



Beam Therapeutics

PRECISION GENETIC MEDICINES THROUGH BASE EDITING

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Our vision is to provide life-long cures for patients suffering from serious diseases

- ▶ Coming era of **one-time, curative therapies**
- ▶ Gene editing for **rare and common diseases**
- ▶ Platform for **rapidly-programmable precision medicines**

Base editing is a next-generation approach to gene editing with single base precision

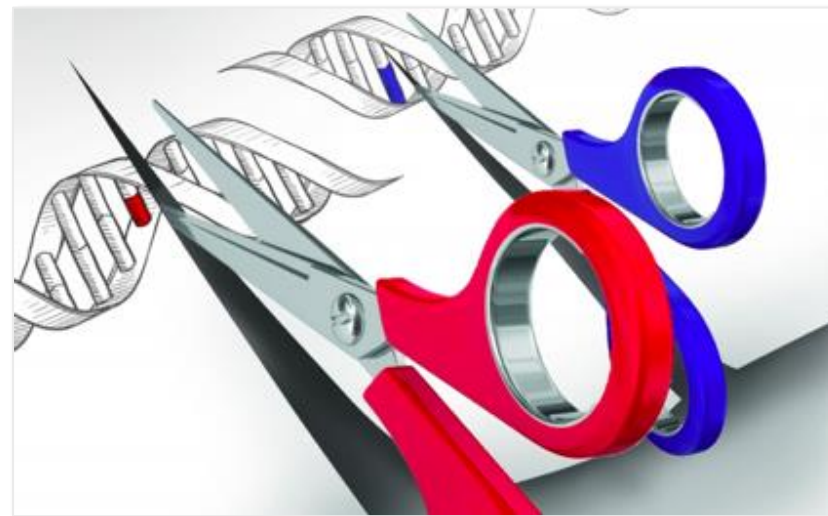
Nuclease editing

CRISPR, Zinc Fingers, TALEs

Base editing



Precise targeting?	▶ Yes (guide RNA or ZF/TALE)	▶ Yes (guide RNA)
Double strand breaks?	▶ Yes	▶ No
Editing predictability?	▶ Random insertions and deletions	▶ Predictable single base changes



Single base DNA variants drive health outcomes



Rare disease

Over half of genetic disease mutations are point mutations



International Journal of
Neonatal Screening



Review

**Sickle Cell Disease—Genetics, Pathophysiology,
Clinical Presentation and Treatment**

Common disease

Single base changes drive risk and protection from common diseases

The NEW ENGLAND JOURNAL of MEDICINE

ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Sequence Variations in PCSK9, Low LDL,
and Protection against Coronary Heart Disease

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**A Protein-Truncating HSD17B13 Variant and Protection
from Chronic Liver Disease**

