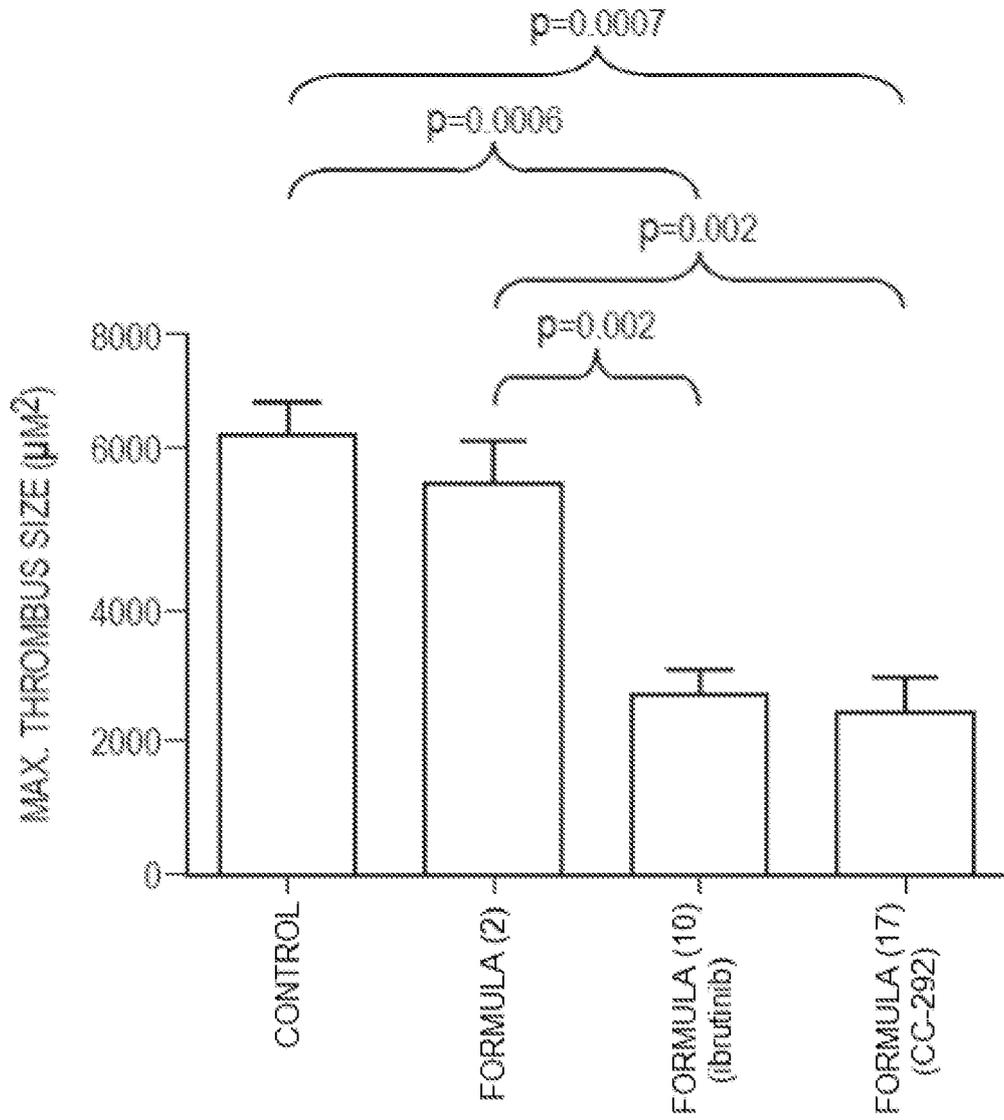


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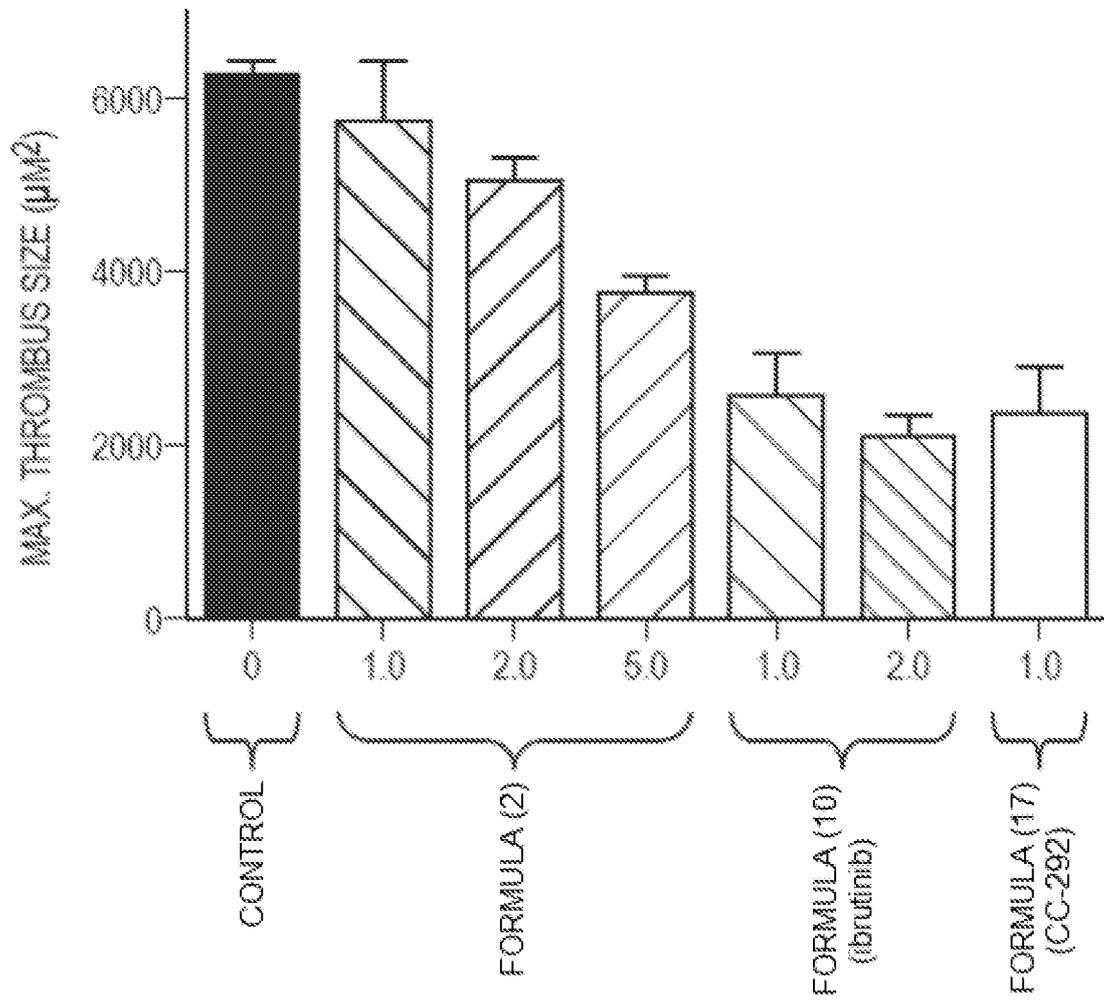


