

# **Biomarker Correlates of Clinical Outcomes From a Global Phase 1b Study of JNJ-90014496, CD20/CD19 Bispecific Chimeric Antigen Receptor-T cell Therapy for Patients with Large B-cell Lymphoma**

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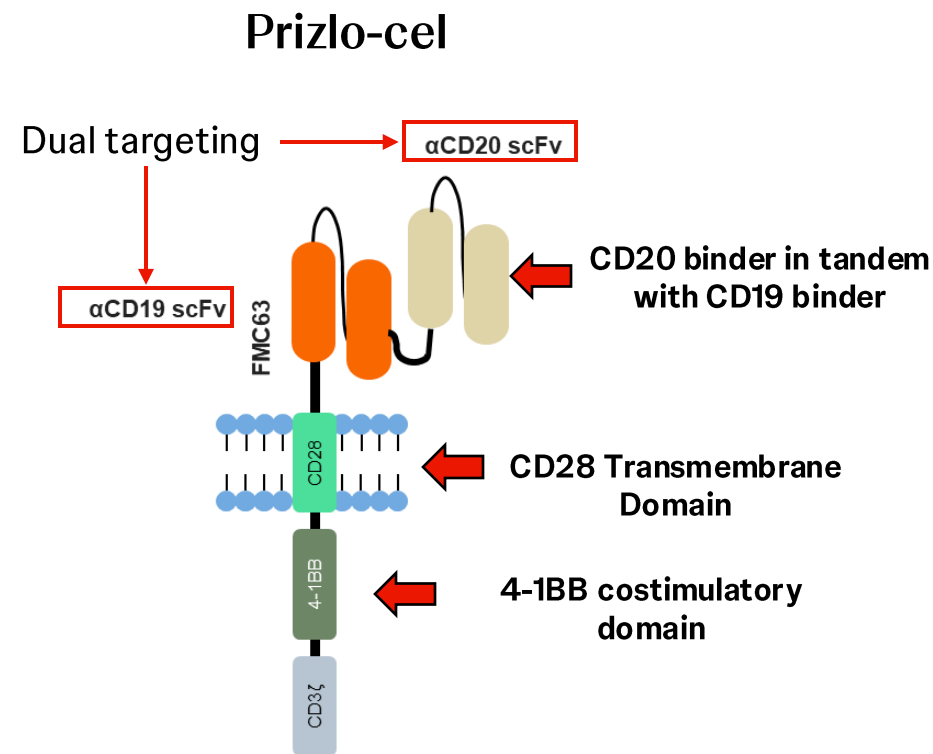
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# Prizlo-cel (*Prize-lo cel*; JNJ-90014496) is a Dual Antigen Targeting CD20/CD19 CAR T with an Optimized CAR Design

- CD19 CAR-T have demonstrated curative potential in R/R LBCL,<sup>1</sup> yet >50% of patients still relapse, in part due to CD19 tumor antigen escape<sup>2-4</sup>
- Dual targeting of CD20 and CD19 may prevent relapses driven by antigen loss and address the challenge of tumor heterogeneity<sup>1,5,6</sup>
- **Prizlo-cel targets two clinically validated antigens with an optimized CAR design and a differentiated CD20 binder<sup>7</sup>:**
  - CD20 binder targets membrane-proximal epitope on B cells spanning both CD20 loops, enabling tight binding to the cell membrane



**Prizlo-cel's optimized design with a differentiated CD20 binder may improve synapse formation and T cell activation leading to enhanced clinical outcomes**

CAR, chimeric antigen receptor; CD, cluster of differentiation; R/R, relapsed/refractory.

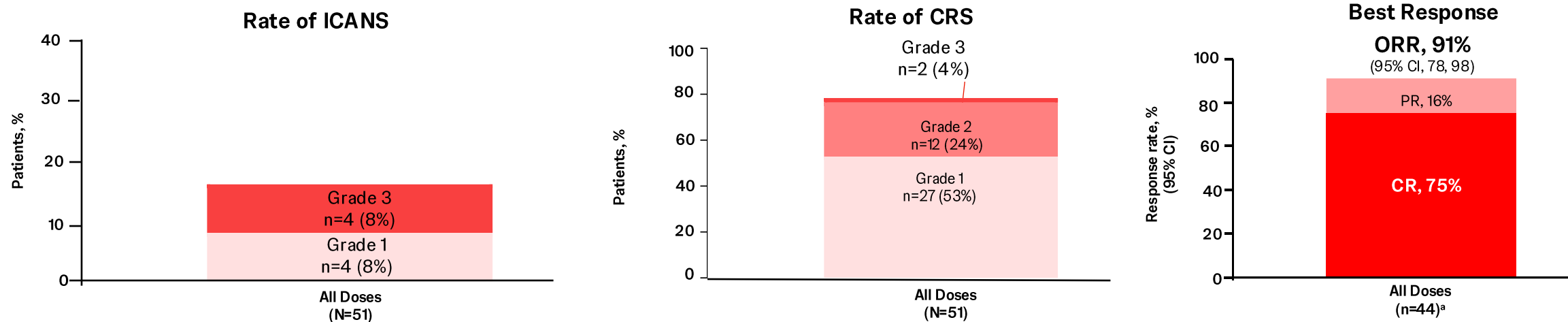
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# Prizlo-cel Global Phase 1b: Dual CD20/CD19 Targeting Prizlo-cel Shows Deep Responses and a Favorable Safety Profile in R/R LBCL

Global phase 1b study in patients with R/R CAR-T naïve LBCL (NCT05421663) was previously presented<sup>1</sup>

- Fewer grade 3 ICANS and CRS were observed across all the doses tested
- No prophylactic treatment for CRS or ICANS
- High CR rates were achieved at all doses and irrespective of number of prior lines of therapy



**Correlative analysis of biomarker data to clinical outcomes for 51<sup>c</sup> patients from this prizlo-cel Phase 1b study are presented here**

Clinical Data cutoff: 21 April 2025.

