

PD-L1/TIM-3/CSF-1R antibody in preclinical studies for Cancer Immunotherapy

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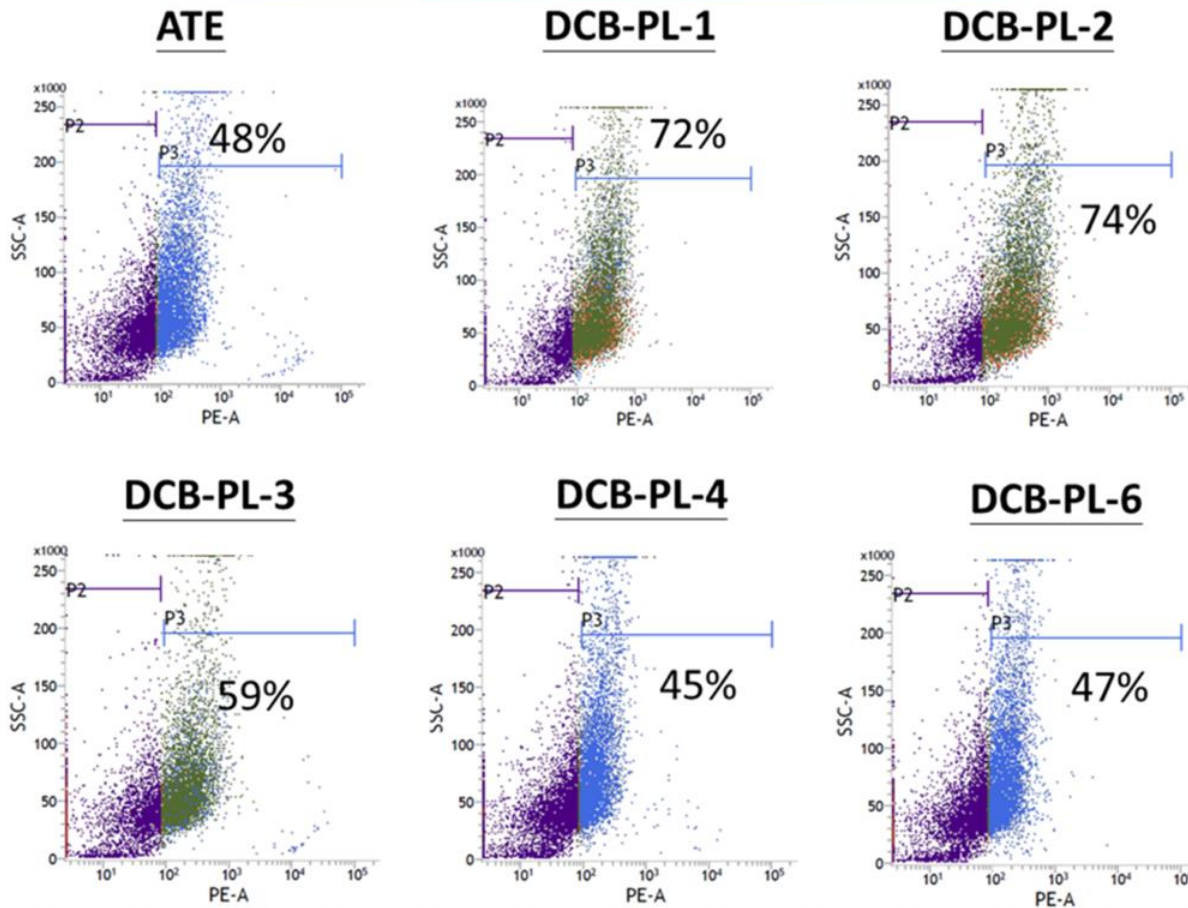
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DCB' s PD-L1 mAbs Show High Affinity Property