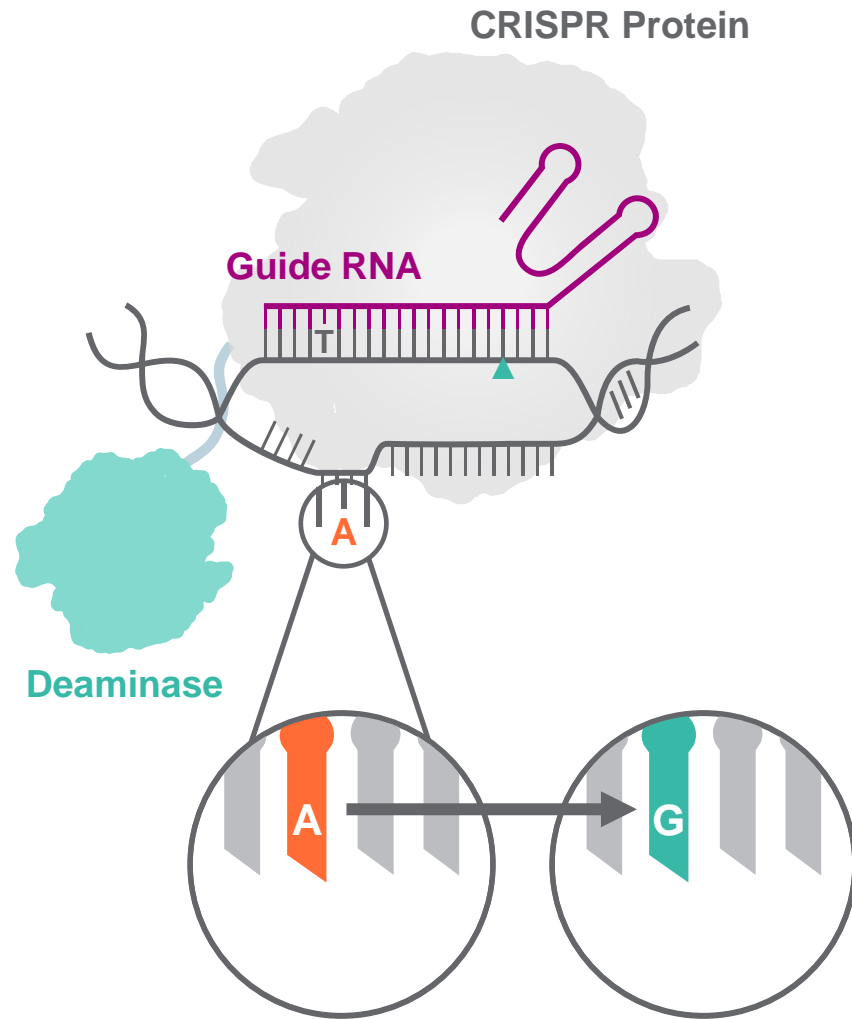
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GENETICS

**Gene mutation defends against
Alzheimer's disease**

Rare genetic variant suggests a cause and treatment for cognitive decline.

Base editing is a highly-differentiated, potentially best-in-class gene editing technology



B
Biology

- ▶ Direct, durable editing of single DNA base pairs

A
Application

- ▶ Gene correction, activation, silencing, modification
- ▶ Simultaneous “multiplex” editing at many sites

S
Specificity

- ▶ Highly specific and predictable editing profile
- ▶ Avoid genotoxicity and chromosomal aberrations associated with double-stranded DNA breaks

E
Efficiency

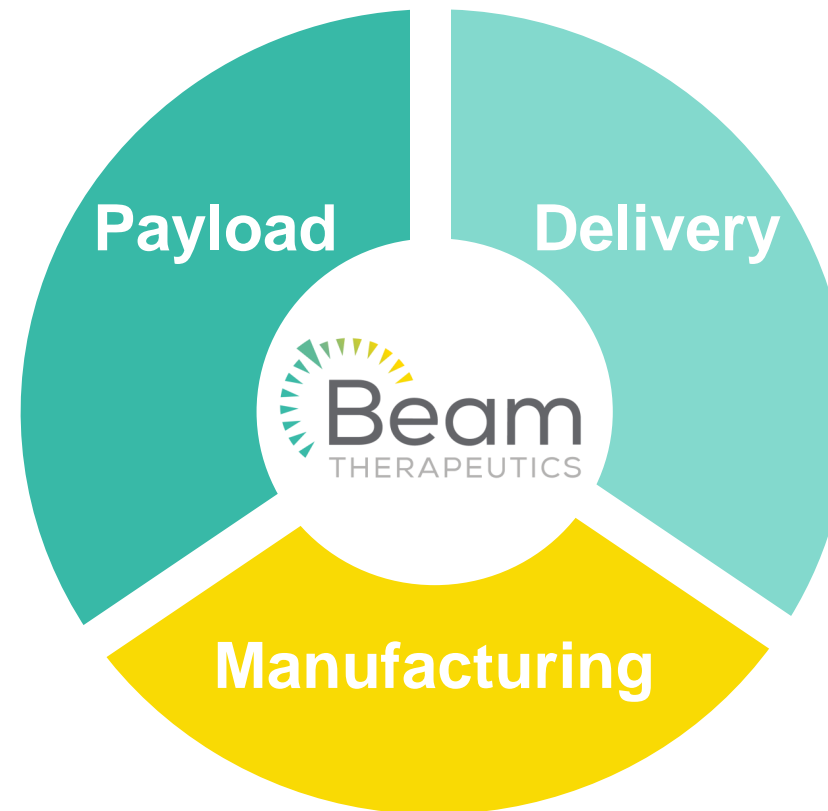
- ▶ High levels of editing in any cell type, including non-dividing cells