<sup>a</sup>Three patients were not included in the efficacy analysis (2 patients achieved CR to bridging therapy and 1 patient was ongoing without any disease evaluations). <sup>b</sup>Seven patients were not included in the efficacy analysis (6 patients achieved CR to bridging therapy and 1 patient was ongoing without any disease evaluations). <sup>c</sup>In some cases, biomarker data was not available for all 51 patients

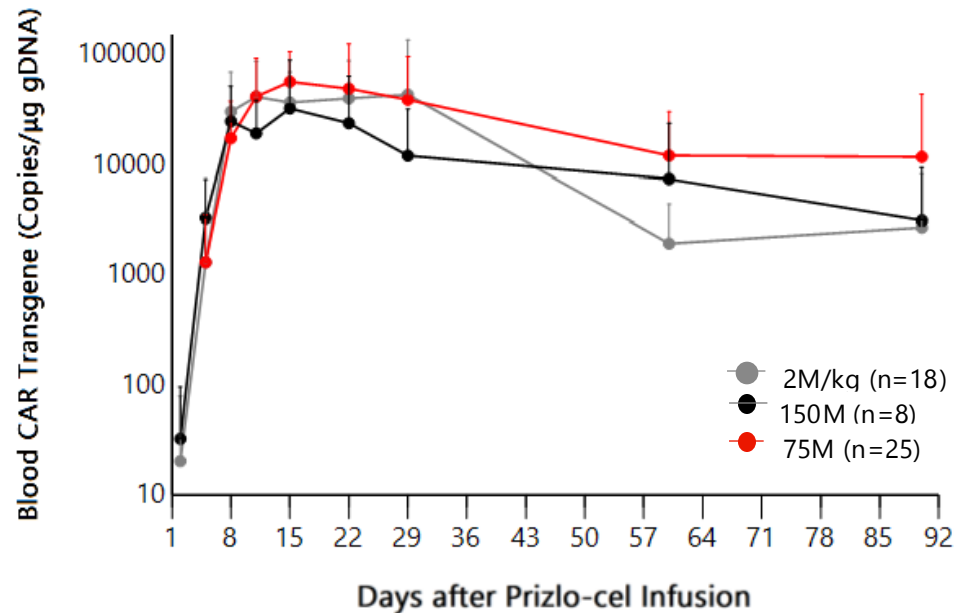
CR, complete response; CRS, cytokine releasing syndrome; GR, grade; ICANS, immune effector cell-associated neurotoxicity syndrome; M, million; ORR, objective response rate; R/R, relapsed/refractory.

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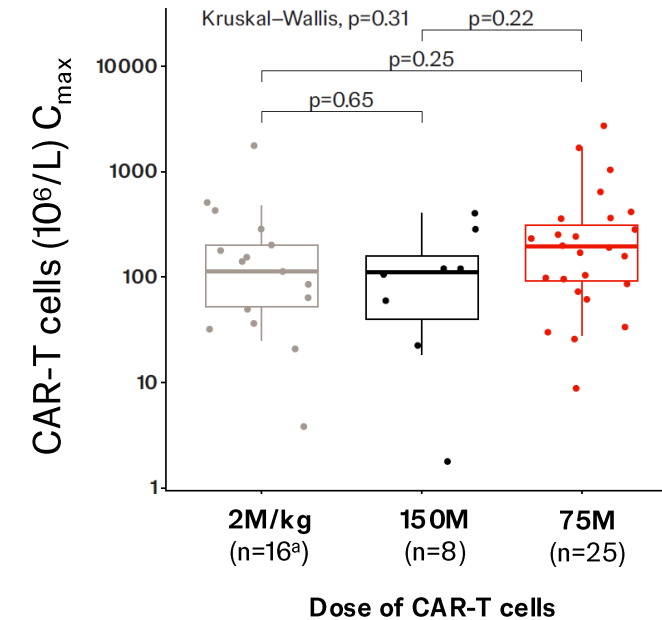