DCB's anti-PD-L1 mAbs bind to HCC827 cells

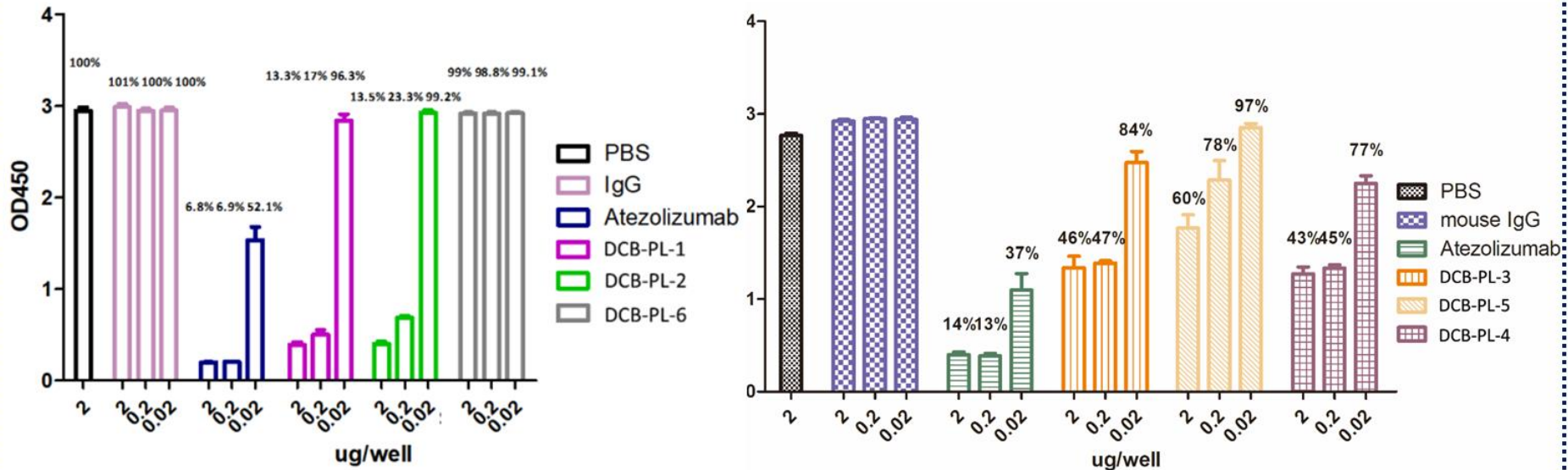


α PD-L1	EC_{50}
DCB-PL-1	4.506×10^{-10}
DCB-PL-2	4.342×10^{-10}
DCB-PL-3	3.491×10^{-10}
DCB-PL-4	5.309×10^{-10}
DCB-PL-5	1.652×10^{-9}
DCB-PL-6	3.896×10^{-10}

DCB' s anti-PD-L1 mAbs Effectively Block PD-1/PD-L1 Interaction

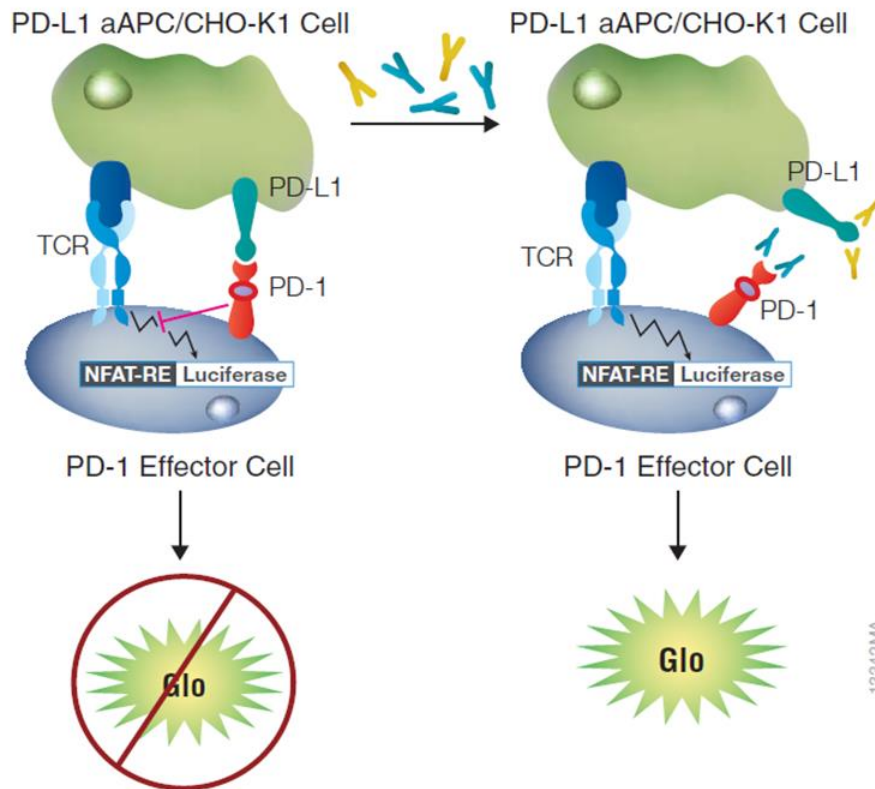


PD-1/PD-L1 blocking assay (ELISA based)



DCB' s Anti-PD-L1 mAbs Show Good PD-1/PD-L1 Blocking Bioactivity

PD-1/PD-L1 Blockade Assay (Cell based)



mAb	EC ₅₀ (g/mL)
BCB-PL-1	1.83×10 ⁻⁷
BCB-PL-2	4.33×10 ⁻⁷
BCB-PL-3	1.14×10 ⁻⁷
BCB-PL-4	1.11×10 ⁻⁷

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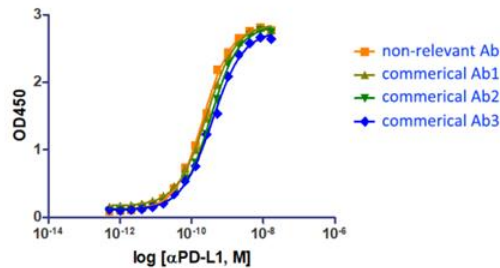
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The Binding Epitopes of DCB's PD-L1 mAbs Are not Overlapped with Commercial Antibodies



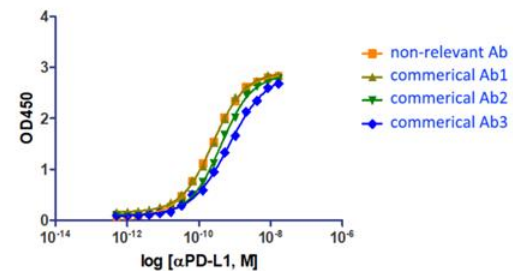
Competitive Binding Assay

DCB-PL-1



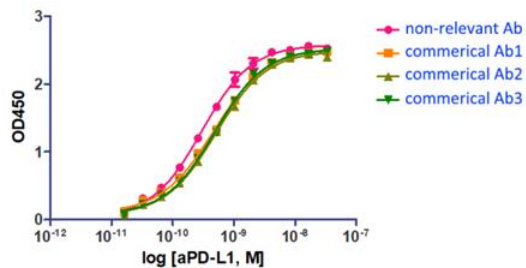
	non-relevant Ab	commercial Ab1	commercial Ab2	commercial Ab3
EC50	2.148e-010	2.658e-010	3.400e-010	3.790e-010

