



## The beginning of the end for KRAS cancers

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## **Precision cancer therapies in 2022**

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Target	Cancer types	Molecules		
ALK fusion	NSCLC adeno, ALCL	crizotinib, alectinib, ceritinib, brigatinib, lorlatinib		
BCR-ABL fusion	CML, Ph+ ALL	imatinib, dasatinib, nilotinib, bosutinib, ponatinib, asciminib		
BRAF V600E mutation	Melanoma, hairy cell leukemia, NSCLC adeno, anaplastic thyroid, colorectal	vemurafenib, dabrafenib, encorafenib (+MEKi; +EGFRi in CRC)		
BRCA mutation	Breast, epith. ovarian, fall. tube, peritoneal, prostate, pancreatic cancer	olaparib, rucaparib, talazoparib, niraparib		
EGFR del19/L858R mutation	NSCLC adeno	gefitinib, erlotinib, afatinib, osimertinib, dacomitinib		
EGFR T790M mutation	NSCLC adeno	osimertinib		
EGFR exon 20 insertion	NSCLC adeno	amivantamab, mobocertinib		
EzH2 mutation	Follicular lymphoma, epitheloid sarcoma	tazemetostat		
FGFR2 fusion	Cholangiocarcinoma	pemigatinib, infigratinib		
FGFR2/3 mutation or fusion	Bladder cancer	erdafitinib		
FLT3 mutation	AML	midostaurin, gilteritinib		
HER2 amplification	Breast cancer, gastric cancer	trastuzumab, pertuzumab, ado-trastuzumab emtansine, lapatinib, neratinib, margetuximab-cmkb, fam-trastuzumab-deruxtecan-nxki, tucatinib		
IDH1 mutant, IDH2 mutant	AML	ivosidenib (IDH1), enasidenib (IDH2)		
KIT/PDGFR mutation	GIST, MDS	imatinib, ripretinib		
KRAS G12C mutation	NSCLC adeno	sotorasib		
MET exon 14 mutation	NSCLC adeno	capmatinib, tepotinib		
NF1 mutation	Neurofibromatosis type 1	selumetinib		
NTRK fusion	NSCLC adeno, other (agnostic)	larotrectenib, entrectenib		
PIK3CA mutation	ER/PR+, HER2- breast cancer	alpelisib		
PDGFRA exon 18 mutation	GIST	avapritinib		
RETfusion	NSCLC adeno, papillary thyroid cancer	selpercatinib, pralsetinib		
ROS1 fusion	NSCLC adeno	crizotinib, entrectenib		
VHL mutation	VHL-associated RCC, CNS hemangioblastoma, PNET	belzutifan		

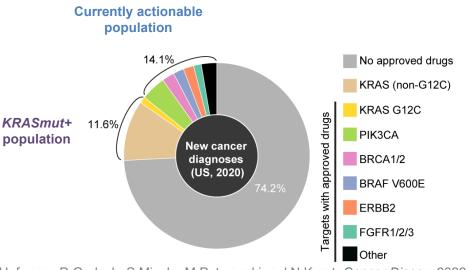
## Impact of drugging all KRAS mutants



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- Drugging all KRAS mutants has the potential to almost double the reach of Precision Oncology
- New patients per year in the U.S.:
  - ~250,000 cancer patients (14.1%) eligible for FDA approved precision medicines
  - ~210,000 patients (11.6%) with KRAS mutated or amplified cancers
- KRASmut+ population largely non-





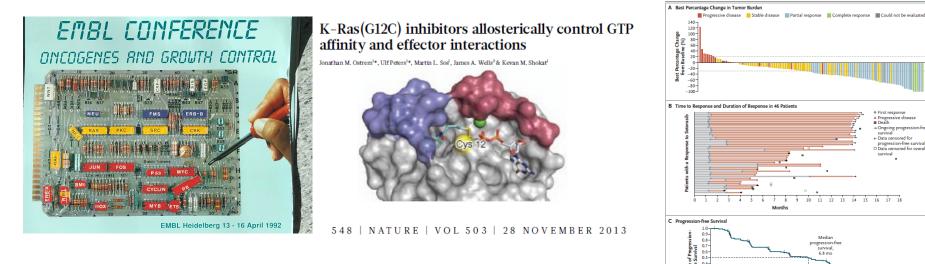
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## **Progress in cracking KRAS**