# Prizlo-cel Global Phase 1b: Comparable CAR-T Cell Expansion and Persistence Across All Doses Tested

Mean (+SD) CAR-T transgene levels over time



$C_{max}$  of CAR-T cell levels by dose



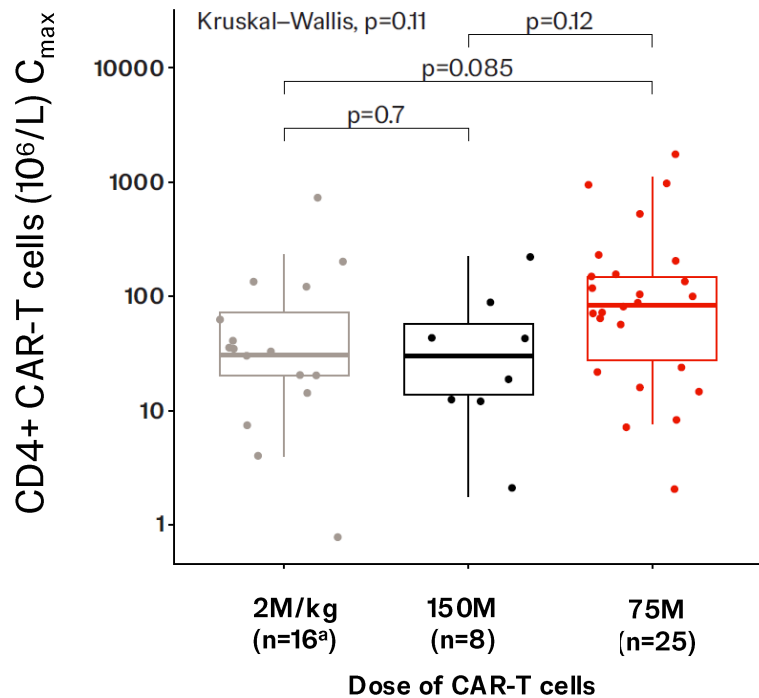
- Comparable peripheral CAR-T levels were observed across all doses tested

<sup>a</sup>Two patients were not included in the analysis due to lack of available samples for testing.  
CAR, chimeric antigen receptor;  $C_{max}$ , maximum concentration; M, million;  $t_{max}$ , time at maximum observed concentration.

