# Luveltamab Tazevibulin (STRO-002), an Anti-Folate Receptor Alpha Antibody Drug Conjugate, Safety and Efficacy in a Broad Distribution of FOLRa Expression in Patients With Recurrent Epithelial Ovarian Cancer: Update of STRO-002-GM1 Phase 1 Dose Expansion Cohort

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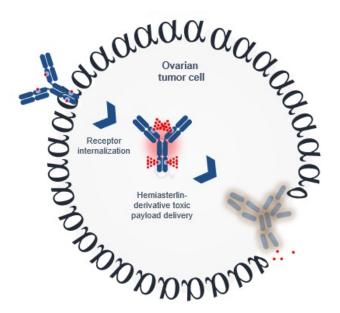
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# Recurrent ovarian cancer remains an area of high unmet medical need

- Standard chemotherapy treatment in the platinum-resistant setting provides limited disease control and survival (ORR of 10%–15%, median PFS 3–4 months, and median OS ~12 months)<sup>1</sup>
- Targeted therapy (eg, antibody drug conjugate [ADC]) has the potential to improve long-term patient outcomes<sup>2</sup>
- Folate receptor alpha (FolRa) is a validated target that is overexpressed in ovarian cancer compared with normal tissue<sup>3,4</sup>
- Luveltamab tazevibulin (luveltamab or STRO-002) is a FolRα-targeting ADC designed using site-specific conjugation and a cell-free synthesis platform to induce cytotoxic and immunogenic cell death
  - Designed to target a broad range of FolRα-expressing tumors
- STRO-002-GM1 is a phase 1 study of luveltamab tazevibulin with an initial dose-ranging expansion cohort in recurrent epithelial ovarian cancer

### Luveltamab tazevibulin



ORR, objective response rate; OS, overall survival; PFS, progression-free survival.

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# Luveltamab tazevibulin is a precisely designed (ADC) effective in targeting lower levels of FolRa-expression

Luveltamab tazevibulin

or STRO-0021

### **SUTRO Cell-Free Platform**

### **Linker-payload position**

**Precise**, **stable position** of cathepsin B linker + tubulin-targeting hemiasterlinderivative\* payload via non-natural amino acids, optimized for **activity** 

### **Consistent product design**

**Every molecule is the same,** delivering consistent DAR4 payload across FolRα expression levels

# Receptor internalization Hemiasterlinderivative toxic payload delivery

### **Luveltamab Design Delivery**

### Cytotoxic tumor activity

Release of payload in circulation is minimized, while intratumor cell cytotoxin delivery is **efficient** 

### Immunogenic cell death†

Payload-induced tumor cell stress stimulates innate immune cells, helping generate **anti-tumor immunity** 

### Luveltamab tazevibulin is designed for optimal therapeutic index



<sup>\*</sup>Sutro-proprietary tubulin-targeting 3-aminophenol hemiasterlin warhead, SC209. †Based on STRO-002 pre-clinical models showing immune stimulation at site of tumor upon cell death. DAR, drug antibody ratio.

<sup>1.</sup> Li X. et al. Mol. Cancer Ther. 22:155-167.

# STRO-002-GM1: phase 1 dose expansion cohort of luveltamab tazevibulin in recurrent epithelial ovarian cancer designed to optimize dose

- Recurrent disease
- Platinum resistant
  1–3 prior regimens or platinum-sensitive
  2–3 prior regimens
- Fresh or archival tissue required
- No mandate for FolRa expression
- At least 1 target lesion

Luveltamab
4.3 mg/kg Q3W
n=23

Luveltamab 5.2 mg/kg Q3W n=21 NCT03748186

- Primary endpoint: ORR by RECIST v1.1
- Secondary endpoints: Safety, PK, PFS, DOR

N = 44

- FolRa expression was determined retrospectively after enrollment
- FolR1 IHC assay (Ventana Medical Systems) using tumor proportion score (TPS)
- Dose reductions required for grade 4 neutropenia regardless of whether it was reported as an AE