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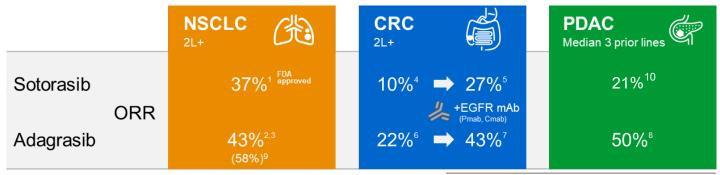
- 1982-2012: Three decades of tinkering with targeting RAS
- 2013: Direct KRAS G12C inhibition (Ostrem et al., Nature 2013)
- 2021: FDA approval of KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> inhibitor sotorasib (Skoulidis et al., NEJM 2021)

### KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> is an actionable cancer driver



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## Objective Response Rates (ORR) of patients with KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> mutated tumors



Small patient numbers reported to date

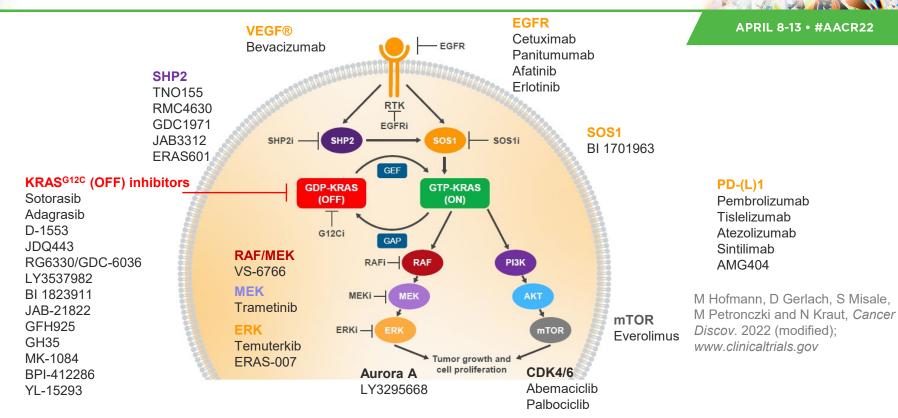
## Mutant-selective KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> inhibitors are currently changing the treatment paradigm for patients with KRAS<sup>G12C</sup>-mutated cancers

<sup>1</sup>Skoulidis et al., NEJM 2021; Phase 2 CodeBreaK 100; DCR 81% <sup>3</sup>Mirati Therapeutics Investor Call 20<sup>th</sup> Sept 2021; Phase 1/1b, 2 KRYSTAL-1; DCR 98% <sup>5</sup>Fakih et al ESMO 2021#3245; CodeBreak101 ph1b; sotorasib+panitumumab; n=26 pts, incl. 3 uPR, DCR 87% <sup>7</sup>Fakih M, ESMO Sept 16-212021. Abstract nr 434; KRYSTAL-1 ph 1/2; adagrasib+cetuximab; n=28 its, incl. 2 uPR, DCR 100% <sup>9</sup>Mirati Therapeutics Investor Call 8<sup>th</sup> November 2021 <sup>2</sup>AACR-NCI-EORTC 2020. Abstr LBA-04 <sup>4</sup>ASCO 2021 Amgen investor cell p23; CodeBreak100 ph 1/2, DCR 74% <sup>6</sup>Weiss J, ESMO Sept 16-21 2021. Abstract nr LBA6; KRYSTAL-1, ph1/2; n=45 pts, incl. 1 uPR, DCR 87% <sup>6</sup>Christensen, AACR-NCI-EORTC Molecular Targets Meeting, Oct 9, 2021; n=10 pts, incl. 1 uPR, DCR 100% <sup>10</sup>Bekaii-Saab, ASCO-GI 2022 oral presentation