DCB-PL-2



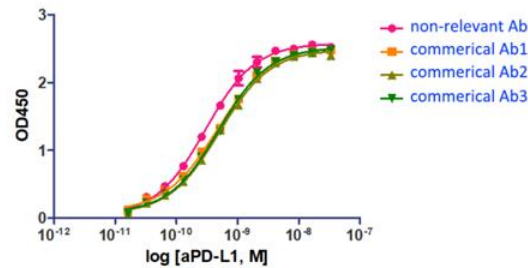
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DCB-PL-3



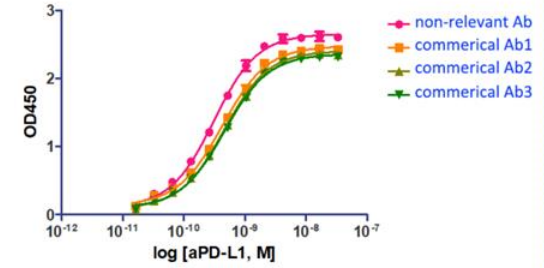
	non-relevant Ab	commercial Ab1	commercial Ab2	commercial Ab3
EC50	3.009e-010	4.718e-010	5.091e-010	4.893e-010

DCB-PL-4



	non-relevant Ab	commercial Ab1	commercial Ab2	commercial Ab3
EC50	3.009e-010	4.718e-010	5.091e-010	4.893e-010

DCB-PL-5

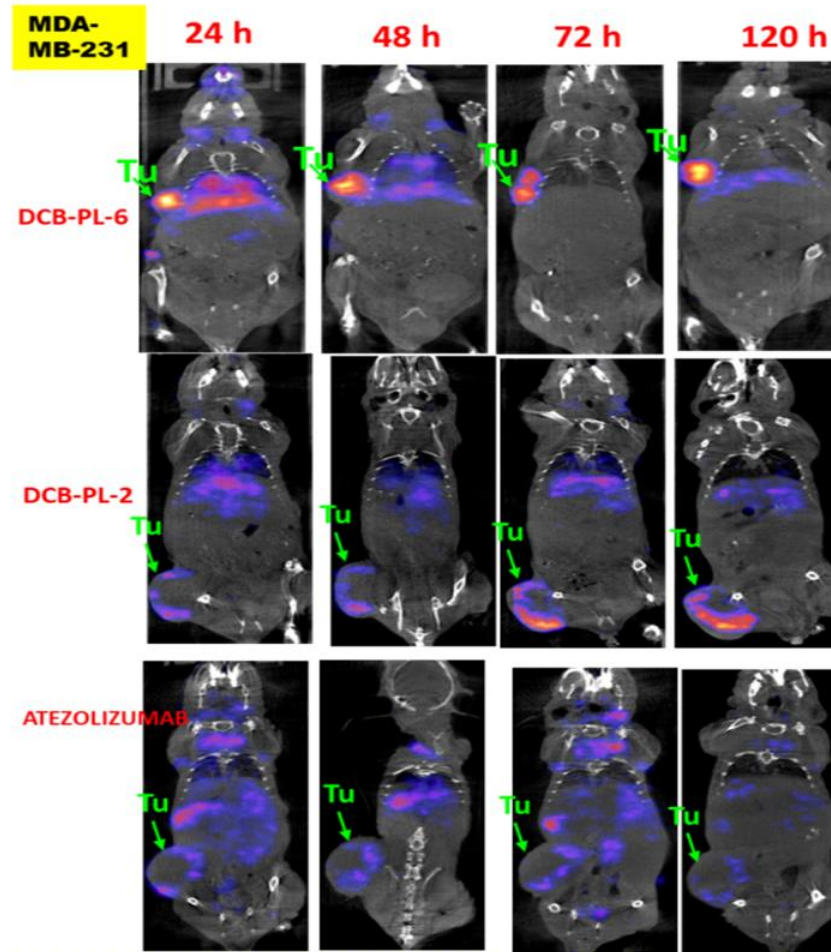


	non-relevant Ab	commercial Ab1	commercial Ab2	commercial Ab3
EC50	3.093e-010	4.249e-010	4.577e-010	4.612e-010

DCB's anti-PD-L1 mAbs Can Specifically Detected PD-L1 Expression Tumor



Tissue Distribution



Development of CSF-1R Antibody Drug to Target Tumor-Associated Macrophage for Cancer Immunotherapy

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CSF-1 Signaling Induces Monocyte Differentiate into M2 Macrophage in Tumor Microenvironment

In a tumor tissue, there are not only tumor cell, but also many immune cell, fibroblast and stromal cell. All of these constitute an immune suppressive tumor microenvironment.