We are establishing a leading platform for precision genetic medicine



Suite of gene editing technologies

- ▶ Base editing
- ▶ Nuclease editing
- ▶ RNA editing
- ▶ Prime editing



Suite of delivery technologies

- ▶ Autologous cell therapy
- ▶ Allogeneic cell therapy
- ▶ mRNA
- ▶ LNP vectors
- ▶ Viral vectors

Wholly-owned manufacturing capability

- ▶ 100,000 square foot GMP clinical/commercial facility in NC, phased build, anticipated to be operational in 2023

Strategic collaboration with Pfizer for *in vivo* base editing



Leadership in next-generation base editing technology and mRNA/LNP delivery platform



Global leader in design, development, and commercialization of novel medicines, including mRNA/LNP expertise

- ▶ \$300M upfront
- ▶ \$1B+ in potential milestones
- ▶ 4-year research term; Pfizer option at DC nomination
- ▶ 3 targets, not included in Beam's current programs
- ▶ Leverages Beam delivery technologies to target liver, muscle, CNS
- ▶ Beam option at end of P1/2 for 35% WW cost/net profit split on any one program

Including the upfront payment from this deal, our cash¹ balance as of year-end 2021 was ~\$1.2 billion²

1. Cash, cash equivalents and marketable securities; 2. Amount is preliminary, has not been audited and is subject to change upon completion of the audit of our consolidated financial statements as of and for the year ended December 31, 2021.

Additional strategic collaborations broaden therapeutic opportunities and unlock value in Beam platform



- ▶ Base editing for the prevention of cardiovascular disease
- ▶ Beam opt-in to 50% of US rights after Phase 1



- ▶ Base editing for the treatment of complement mediated diseases
- ▶ \$75M in upfront and near-term payments
- ▶ Beam opt-in to 50% of US rights after Phase 1 on one program



- ▶ Non-exclusive out-license of Cas12b nuclease applications* (eg, CAR insertion) for certain engineered cell therapies
- ▶ \$50M upfront



- ▶ Non-exclusive collaboration for non-genotoxic conditioning in combination with BEAM-101 and BEAM-102



- ▶ Exclusive rights to prime editing for transition mutations (~30% of all mutations) and sickle correction

*Excludes base editing

Diversified portfolio of base editing programs



DELIVERY	PROGRAM / DISEASE		EDITING APPROACH	RESEARCH	LEAD OPTIMIZATION	IND ENABLING	PHASE I/II	PIVOTAL
<i>Ex vivo</i> HSCs	BEAM-101	Sickle Cell Disease Beta Thalassemia	Activation of fetal hemoglobin					
	BEAM-102	Sickle Cell Disease	Correction of HbS sickle mutation					
<i>Ex vivo</i> T cells	BEAM-201	T-cell ALL CD7+ AML	Multiplex silenced CD7 CAR-T					
		T-cell Lymphoma	Multiplex silenced CD5 CAR-T					
<i>In vivo</i> LNP	BEAM-301	Glycogen Storage Disease Ia	Correction of R83C mutation					
		Alpha-1 Antitrypsin Deficiency	Correction of E342K mutation					
		Glycogen Storage Disease Ia	Correction of Q347X mutation					
		Hepatitis B Virus	Multiplex silencing					
		Complement Pathway (Apellis)	Undisclosed					
		3 undisclosed targets (Pfizer)	Undisclosed					
AAV		Stargardt Disease	Correction of G1961E mutation					