#### ANNUA Clinical KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> inhibitor resistance American Association for Cancer Research 2022 Upstream Resistance Alterations **APRIL 8-13 • #AACR22** = resistance mechanism KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> ALK EML4-ALK KRASG KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> eration KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> RFT RET<sup>M918T</sup>. CCDC6-RET upstream KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> KRAS<sup>G120</sup> upstrea Iteration MET METAMP teratio KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> KRASG12C KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> EGFR EGFRP1108L, EGFRAMP, EGFRA289V KRAS RASG12 FGFR2 FGFR2D304N, FGFR2A68T, FGFR2AMP, FGFR3-TACC3 Histologic transformation KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> KRAS from adenocarcinoma KRAS<sup>G120</sup> RAS Resistance Alterations to squamous-cell carcinoma in NSCLC KRAS<sup>G12</sup> KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> + RAS G12D\*\*, G12V\*\*, G12F\*\*\*, G12W\*\*\*, KRAS KRAS Secondary\* alteration A RAS G12R, G13D, Q61H, V8I, V14I **Primary Tumor** + RAS KRAS Amplification G12C and wild-type alteration KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> Other Resistance Alterations **KRAS Drug Pocket** R68S, H95D, H95R, Y96D, Y96C PIK3R1<sup>S361fs</sup>, PIK3R1<sup>H1047R</sup>, PTENN48K, NRAS Mutation G13V, Q61L, Q61K, Q61R **PI3K** PTENE106G, PTENE200S, PTENG209V, RICTORAMP KRASG12C APCP1001S, APCA1002G, CTNNB1D546G WNT Downstream Resistance Alterations downstream alteratio alteration KRASGI2C PTCH1<sup>E1257K</sup> Hedgehog BRAFV600E, BRAFK601E, AKAP9-BRAF, NRF1-BRAF, RAF **KRAS<sup>G</sup>** RAF1-CCDC176, RAF1-TRAK1 + downstream SMARCA4R181Kfs\*106, RB1L60Ffs\*50, IDH2R1725, IDH1R132C, RIT1P128L, NF1R2637 observed for Miscellaneous MEK MAP2K1<sup>K57N</sup>, MAP2K1<sup>K57T</sup>, MAP2K1<sup>Q56P</sup>, appendiceal cancer patient MAP2K1<sup>I99-K104</sup>, MAP2K1<sup>E102-I103del</sup> Black indicates NSCLC only. Red indicates CRC only. 1. Tanaka, N., et al., 2021. Cancer Discovery. · Ct DNA for G12C not always detected Bold indicates both NSCLC and CRC Awad, M.M. et al., 2021., 384(25), pp.2382-2393. \*\* mutations detected in trans Zhao, Y., et al., 2021, Nature, pp.1-5. 3. \*\*\* mutations in cis

## Clinical combination strategies for KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> inhibitors



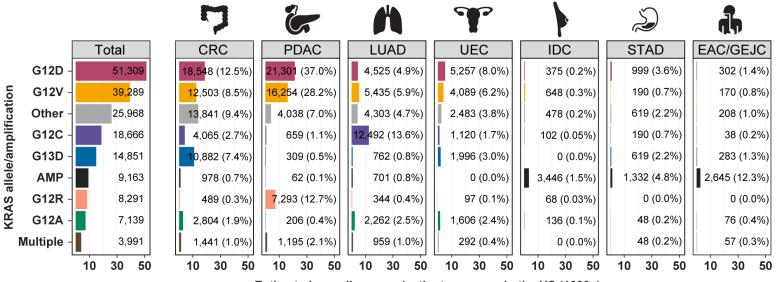


# Opportunities of drugging KRAS beyond KRAS<sup>G12C</sup>



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Patient numbers for distinct KRAS mutant alleles/amplification in top 7 cancer types (US)



Estimated new diagnoses/patients per year in the US (1000s)

CRC: colorectal cancer; PDAC: pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma; LUAD: lung adenocarcinoma; UEC: undifferentiated endometrial carcinoma; IDC: invasive ductal carcinoma; STAD: stomach adenocarcinoma; EAC/GEJC: esophageal adenocarcinoma/ gastroesophageal junction cancer