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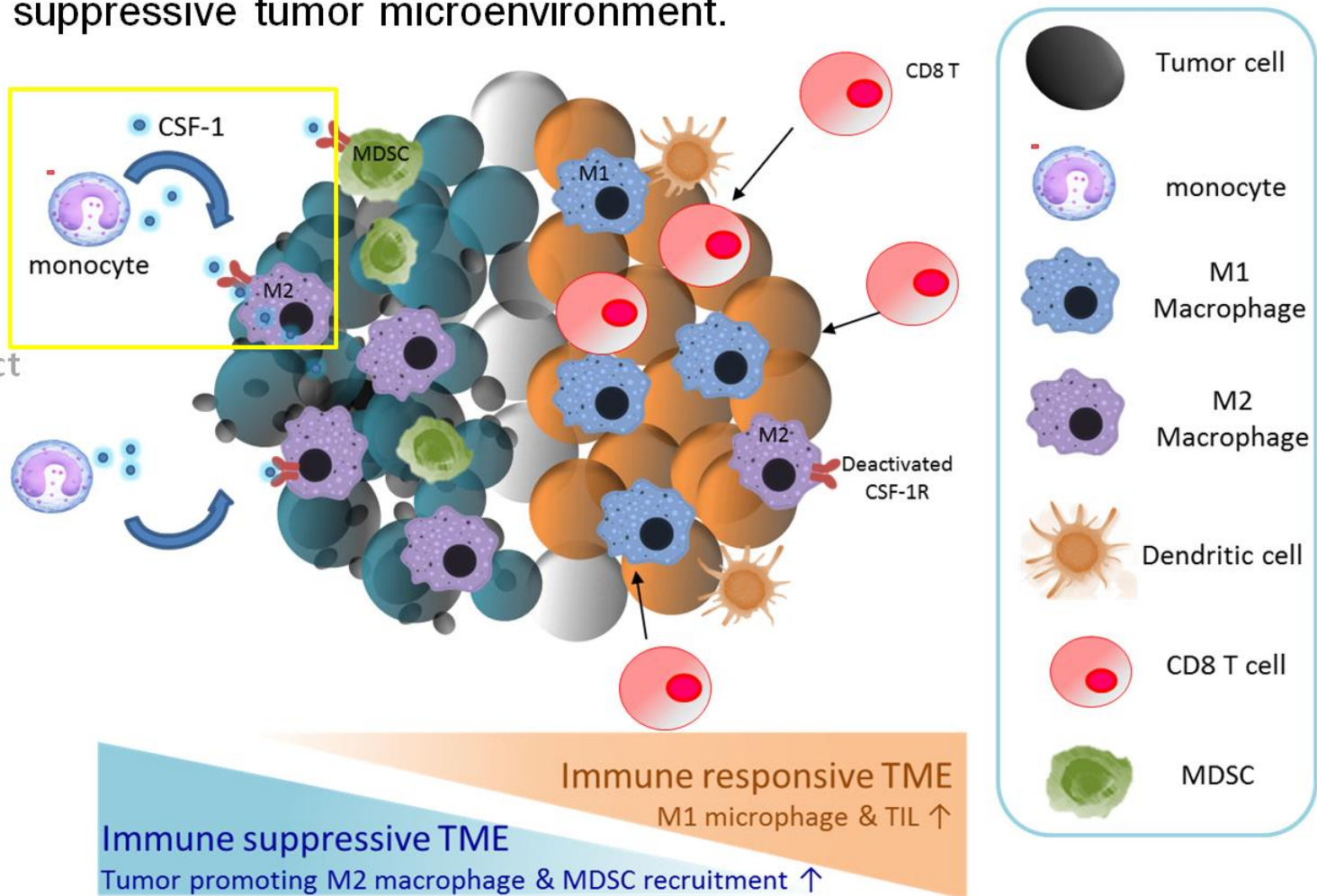
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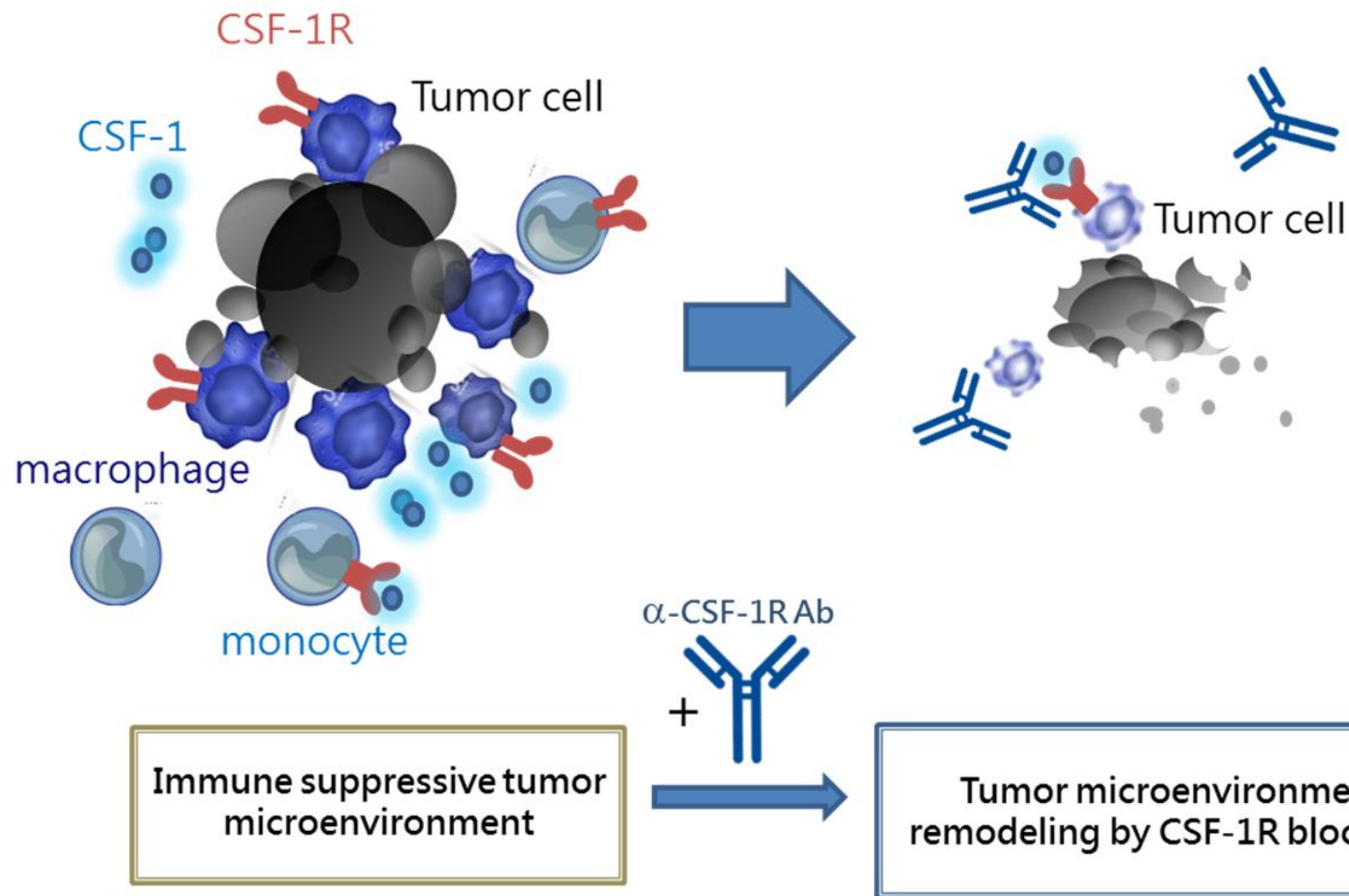
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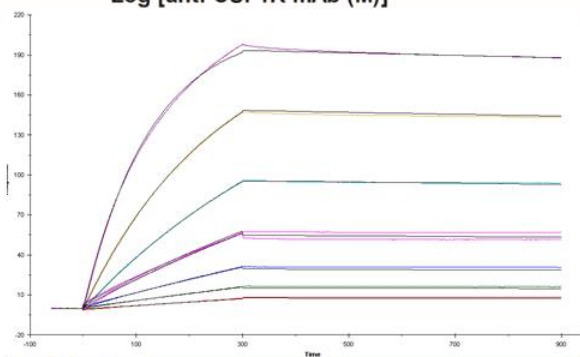
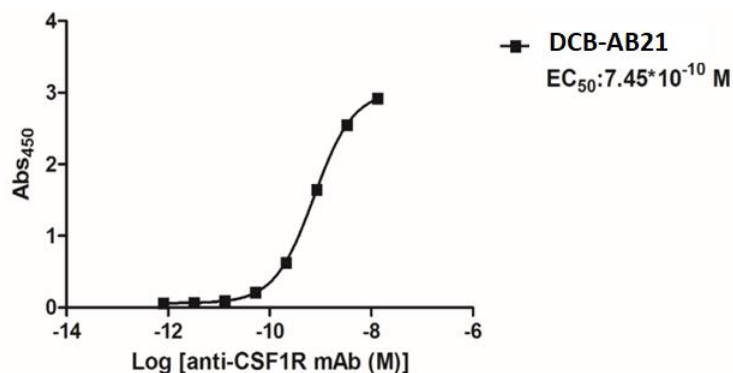
Remodeling the Immunosuppressive Tumor Microenvironment via anti-CSF-1R Antibody