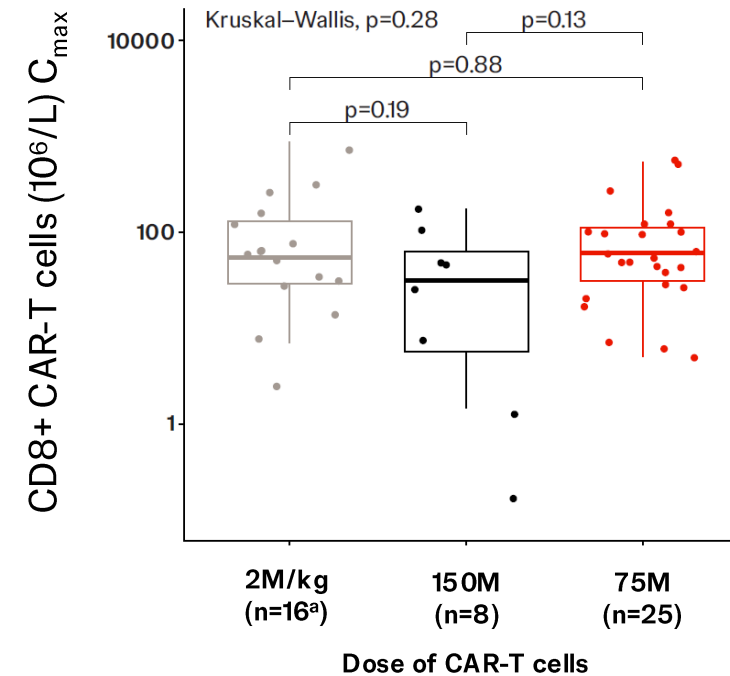


# Prizlo-cel Global Phase 1b: Comparable CD4+ and CD8+ CAR-T Cells at Peak Expansion Across All Doses Tested

CD4+ CAR-T cell expansion



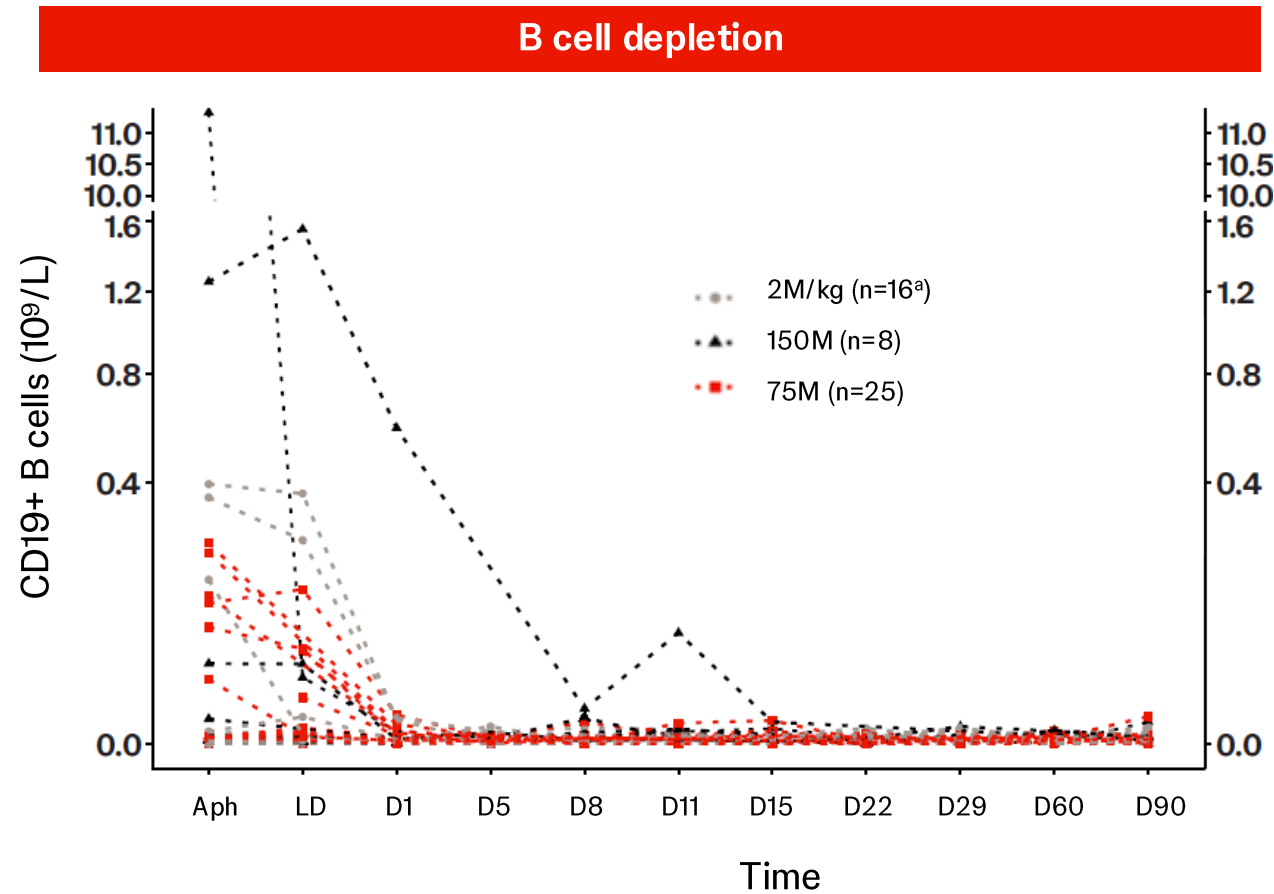
CD8+ CAR-T cell expansion



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# Prizlo-cel Global Phase 1b: Comparable B Cell Depletion Across All Doses Tested

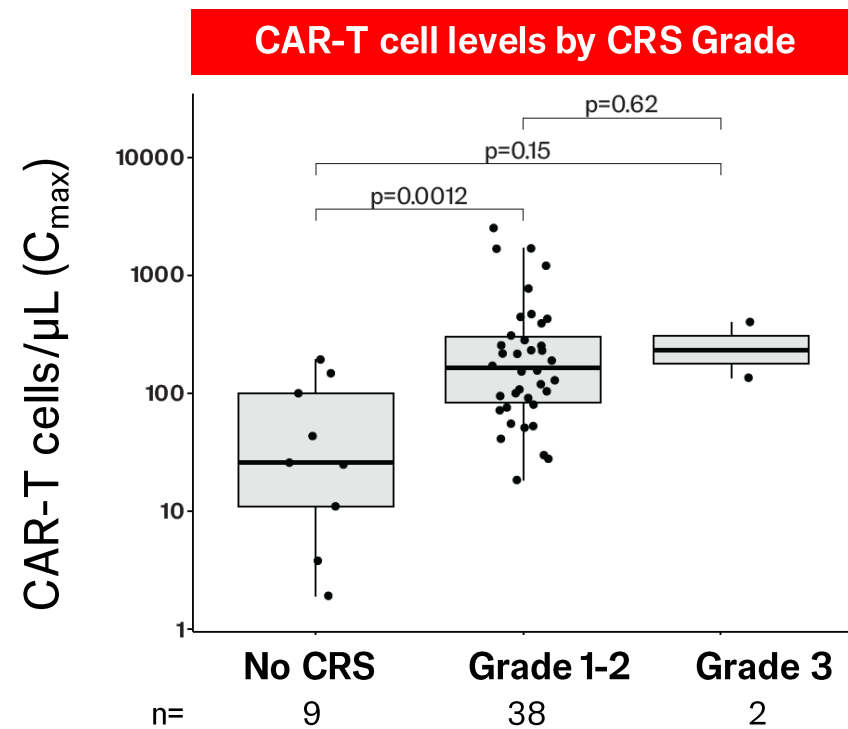
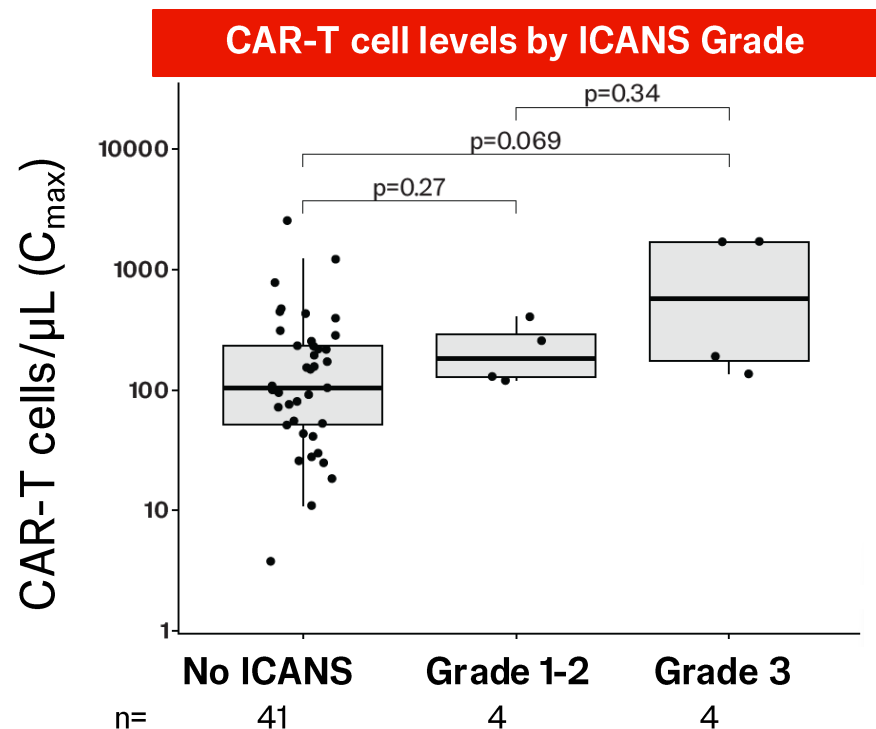