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## **KRAS** inhibitors in development

More than 10 KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> inhibitors in clinical development (druggability advantage of nucleophilic cysteine)



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- Non-KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> mutants pose significantly druggability challenges (no inherent nucleophilicity)
- All KRAS inhibitors beyond KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> covered here (blue box) are at preclinical stage

Mutant-specific KRAS inhibitors					
Programs (company)	IND	Target	Phase		
Sotorasib/AMG 510 (Amgen)			Approved		
Adagrasib/MRTX849 (Mirati)					
D-1553 (InventisBio)					
JDQ443 (Novartis)					
RG6330/GDC-6036 (Roche)		KRAS <sup>G12C</sup>			
LY3537982 (Eli Lilly)			Clinical		
BI 1823911 (Boehringer Ingelheim)					
JAB-21822 (Jacobio)					
GFH925 (GenFleet)					
GH35 (Genhouse Bio)					
MRTX1133 (Mirati)					
KRASG12D1-3 (Boehringer Ingelheim)		KRAS <sup>G12D</sup>			
RAS(ON) G12D (Revolution Medicines)			Preclinical		
RAS(ON) G13C (Revolution Medicines)		KRAS <sup>G13C</sup>			

LUNA18 (Chugai), cyclic peptide pan-RAS inhibitor, Clinical

Pan-(K)	RAS inhibito	ors	
			Phase
RSC-1255 (RasCal Therapeutics)		Pan-RAS	Clinical
BI-pan-KRAS1-4 inhibitors		Pan-KRAS:	
(Boehringer Ingelheim)		KRAS <sup>G12D/V</sup> ,	
	_	KRAS wild type	ē
BI-pan-KRASdegrader1		Pan-KRAS:	
(Boehringer Ingelheim)		KRAS <sup>G12C/D/V/A</sup>	,
		KRAS <sup>G13C</sup> ,	
		KRASA146T/P.	
		KRASQ61E/P	
		KRAS wild-type	e
RMC-6236 (Revolution Medicines)		Pan-RAS:	
		KRAS <sup>G12D/V</sup>	
		KRAS <sup>G13D</sup>	
		KRAS <sup>061K</sup>	
		RAS wild-type	2
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#### AACR ANNI JA Mirati Therapeutics: Discovery of MRTX1133, J( -American Association a non-covalent inhibitor of KRAS<sup>G12D</sup> for Cancer Research 2022 New Urlean Medicinal chemistry campaign towards MRTX1133 **APRIL 8-13 • #AACR22** 1 warhead removed C-4 substitution change 2. core switch 5A R= CH<sub>2</sub>CN 5B R = H MRTX849 15 5B single-digit µM K $K_{\rm D}({\rm G12D}) = 3.5 \,\mu{\rm M}$ K<sub>D</sub>(G12D) = 0.0008 μM $K_{\rm D}(WT) = 36 \, {\rm uM}$ HTRF KRAS(G12D) IC50 = 0.005 µM C-2 substitution change Wang et al., J. Med. Chem. Fragment Merge C-7 substitution 2022, 65, 4, 3123; Zheng et {15, 25, 36} change al., J. Med. Chem. 2022, 65, 4,3119 **MRTX1133** 36 25 Kp(G12D) ~ 0.0002 nM HTRF KRAS(G12D) ICso = < 0.002 µM HTRF KRAS(G12D) IC=0 = < 0.002 µM AlphaLISA IC<sub>50</sub> = 5 nM pERK AGS IC50 = 2 nM 2D viability AGS(KRAS G12D) ICso = 6 nM

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2D viability MKN1(KRAS WT) IC<sub>50</sub>>3000 nM

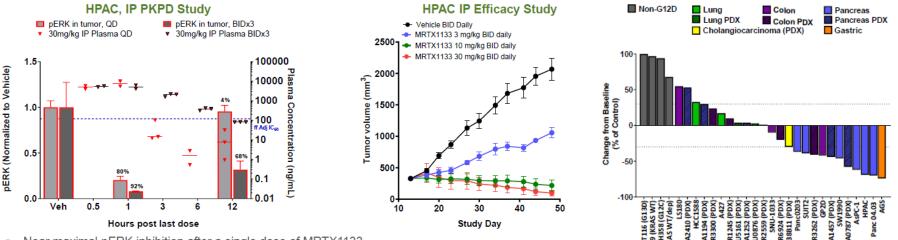
## Characterization of MRTX1133 in KRAS<sup>G12D</sup> xenograft models