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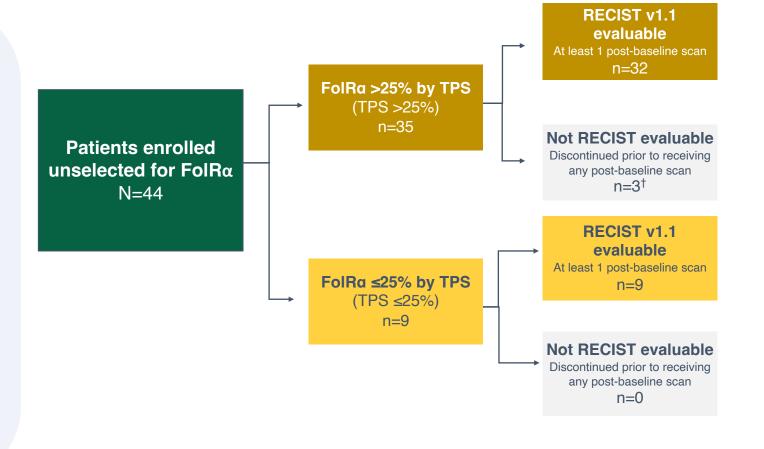
- Growth factors allowed per institutional standard of care
- Ophthalmologist assessment for potential ocular AEs at baseline and every 2 cycles
  - No requirement for prophylactic ocular corticosteroids or antibiotics

AE, adverse event; DOR, duration of response; IHC, immunohistochemistry; PK, pharmacokinetic; Q3W, every 3 weeks; R, randomized; RECIST, Response Evaluation Criteria in Solid Tumors.

1. ClinicalTrials.gov. www.clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/NCT03748186. Accessed May 1, 2023.

# Analysis populations include all comers (unselected for FolRα) and FolRα selected (TPS >25%)

- FolRa expression retrospectively determined using IHC\* on fresh or archival tissue required
- TPS is the percentage of cells stained positive at any intensity
  - Established in multiple approvals and tumor indications
  - Does not require differentiation between staining intensity
  - Simple and straightforward for pathology read
- Enriched population defined as TPS >25%
- TPS >25% in 35/44 (80%) of all enrolled patients



<sup>\*</sup>FoIR1 assay (Ventana Medical Systems). †Three patients were not evaluable per RECIST v1.1 as they discontinued before receiving any post-baseline scan for the following reasons: clinical disease progression, adverse event (G2 neuropathy, G3 arthralgia), and consent withdrawn.

G, grade.



# Patient population have received multiple lines of platinum therapy and majority received prior bevacizumab and PARP inhibitors

	4.3 mg/kg n=23	5.2 mg/kg n=21	Total N=44
Median age (range), years	63 (39–91)	56 (40–72)	60 (39–91)
ECOG PS, n (%)			
0	11 (47.8)	13 (61.9)	24 (54.5)
1	12 (52.2)	8 (38.1)	20 (45.5)
Median time since diagnosis (range), years	2.8 (0.8–9.3)	3.0 (0.7–7.8)	2.9 (0.7–9.3)
Median (range) number of prior lines of therapy	3 (1–3)	2 (1–3)	3 (1–3)
Mean number of prior lines of therapy	2.5	2.3	2.4
Prior therapies, n (%)			
Prior bevacizumab	13 (56.5)	16 (76.2)	29 (65.9)
Prior PARP inhibitor	18 (78.3)	18 (85.7)	36 (81.8)

ECOG PS, Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group performance status; PARP, poly (adenosine diphosphate-ribose) polymerase.

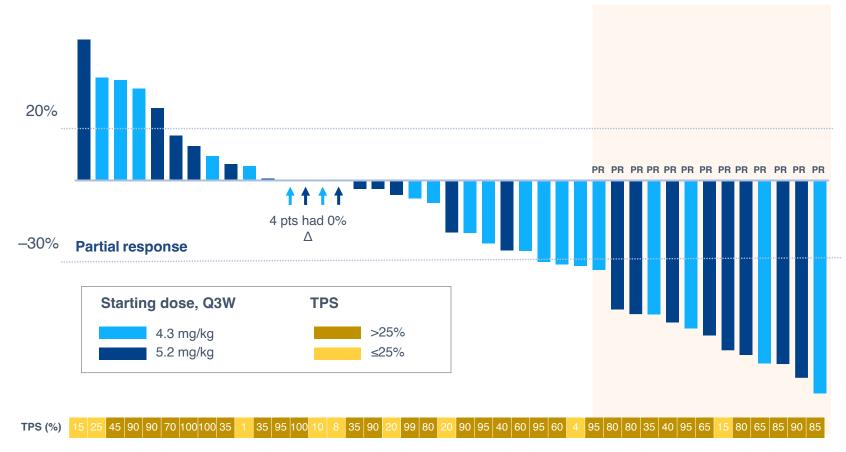
# Majority of patients (61%) received 5 or more cycles and a small percentage discontinued due to adverse event