- Median B cell depletion was observed at ~Day 5 across all doses

<sup>a</sup>Two patients were not included in the analysis due to lack of available samples for testing.  
Aph, apheresis; D, day; LD, lymphodepletion; M, million.



# Prizlo-cel Global Phase 1b: Few Grade 3 ICANS and CRS Events Observed with Comparable CAR-T Expansion



**Prizlo-cel has a manageable safety profile even in the absence of prophylactic steroids**

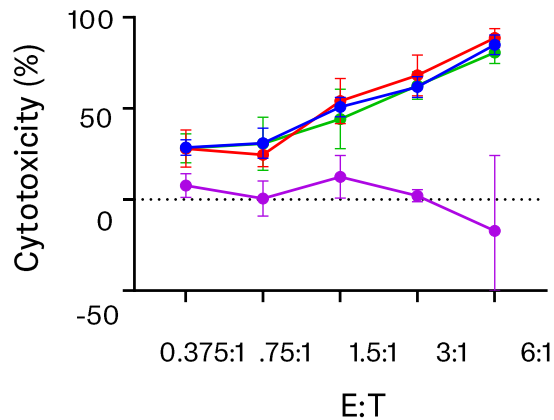
Two patients were not included in the analysis due to lack of available samples. From the two patients with missing data, one patient had no ICANS and Grade 1 CRS and one patient had no ICANS or CRS. CAR, chimeric antigen receptor;  $C_{max}$ , maximum concentration; CRS, cytokine releasing syndrome; ICANS, immune-effector cell-associated neurotoxicity syndrome.



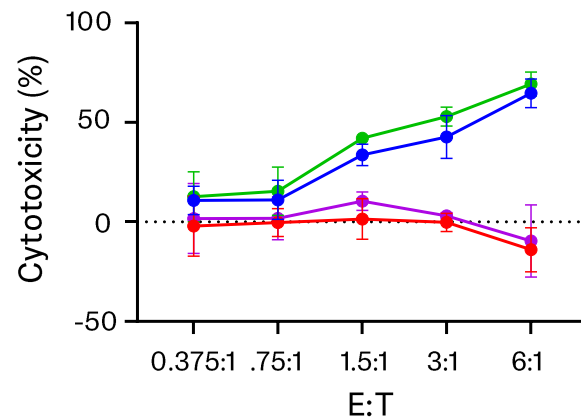
# Prizlo-cel Global Phase 1b: Dual Targeting CD20/CD19 CAR-T Consistently Demonstrates *In Vitro* Cytotoxicity in Cell Lines Expressing either CD20, CD19 or Both

- A research grade CD20/CD19 dual targeting CAR-T using the prizlo-cel construct was used in *in vitro* cytotoxicity experiments