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## IP administration of MRTX1133 to xenograft tumor-bearing mice inhibits KRAS signaling and exhibits antitumor activity

MRTX1133 demonstrates cytoreductive antitumor efficacy across a panel of xenograft tumor models



- Near maximal pERK inhibition after a single dose of MRTX1133
- BIDx3 administration demonstrates robust pERK inhibition for entire dose interval and correlates with maximal antitumor efficacy

#### Limited oral bioavailability; formulations to enable IV delivery and maximize plasma exposure are being pursued

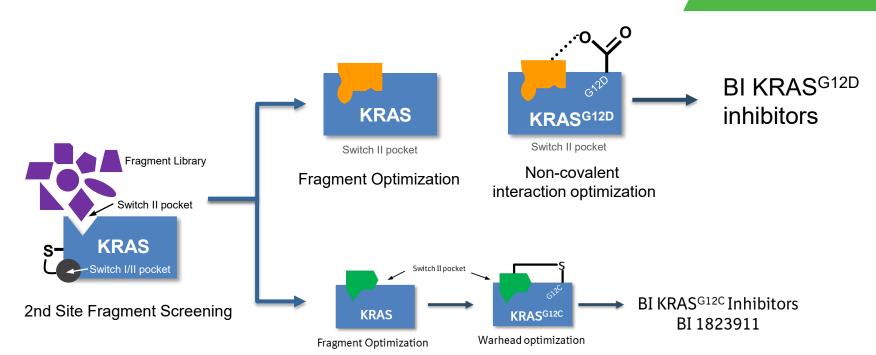
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J Christensen, AACR/NCI/EORTC Conference 2021

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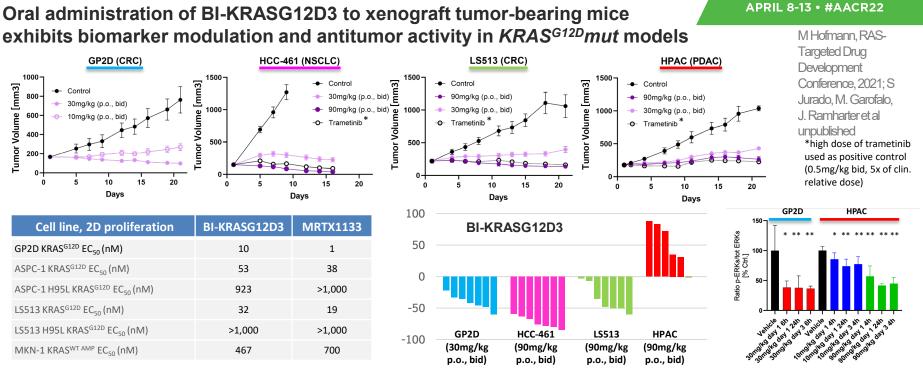
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## Characterization of BI-KRAS<sup>G12D</sup> inhibitors

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### BI-KRASG12D3 is an orally available, mutant-selective non-covalent inhibitor of KRAS<sup>G12D</sup>

# Revolution Medicines: Mutant selectivity beyond KRAS<sup>G12C</sup>

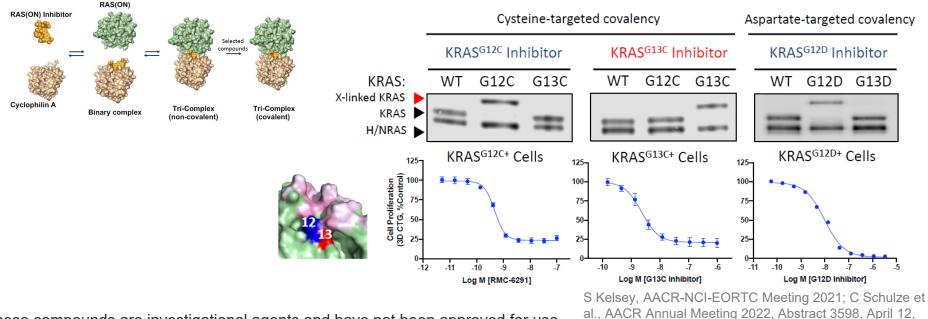


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### Formation of inhibitory tri-complexes