	4.3 mg/kg (n=23)	5.2 mg/kg (n=21)
Duration of treatment, months		
Median (range)	3.9 (0.7–16.7)	3.4 (1.0–12.9)
Treatment Cycles, n (% of pts)		
1	3 (13.0)	0
2	5 (21.7)	5 (23.8)
3	0	1 (4.8)
4	1 (4.3)	2 (9.5)
5	3 (13.0)	3 (14.3)
≥6	11 (47.8)	10 (47.6)
Dose reduction, n (% of pts)	11 (47.8)	16 (76.2)
Reason for treatment discontinuation, n (% of pts)		
Disease progression	18 (78.3)	18 (85.7)
Adverse event	2 (8.7)	1 (4.8)
Physician decision	0	1 (4.8)
Withdrawal of consent	3 (13.3)	1 (4.8)

Pts, patients; SD, standard deviation.

# All-comers patient population (FoIRα-unselected) demonstrated an ORR of 32% per RECIST v1.1

## Maximum Reduction in Tumor Target Lesions in RECIST-Evaluable Patients (N=41)



ORR: 31.7% in unselected pts

37.5% for FoLRα >25% by TPS

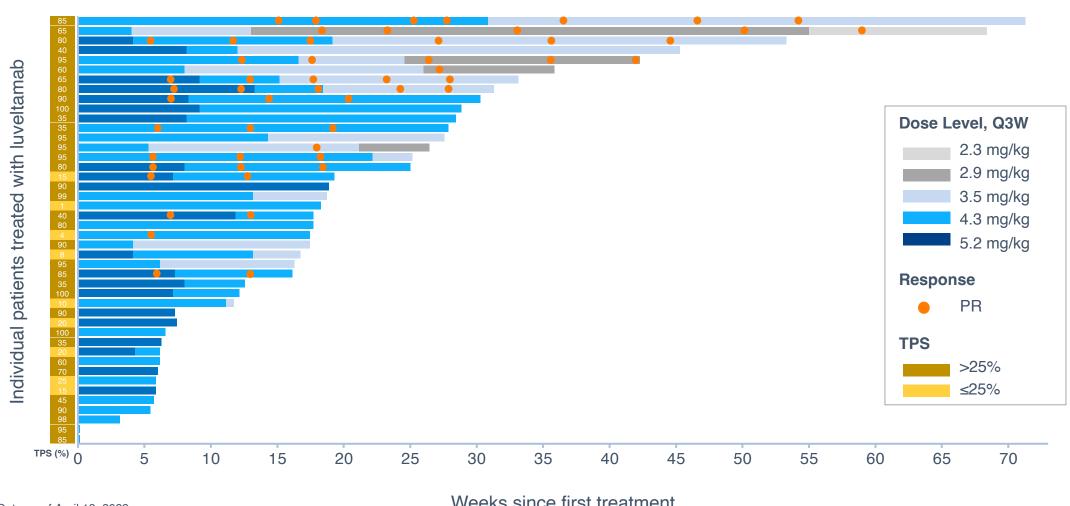
Disease control rate: 78% in unselected pts

81% for FolRα >25% by TPS

Data as of April 18, 2023. PR, partial response. ORR, objective response rate.