Key progress and anticipated milestones



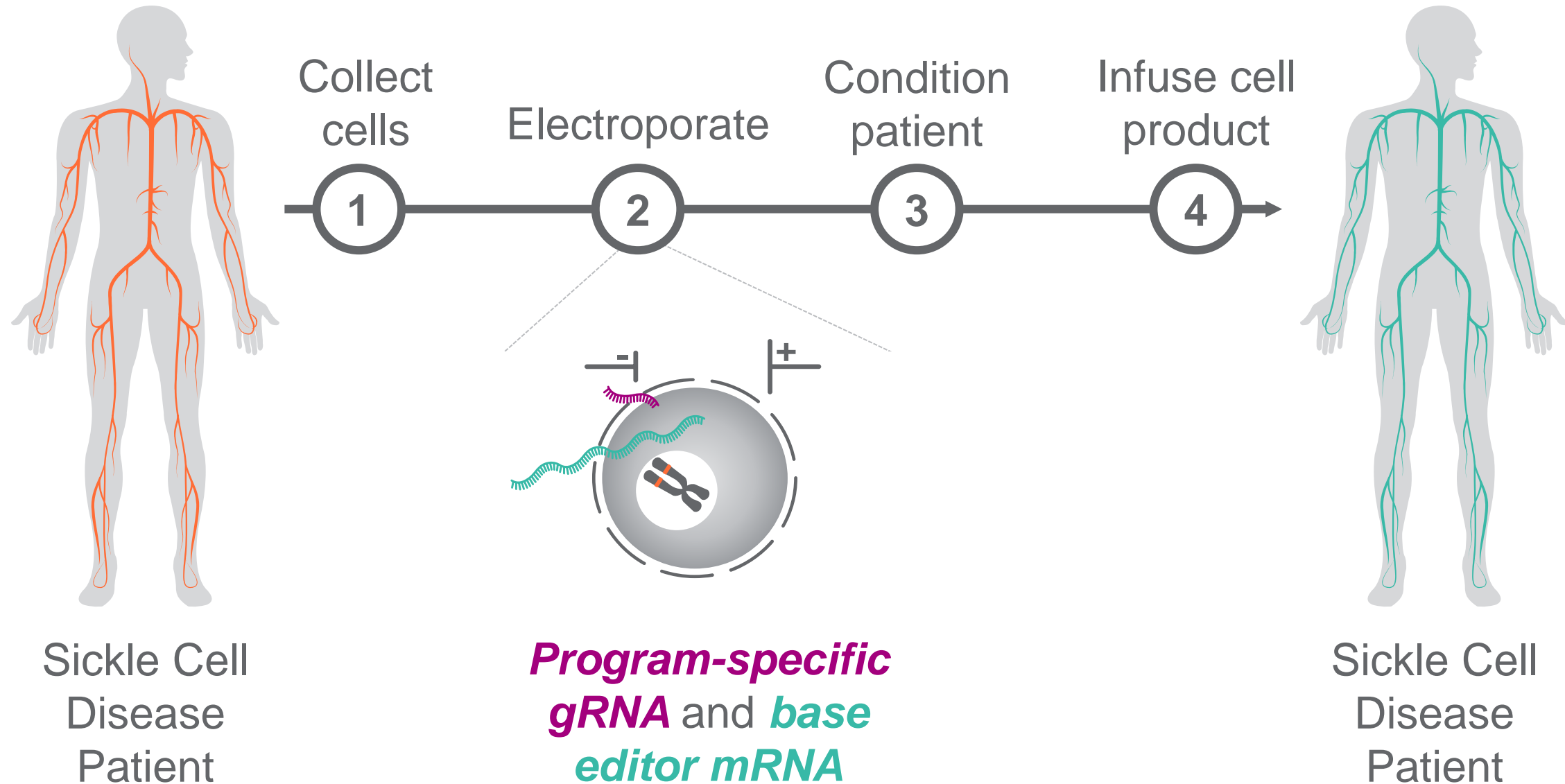
2021 Achievements

- FDA clearance of the **BEAM-101** IND
- IND-enabling studies for **BEAM-102**
- IND-enabling studies for **BEAM-201**
- Beam LNP data in non-human primates
- First liver DC, **BEAM-301**: GSDIa R83C
- Non-human primate studies for Stargardt
- Apellis and Sana partnerships