### Mutant selective inhibition of KRAS<sup>G13C</sup> and KRAS<sup>G12D</sup>

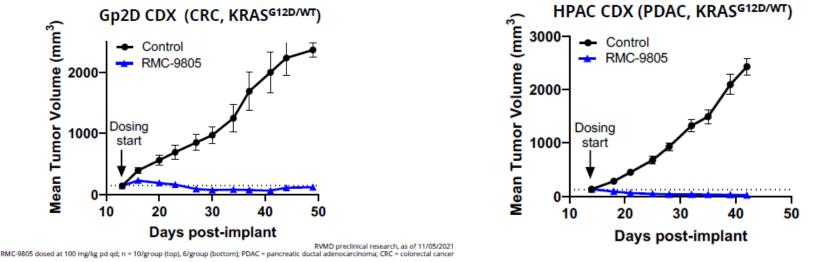
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## RMC-9805: *In vivo* efficacy in models of KRAS<sup>G12D</sup> cancers



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dosed at 100 mg/kg p.o. qd

#### RMC-9805 is an orally available, mutant-selective covalent inhibitor of KRAS<sup>G12D</sup>

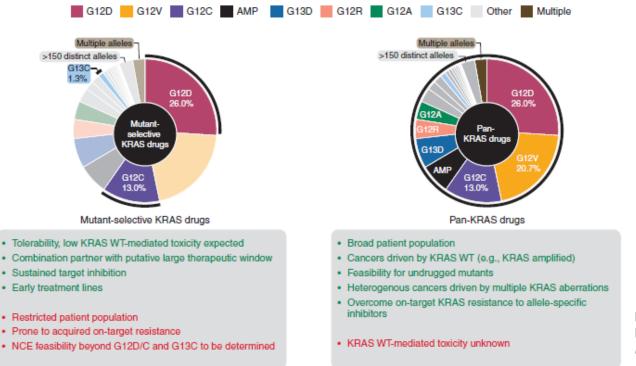
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S Kelsey, Corporate Presentation 2022; JE Knox et al., AACR Annual Meeting 2022, Abstract 3596, April 12, 2022

# Selectively versus broadly addressing KRAS mutants



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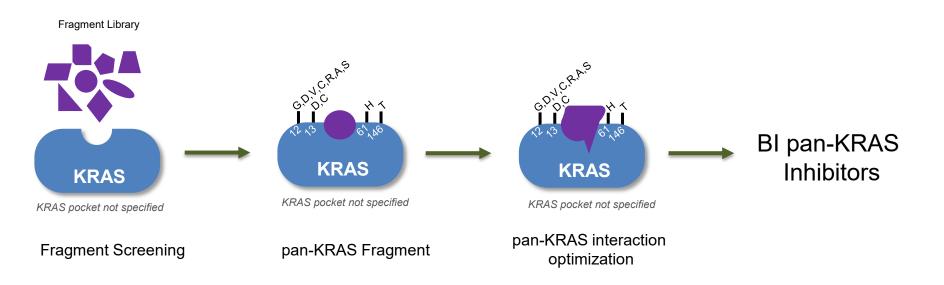


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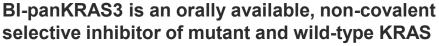
## Characterization of BI-panKRAS inhibitors