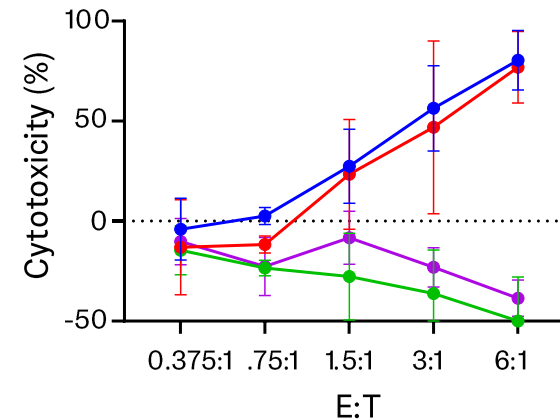
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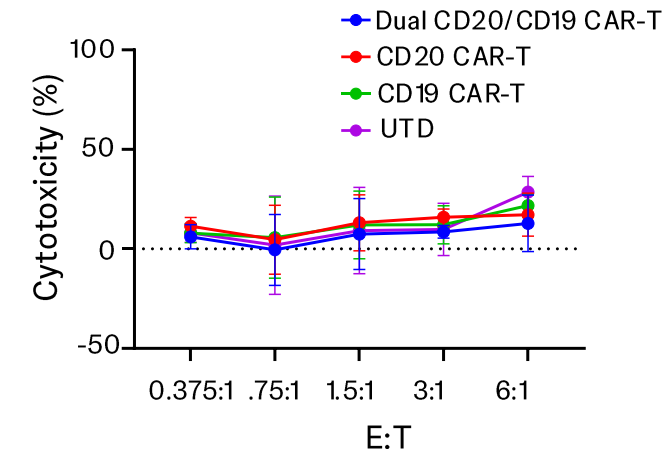
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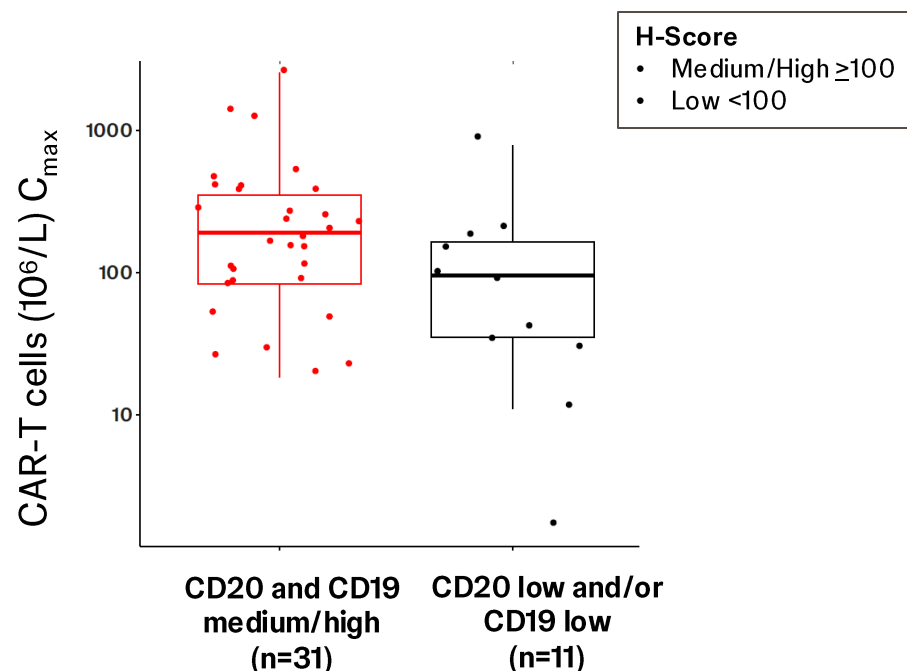
Dual targeting CD20/CD19 CAR-T demonstrated *in vitro* cytotoxicity in all isogenic cell lines compared to single antigen targeting CAR-Ts



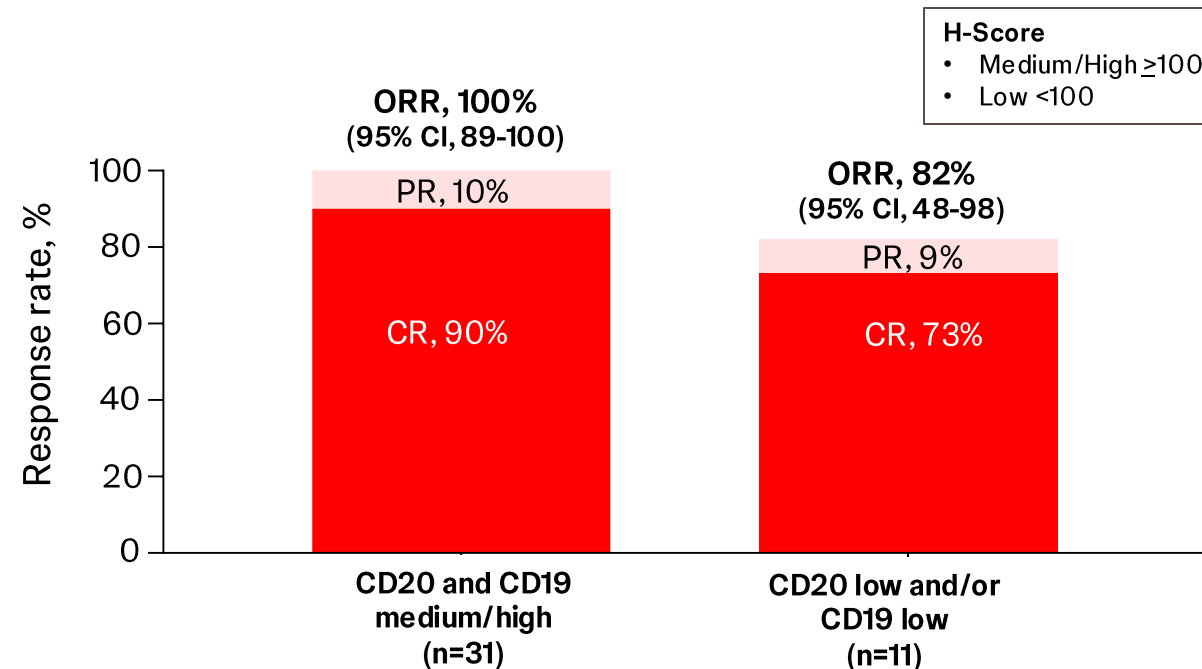


# Prizlo-cel Global Phase 1b: CAR-T Cell Expansion and High CR Rates are Observed Across a Range of CD20 and CD19 Antigen Expression Levels