2022 Milestones

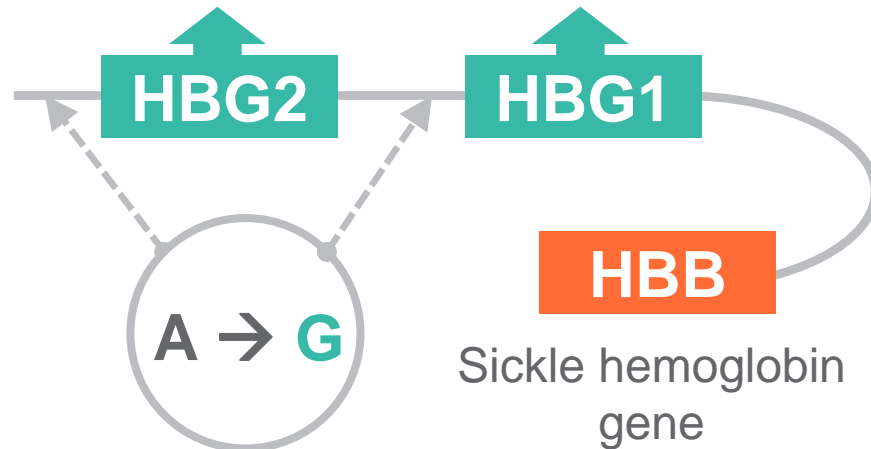
- First subject enrolled for **BEAM-101** in 2H 2022
- Submit IND for **BEAM-102** in 2H 2022
- Submit IND for **BEAM-201** in 2H 2022
- Nominate 2nd CAR-T development candidate
- Initiate IND-enabling studies for **BEAM-301**
- Nominate 2nd liver development candidate
- Form additional strategic platform partnerships (Pfizer)

Autologous *ex vivo* cell process for editing hematopoietic stem cells



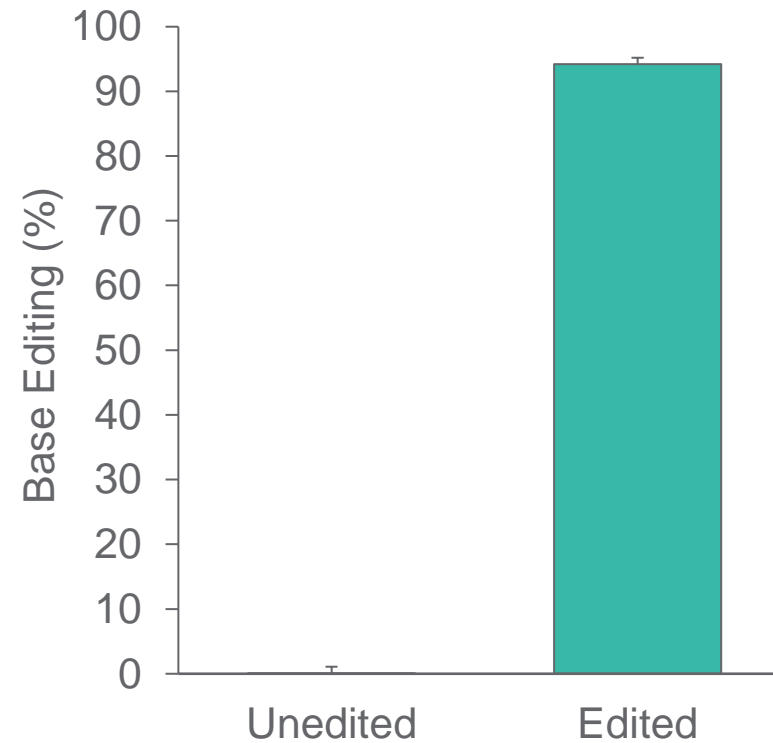
BEAM-101: High levels of editing and robust HbF induction after long-term *in vivo* engraftment

Sickle Cell Disease: 100,000 patients in the US; severe pain, organ damage, early mortality