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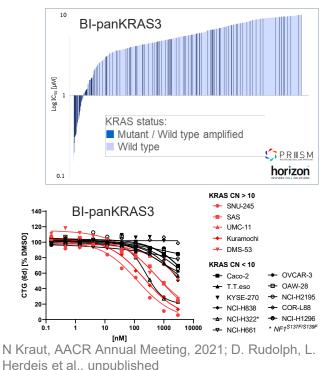
#### Pan-KRAS PPI Inhibition Pan-RAS PPI Inhibition (BI-panKRAS1, GDP-RAS::SOS1 AlphaScreen) (BI-2852, GDP-RAS::SOS1 AlphaScreen) 140-120-KRAS 120-G12D Relative Luminescence Units រ<mark>ខ</mark>្ខ័100 · 100 - KRAS HRAS 80-🕂 G12D NRAS 80 60-HRAS Relative 40-NRAS 60 20-0. 40 10-12 10-10 10-8 10-6 10-4 BI-2852 concentration [M] 20 PPI Inhibition (Alphascreen) BI-2852 BI-panKRAS1 IC<sub>50</sub> GDP-KRAS<sup>G12D</sup>::SOS1 19 nM 820 nM 10-10 10.8 10-6 10 IC<sub>50</sub> GDP-KRAS<sup>wt</sup>::SOS1 91 nM 460 nM BI-panKRAS1 concentration [M] IC50 GDP-HRASWT::SOS1 ~20000 nM 920 nM IC<sub>50</sub> GDP-NRAS<sup>wt</sup>::SOS1 ~20000 nM 640 nM

### **BI-panKRAS1** is isotype selective for KRAS



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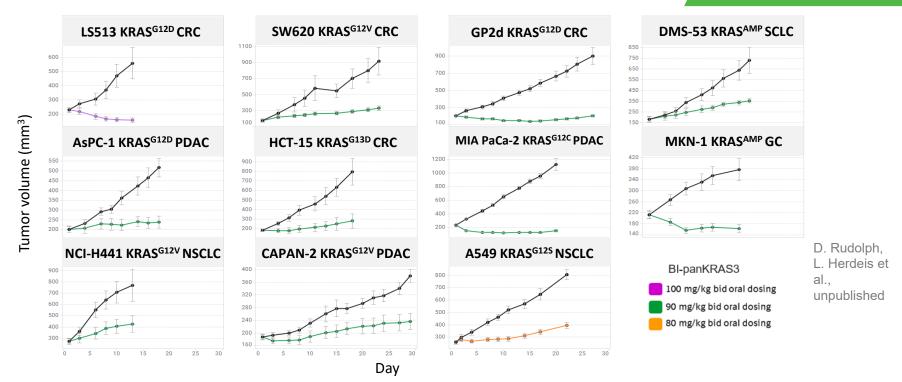
### **BI-panKRAS3** activity on cell panel



### BI-panKRAS3: *In vivo* efficacy in models of KRAS<sup>MUT/AMP</sup> cancers



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CRC=colorectal cancer; PDAC\_ pancreatic cancer; NSCLC=non-small cell lung cancer; SCLC= small cell lung cancer; GC= gastric cancer

## Revolution Medicines: Characterization of RAS<sup>MULTI</sup> inhibitor RMC-6236



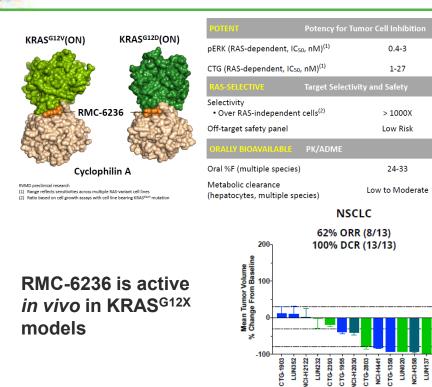
CRC

38% ORR (5/13)