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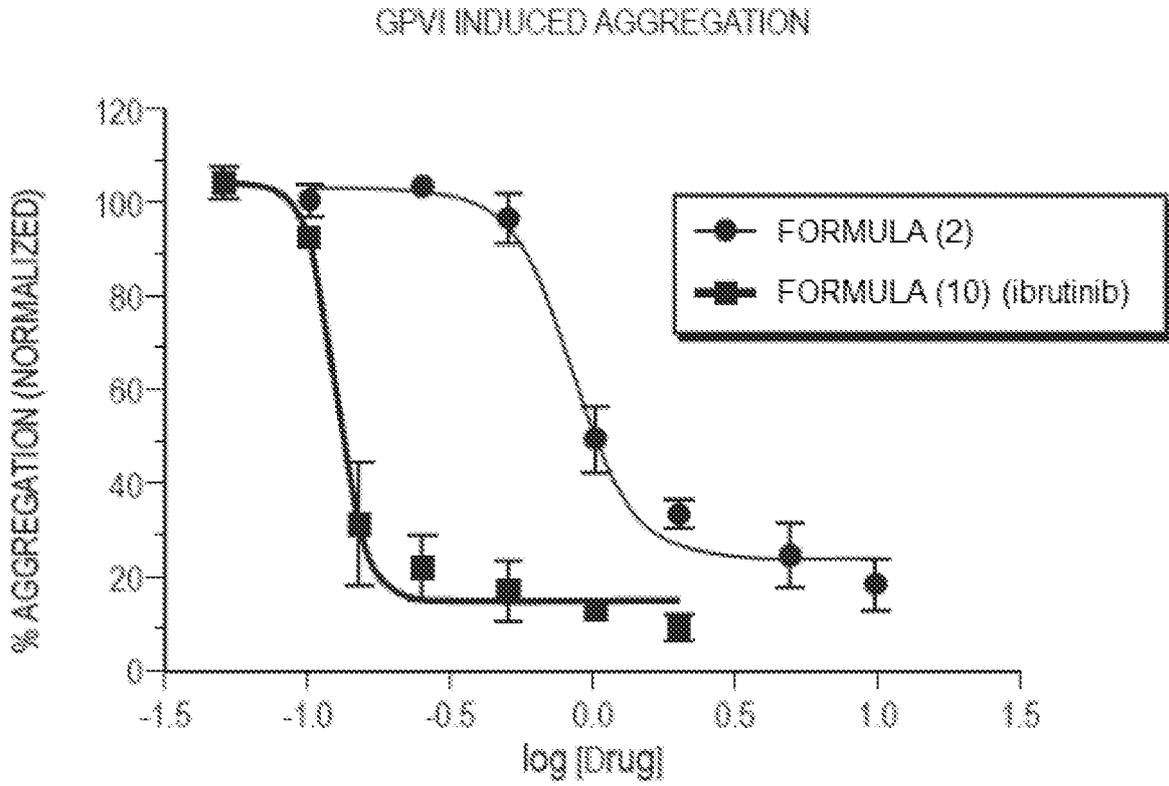