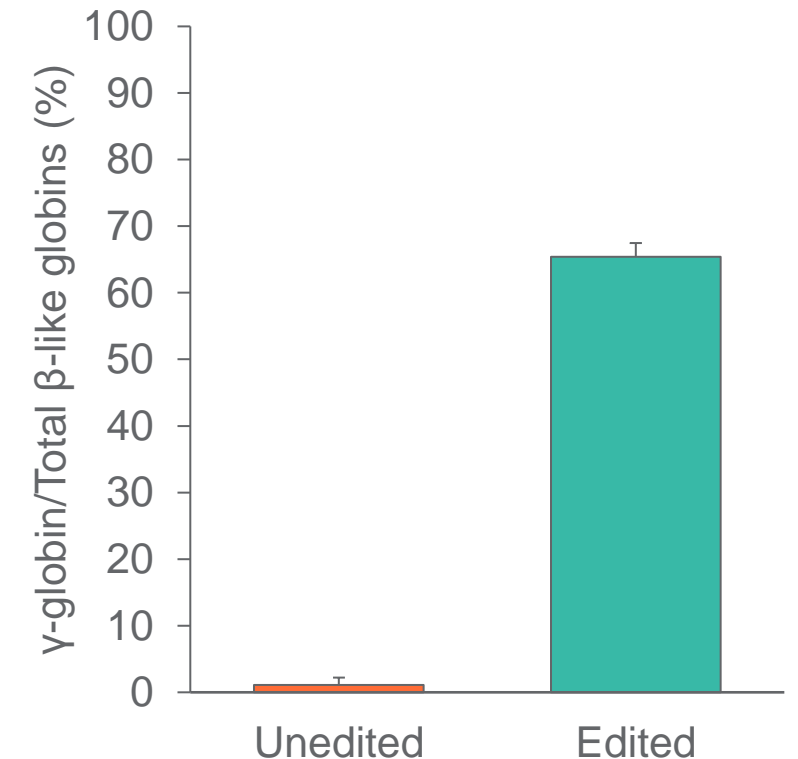


Base editor edits regulatory element of both fetal hemoglobin genes, without cutting DNA

>90% base editing at *HBG1/2* promoters in multilineage cells¹



>65% gamma globin protein levels in sorted erythroid cells²

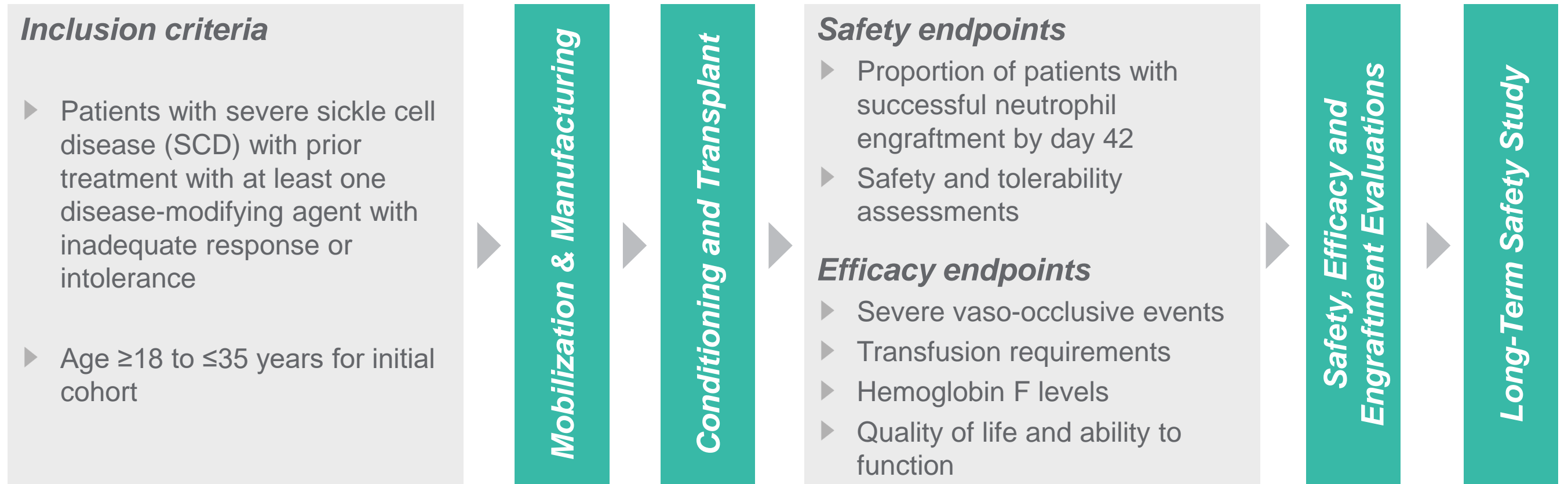


Presented at ASGCT 2020; Edited human HSPCs analyzed 16 weeks after infusion in NBSGW mice (Mean±SEM, n=4-6);
 1. Sorted human Lineage-CD34+ bulk bone marrow; 2. Sorted erythroid cells (GlyA+)