- anti-CSF-1R Ab can remodeling the tumor microenvironment from immune suppressive to immune responsive.

DCB-AB21 Binds to CSF-1R and Blocks the Interaction Between CSF-1 and CSF-1R

Binding Property

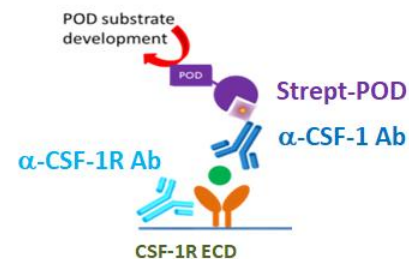
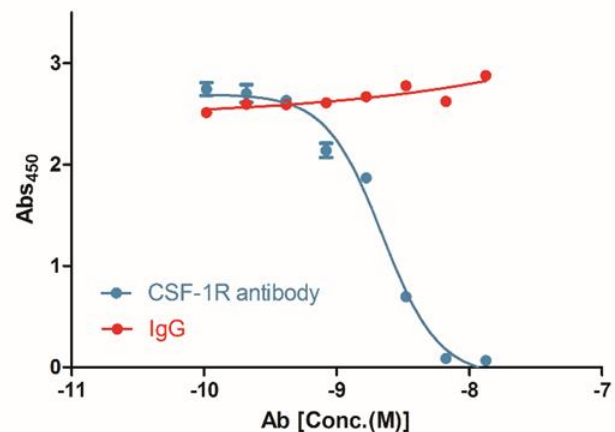


Curve	ka(1/Ms)	kd(1/s)	KD(M)	Rmax(RU)	Chi ² (RU ²)
1	3.992E+5	4.904E-5	1.228E-10	213.8	2.22

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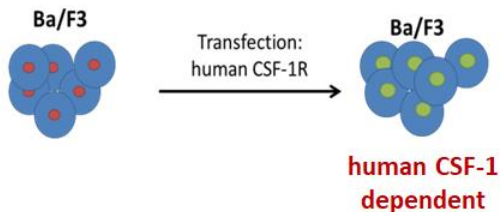
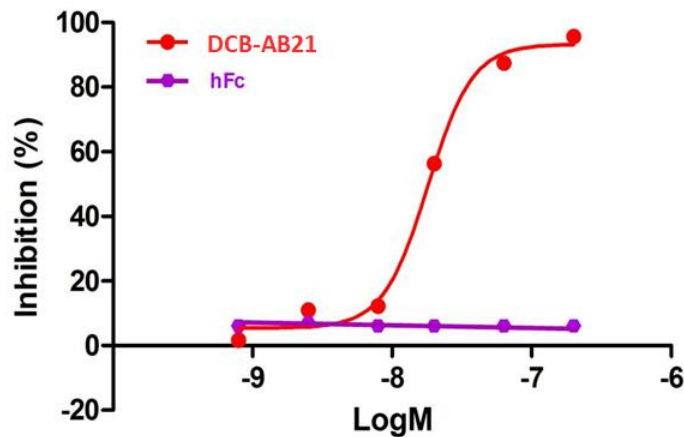
High affinity (around sub-nM level)