# Patient responses occurred at both dose levels and were maintained with dose reductions

## **Treatment Duration for Patients With at Least 1 Dose (N=44)**

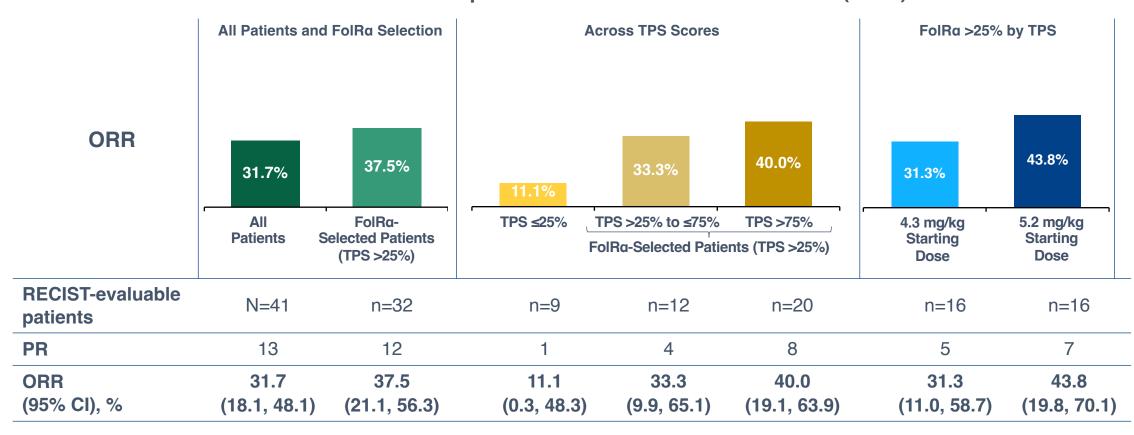


Data as of April 18, 2023.

Weeks since first treatment

# Clinical activity seen at both doses across a broad range of FolRa expression levels

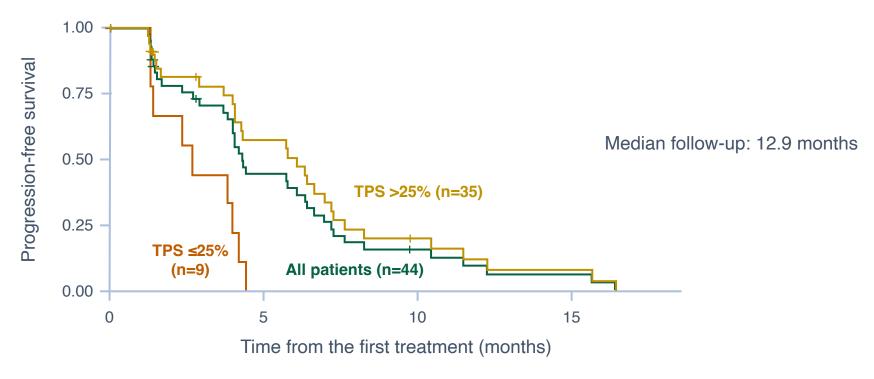
## **Treatment Response in RECIST-Evaluable Patients (N=41)**



Data are as of April 18, 2023. FolRα-selected defined as TPS >25%. CI, confidence interval; ORR, objective response rate.



# Luveltamab resulted in PFS of 6.1 months and median DOR of 5.5 months in the FolRa selected population (TPS >25%)



	All Patients (N=44)	FolRa ≤25% by TPS (n=9)	FolRa >25% by TPS (n=35)
Median DOR (range), months	5.4 (2.9, 11.0)	2.9 (NA)*	5.5 (2.5, 11.0)
Median PFS (95% CI), months	4.3 (3.8, 6.3)	2.7 (1.3, 4.2)	6.1 (4.1, 7.2)

<sup>\*</sup>One response. DOR calculated for pts with responses only (all, n=13 pts; FolRa, ≤ 25% 1 pt; FolRa >25%, 12 pts). NA, not applicable.