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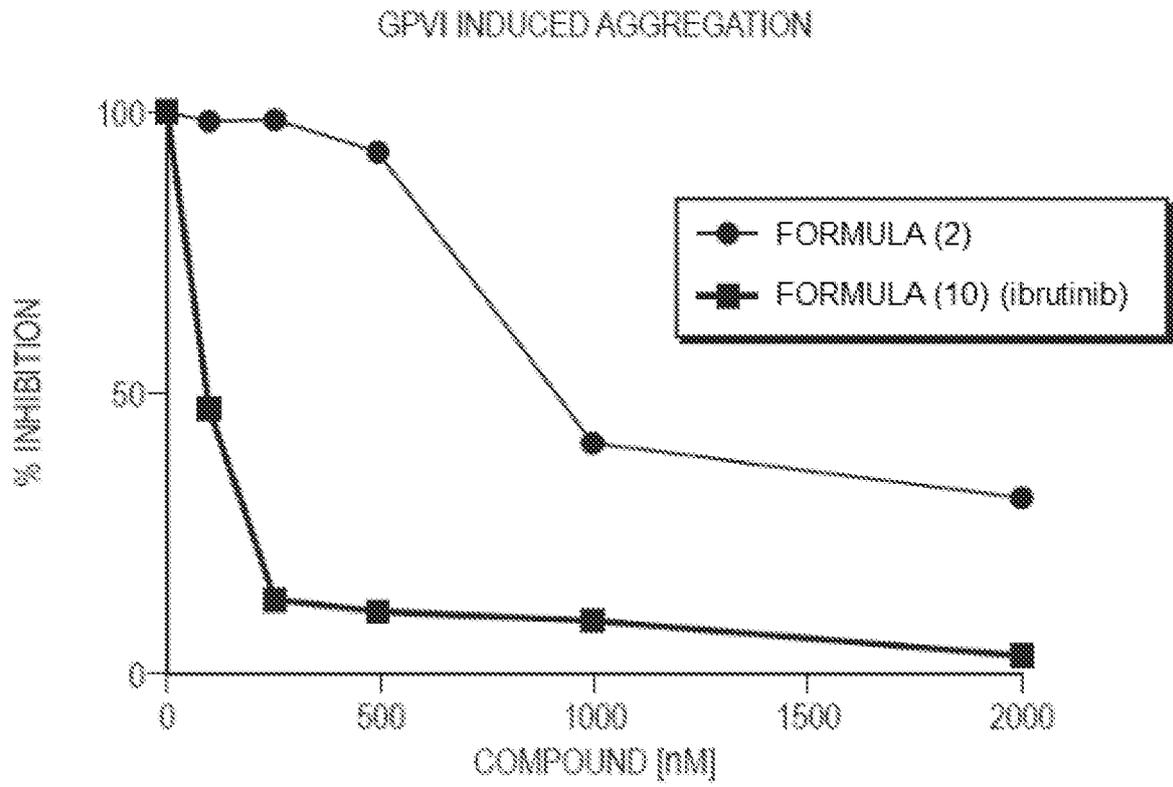


FIG. 72

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Box No. I Nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence(s) (Continuation of item 1.c of the first sheet)

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 - b. furnished together with the international application under PCT Rule 13fer1 (a) for the purposes of international search only in the form of an Annex C/ST.25 text file.
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Box No. II Observations where certain claims were found unsearchable (Continuation of item 2 of first sheet)

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Box No. III Observations where unity of invention is lacking (Continuation of item 3 of first sheet)

This International Searching Authority found multiple inventions in this international application, as follows:

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1. As all required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant, this international search report covers all searchable claims.

2. As all searchable claims could be searched without effort justifying an additional fees, this Authority did not invite payment of additional fees.

3. As only some of the required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant, this international search report covers only those claims for which fees were paid, specifically claims Nos. :

4. No required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant. Consequently, this international search report is restricted to the invention first mentioned in the claims; it is covered by claims Nos. :

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1. claims: 1-24, 33-55, 64-69 (completely); 71-77 (partially)

A composition comprising a CD19 inhibitor and a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor and its use in the treatment of a hyperproliferative disease

2. claims: 25-32, 56-63, 70 (completely); 71-77 (partially)

A composition comprising a CD19 inhibitor and a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor of claim 24 for use in the treatment of cancer in a human intolerant to a bleeding event

3. claim: 78

Use of a composition comprising a CD19 inhibitor and a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor in the discovery and/or development of a pharmaceutical product

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