54% DCR (7/13)

dosed at 25 mg/kg p.o. qd

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RMC-6236 inhibits KRAS, HRAS and NRAS

mPD

KRAS<sup>G12V</sup>

PDAC

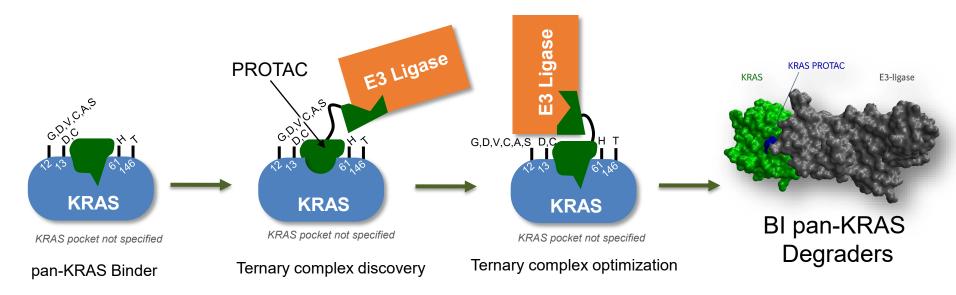
57% ORR (8/14)

86% DCR (12/14)

### Boehringer Ingelheim approach to pan-KRAS degraders



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PROTACs = Proteolysis Targeting Chimeras

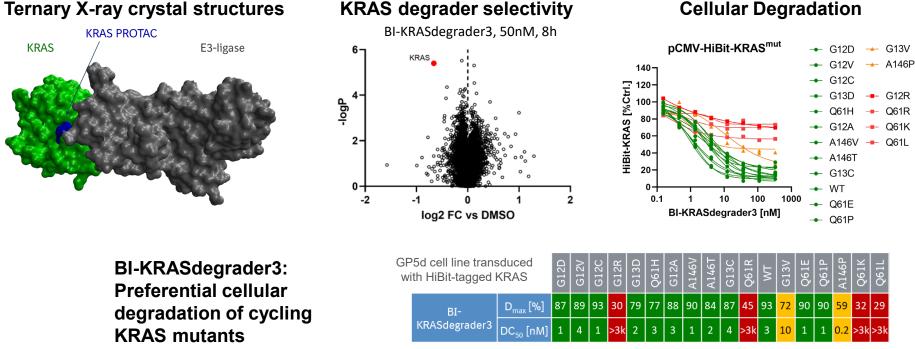
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# PROTACs enable irreversible KRAS inhibition by degradation



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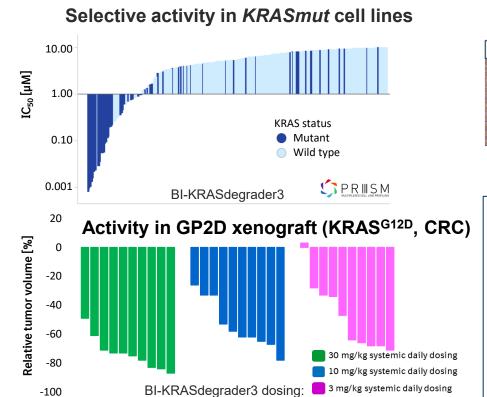


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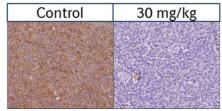
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### Characterization of BI-KRASdegrader3: In vivo degradation and efficacy





### In vivo KRAS degradation

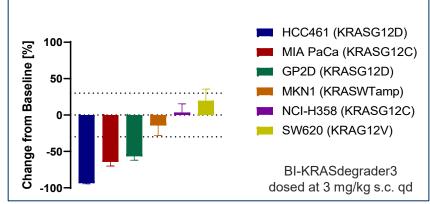


BI-KRASdegrader3: KRAS protein levels in GP2D model after 24 hours treatment

J. Popow, C. Kofink et al. unpublished

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### Activity across KRAS-driven xenograft models





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### Summary and conclusions:

- Targeting KRAS has the potential to almost double the patient population eligible for precision oncology
- Progress in drugging other KRAS mutants with allele-specific inhibitors, eg
  KRAS<sup>G12D</sup> and KRAS<sup>G13C</sup> Feasibility for other KRAS mutants to be determined
- Strong rationale for pan-KRAS concepts, including direct pan-(K)RAS inhibitors and pan-KRAS degraders – Broad mutant coverage appears feasible
- First compounds directly targeting KRAS beyond KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> are expected to reach the clinic soon
- We are at the beginning of the end for KRAS cancers: Drugging of all the major KRAS mutant variants and advancing rational combinations for all KRAS-driven cancers is gaining traction

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