# The most common TEAEs (any grade) were neutropenia, nausea, fatigue, and arthralgia

# Most Common TEAEs (>25%)

	4.3 mg/kg (n=23)		5.2 mg/kg (n=21)		Total (N=44)	
n (%)	Any Grade	G3+	Any Grade	G3+	Any Grade	G3+
Patients reporting ≥1 event	23 (100)	18 (78.3)	21 (100)	20 (95.2)	44 (100)	38 (86.4)
Hematological						
Neutropenia*	17 (73.9)	15 (65.2)	18 (85.7)	16 (76.2)	35 (79.5)	31 (70.5)
Febrile neutropenia	1 (4.3)	1 (4.3)	1 (4.8)	1 (4.8)	2 (4.5)	2 (4.5)
Platelet count decreased	11 (47.8)	1 (4.3)	10 (47.6)	2 (9.5)	21 (47.7)	3 (6.8)
Anemia	8 (34.8)	1 (4.3)	12 (57.1)	5 (23.8)	20 (45.5)	6 (13.6)
WBC count decreased	11 (47.8)	6 (26.1)	4 (19)	4 (19)	15 (34.1)	10 (22.7)
Non-hematological						
Nausea	17 (73.9)	0	16 (76.2)	0	33 (75)	0
Fatigue	16 (69.6)	3 (13)	11 (52.4)	1 (4.8)	27 (61.4)	4 (9.1)
Arthralgia	14 (60.9)	6 (26.1)	12 (57.1)	2 (9.5)	26 (59.1)	8 (18.2)
Constipation	9 (39.1)	0	13 (61.9)	1 (4.8)	22 (50)	1 (2.3)
Neuropathy <sup>†</sup>	11 (47.8)	1 (4.3)	8 (38.1)	0	19 (43.2)	1 (2.3)
Abdominal pain	8 (34.8)	0	10 (47.6)	0	18 (40.9)	0
Decreased appetite	8 (34.8)	0	10 (47.6)	0	18 (40.9)	0
Diarrhea	8 (34.8)	2 (8.7)	7 (33.3)	1 (4.8)	15 (34.1)	3 (6.8)
Vomiting	7 (30.4)	0	8 (38.1)	2 (9.5)	15 (34.1)	2 (4.5)
Pyrexia	8 (34.8)	0	7 (33.3)	1 (4.8)	15 (34.1)	1 (2.3)
AST increased	8 (34.8)	0	7 (33.3)	0	15 (34.1)	0
ALT increased	8 (34.8)	0	6 (28.6)	0	14 (31.8)	0
Myalgia	6 (26.1)	0	7 (33.3)	0	13 (29.5)	0
Headache	9 (39.1)	0	3 (14.3)	0	12 (27.3)	0

<sup>\*</sup>Neutropenia included the following preferred terms: neutropenia, febrile neutropenia, and neutrophil count decreased. †Neuropathy included the following preferred terms: neuropathy peripheral and peripheral sensory neuropathy. ALT, alanine aminotransferase; AST, aspartate aminotransferase; TEAE, treatment-emergent adverse event; WBC, white blood cell.

# The TEAEs were predictable and manageable

# **TEAEs leading to dose reduction in 61.4%**

- Neutropenia\* in 17 patients (39%)
  - Primarily G3/4 uncomplicated (abnormal lab value only)
  - Febrile neutropenia in 2 patients (4.5%)
  - Resolved without growth factor support in most patients
  - Median duration of G3+ AEs, 8 days
- Arthralgia in 8 patients (18%)
- Peripheral neuropathy in 3 patients (6.8%)
  - Mostly G1/2

# TEAEs leading to dose discontinuation in 3 patients (6.8%)

- G3 fatigue
- G2 neuropathy<sup>†</sup>
- G5 sepsis

<sup>\*</sup>Neutropenia includes TEAEs of neutropenia, decreased neutrophil count, and febrile neutropenia. †Neuropathy includes TEAEs of neuropathy peripheral and peripheral sensory neuropathy. G=grade of TEAE.

# Conclusions

- Luveltamab demonstrated robust clinical activity in patients with recurrent ovarian cancer
- Data support FolRα cutoff of >25% as the optimum enrichment strategy
  - ORR of 37.5%, PFS of 6.1 months, and DCR of 81%
  - Allows treatment of ovarian cancer with a broad expression of FolRα (≈70%–80% of PROC)
- Activity observed at both dose levels
  - Higher ORR at 5.2 mg/kg (43.8%) vs 4.3 mg/kg (31.3%) in FolRα >25%
- The safety profile of luveltamab was predictable and AEs were manageable
  - Most common TEAEs were neutropenia, nausea, fatigue, and arthralgia
  - Asymptomatic neutropenia was the primary reason for dose reductions (higher at 5.2 mg/kg than 4.3 mg/kg)
  - 6.8% discontinued because of an AE
- The REFRαME-O1 (ENGOT-Ov-79, GOG 3086) phase 2/3 global registration study in PROC and FolRα expression >25% by TPS is open for enrollment (NCT05870748)

DCR, disease control rate; PROC, platinum resistant ovarian cancer.



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