## CAR-T expansion by CD20 and CD19 antigen levels



## CR rates by CD20 and CD19 antigen levels

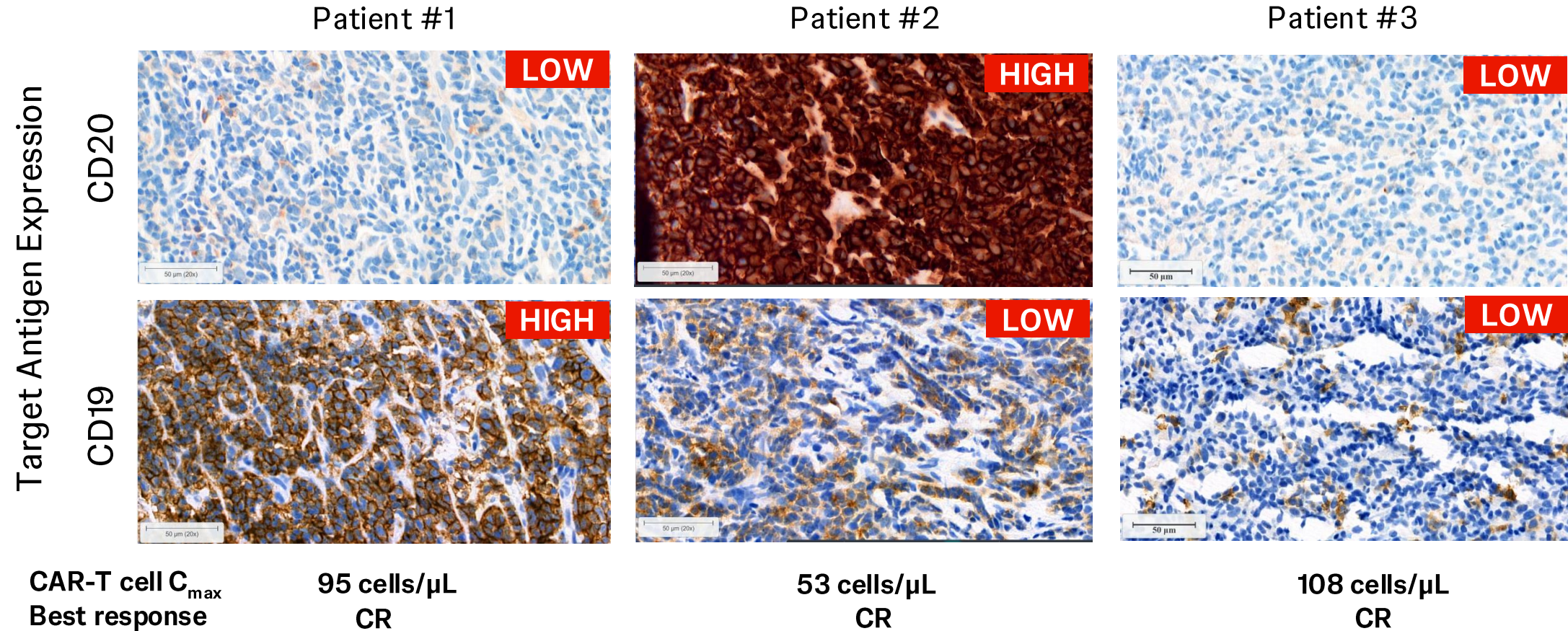


**CAR-T cell expansion and depth of response remain high in patients with low expression of either antigen, suggesting effective dual antigen targeting of CD20 and CD19**

CD20 and CD19 expression was analyzed in 42 patients with baseline samples available with sufficient tumor tissue for immunohistochemistry testing and were defined as medium/high (H-score  $\geq 100$ ) and low (H-score  $< 100$ ). Tumor samples from 42 patients showed high levels of baseline CD20 expression (H-score  $> 200$  in 79% of patients), but variable CD19 expression by IHC (median [interquartile range] 190 [168 to 220]). Using an Hscore cutoff of 100, 16% patients had low or heterogenous expression levels of target antigen: 9% had low levels of either CD20 or CD19 expression and 7% showed low levels of both target antigens. CAR, chimeric antigen receptor;  $C_{max}$ , maximum concentration; CR, complete response; ORR, objective response rate; PR, partial response.



# Prizlo-cel Global Phase 1b: High CAR-T Cell Expansion and Complete Responses Were Seen Even in Patients with Low Antigen Expression Levels