Blocking Property

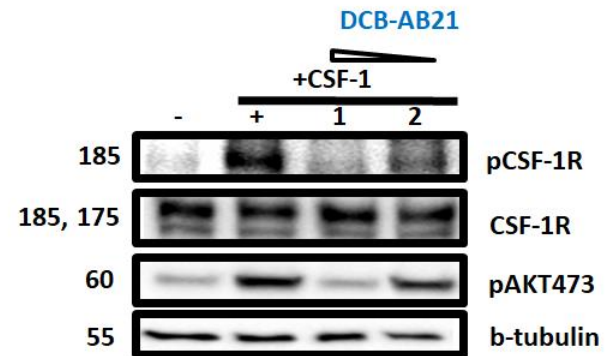


DCB-AB21 Inhibits Ligand-Dependent Cell Growth and Downstream Signaling

Ligand-dependent Cell growth Inhibition



CSF-1 downstream signaling



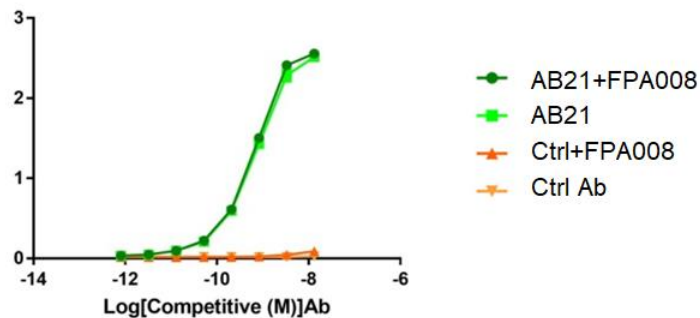
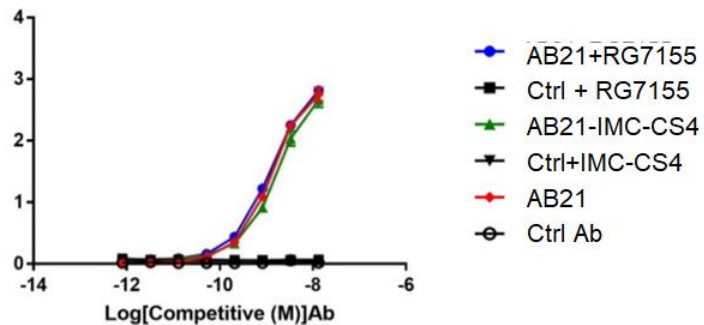
- : Negative control (THP-1 only)
+ : Positive control (+ CSF-1)
1: + CSF-1R Ab 5 ug/ml
2: + CSF-1R Ab 0.5 ug/ml

DCB-AB21 Owns Unique Epitopes and Could Generate Clinical Benefits



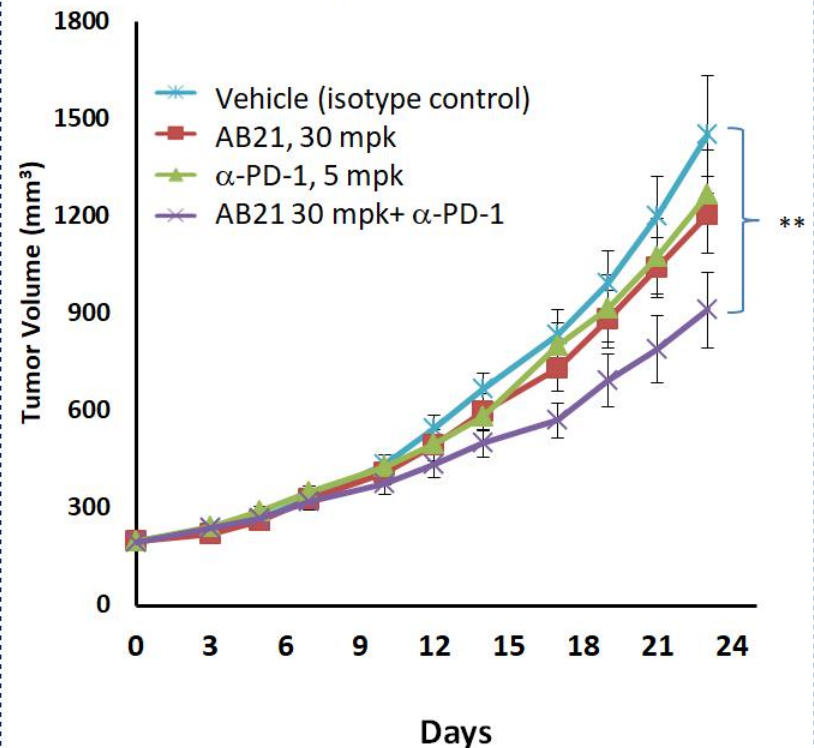
Non-Overlapping Epitopes

Ab competition Assay



Anti-tumor activity

RKO cell (colon carcinoma)





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TIM-3 is a Second Wave Immune Checkpoint after PD-1/PD-L1

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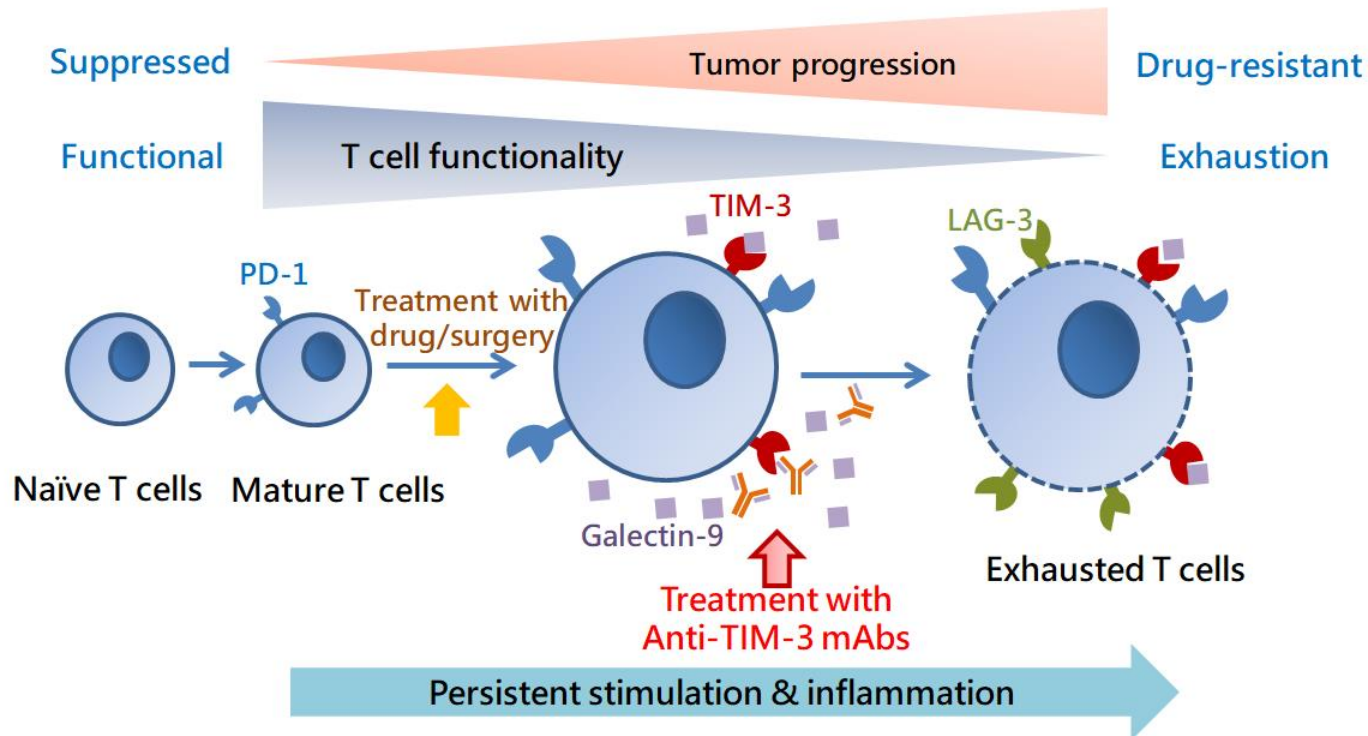
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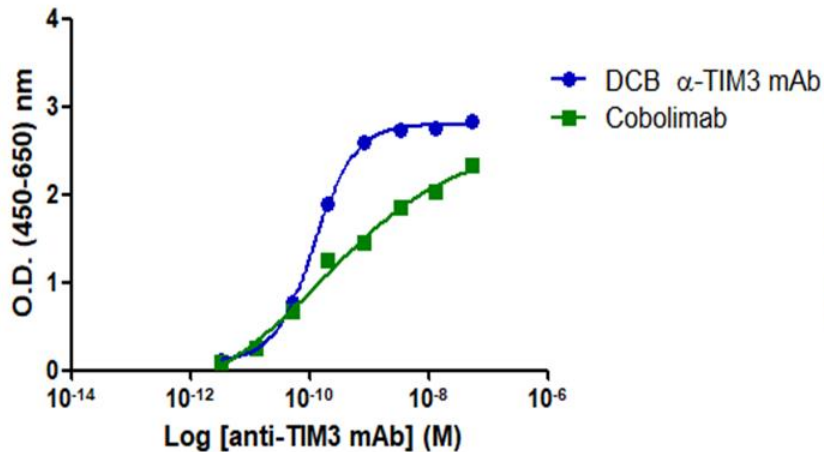
- Low response rate is still the limitation of cancer immunotherapy
- Co-inhibitory receptor Tim-3 is associated with acquisition of T cell exhaustion
- TIM-3 antibody can increase the T cell activity, and inhibit the tumor growth