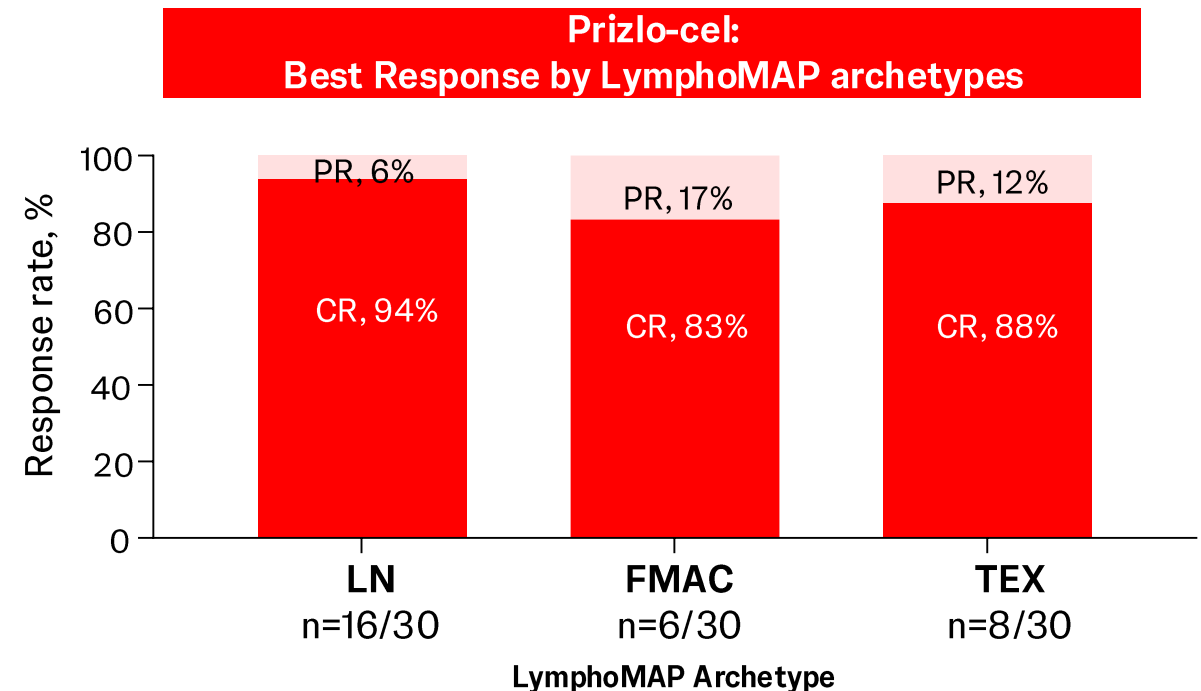
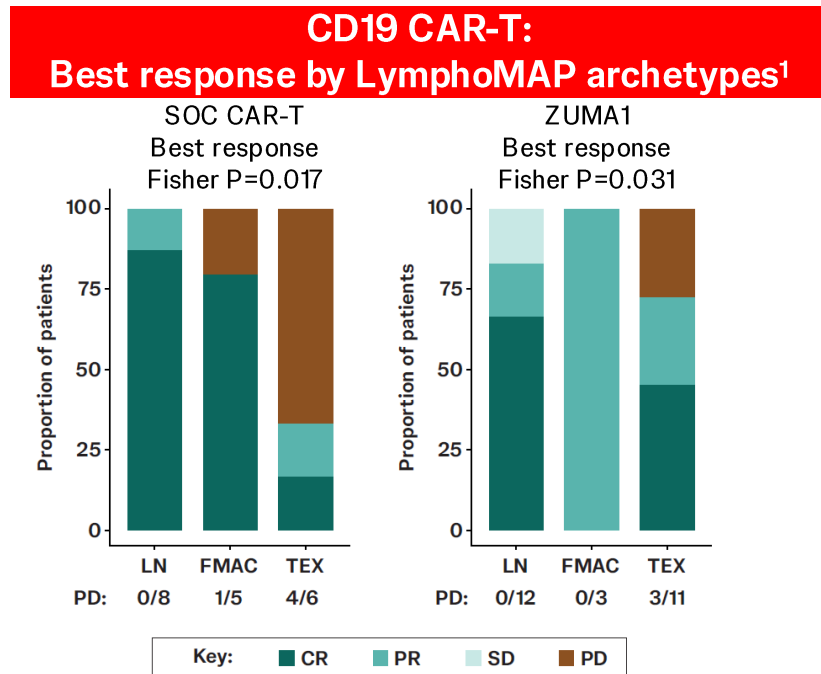


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# Prizlo-cel Global Phase 1b: High CR Rates Across All Three LymphoMAP TME Archetypes

- MD Anderson recently characterized 3 Lymphoma Microenvironment Archetype Profiles (LymphoMAPs) that may predict clinical response to CD19 CAR-T: LN, FMAC and TEX<sup>1</sup>
  - LN associated with better efficacy; FMAC and TEX associated with worse efficacy



**Prizlo-cel CR rate was consistently high (>80%) across all LymphoMAP archetypes, potentially differentiating prizlo-cel from SOC CD19 CAR T**

LymphoMAP data was available for 30 patients across doses: 2M/kg (n=12), 150M (n=5), and 75M (n=13).

LN: lymph node architectural cell types with naive and memory T cells; FMAC a sparsity of T cells and high frequency of cancer-associated fibroblasts and tumor-associated macrophages; TEX: activated macrophages and exhausted CD8<sup>+</sup> T cells.

CAR, chimeric antigen receptor; CR, complete response; FMAC, fibroblast/macrophage; LN, lymph node; PD, progressive disease; PR, partial response; SD, stable disease; SOC, standard of care; TEX, T exhausted.

1. Li X, et al. *Cancer Cell*. 2025;43(7):1347-64.

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# Prizlo-cel Global Phase 1b: Correlative Analysis Conclusions

- With an optimized CAR design, prizlo-cel shows a favorable safety profile and high CR rates in CAR-T-naïve patients with R/R LBCL<sup>1</sup>
- Potent CAR-T cell expansion and peripheral B cell depletion drive strong efficacy across all doses tested
- High CR rates were observed across a range of CD20 and/or CD19 antigen expression levels
- High CR rates were observed even in immunosuppressive TME archetypes,<sup>2</sup> when compared to approved CD19 CAR-Ts

**Prizlo-cel, a dual targeting CAR-T with a differentiated CD20 binder coupled with CD19 binder, may overcome limitations of single-antigen targeting CAR-T cells, with a potential to improve clinical outcomes**

CAR, chimeric antigen receptor; CR, complete response; R/R, relapsed/refractory; TME, tumor microenvironment.

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