α -TIM3 mAb Can Bind to TIM-3 with High Affinity

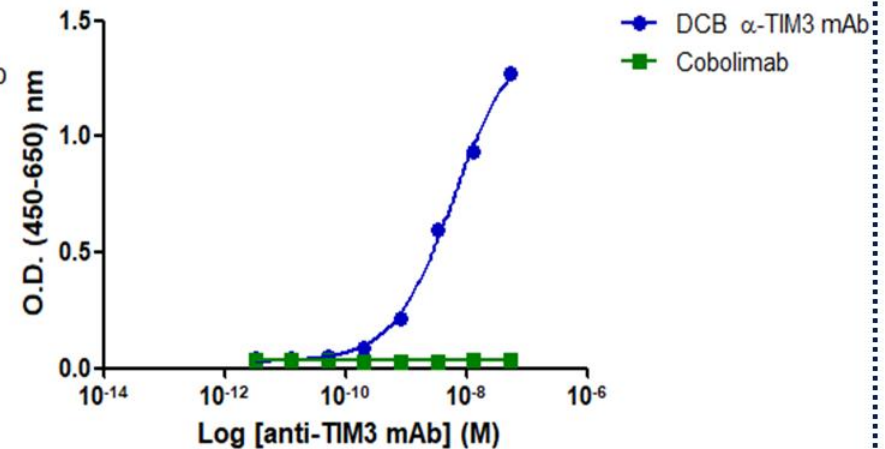


Binding Property

Anti-human TIM-3 ELISA



Anti-mouse TIM-3 ELISA



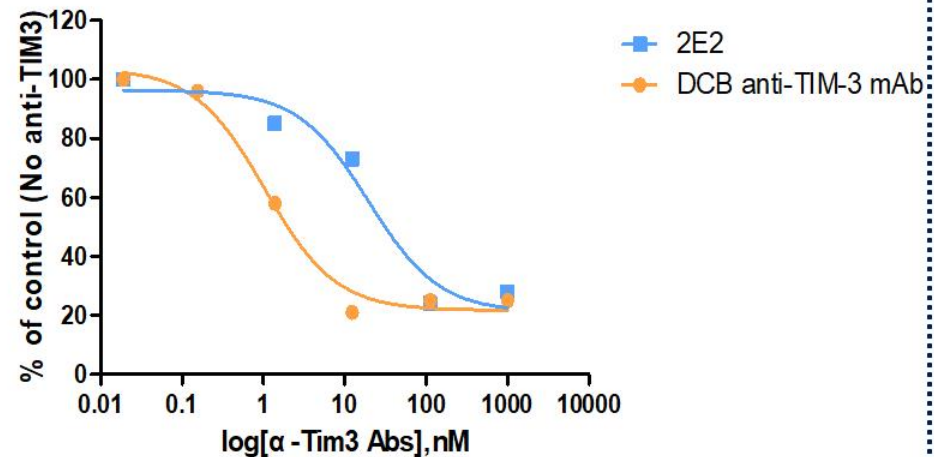
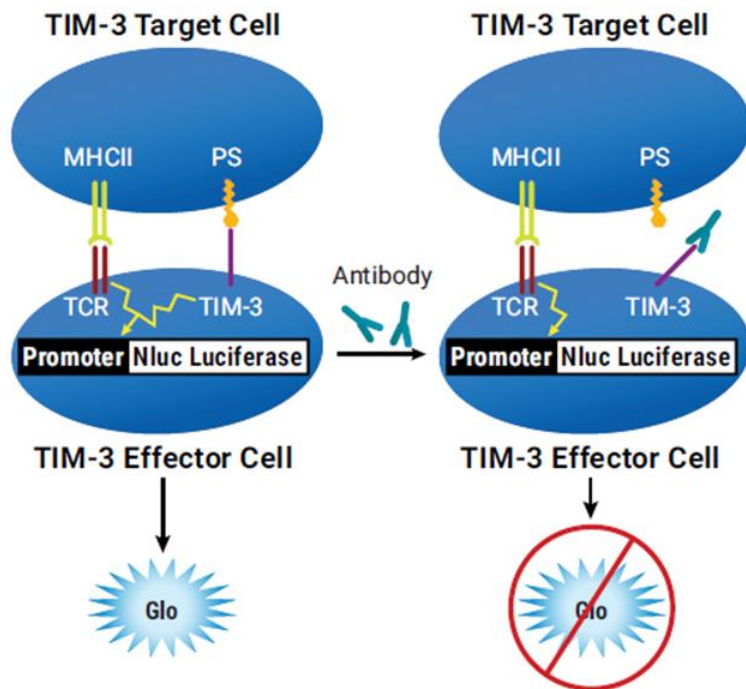
— Cobolimab is an anti-TIM-3 mAb in clinical trial phase II

- The fully human anti-TIM-3 antibody binds to human TIM-3 with high affinity and shows cross-species binding ability to mouse TIM-3

α -TIM3 mAbs Block TIM-3 in TIM-3 Functional Bioassay Study



TIM-3 Bioassay



	EC ₅₀ (nM)
Reference Ab (2E2)	17
DCB's α -TIM-3 mAb	1.04

Possibility, Status, Strategy



IP **CSF-1R**

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PCT (PCT/US2019/066384), 2019
Taiwan patent (No.108145750) 2019

IP **PD-L1**

PCT/US2019/041747, 2019
TW108124494, 2019

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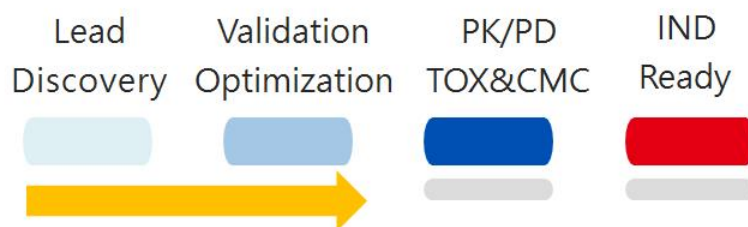
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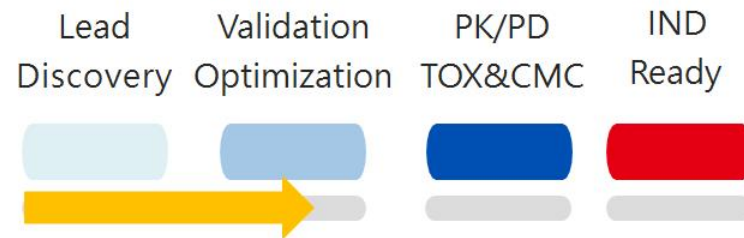
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1. DCB's have identified novel anti-PD-L1, anti-CSF-1R, and anti-TIM3 mAbs with **high affinity** and are **highly functional**.
2. They have **unique CDR sequences** and different **binding epitopes** from competitors.
3. CSF-1R Ab have proved **anti-tumor activity** when **combine with immune checkpoint inhibitors**.
4. Patents of CSF-1R and PD-L1 antibodies are filed. We are searching for exclusive license or cooperation opportunity.

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