BEAM-101 is the first clinical base editing program

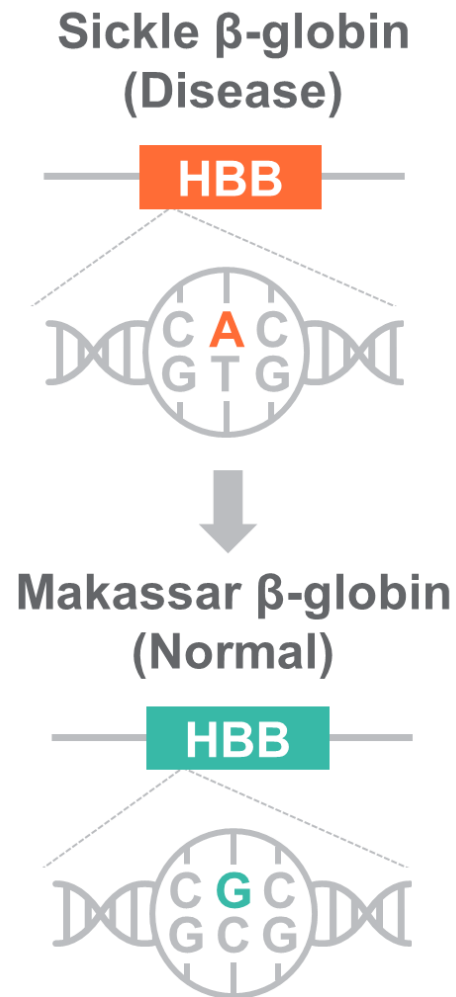


BEACON-101 Phase 1/2 Study Design

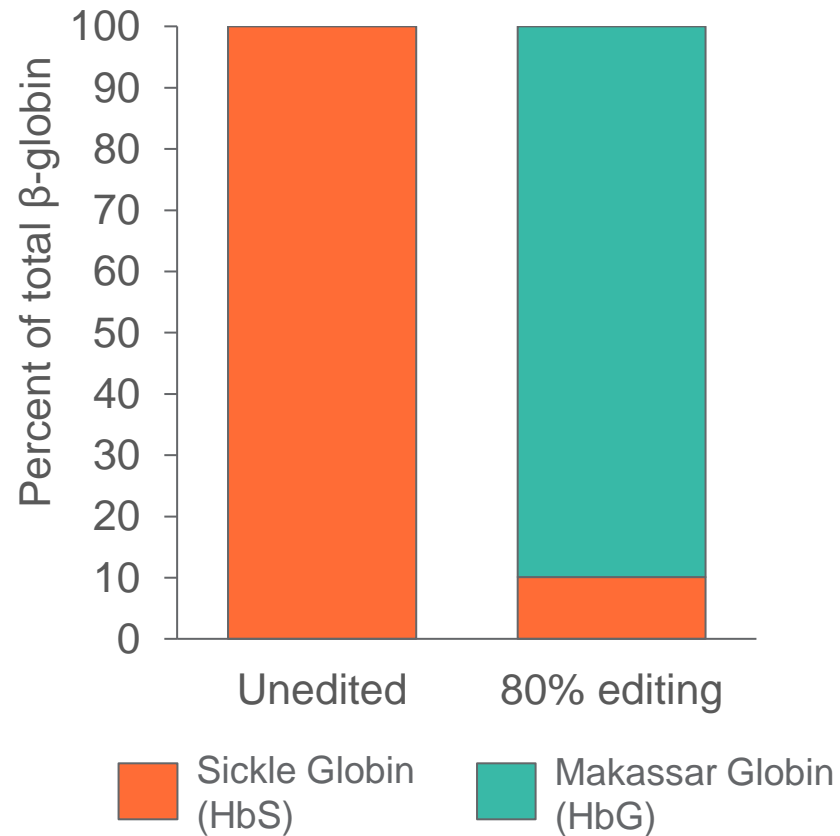


BEAM-102: High editing of sickle mutation led to significant elimination of HbS globin in patient donor cells

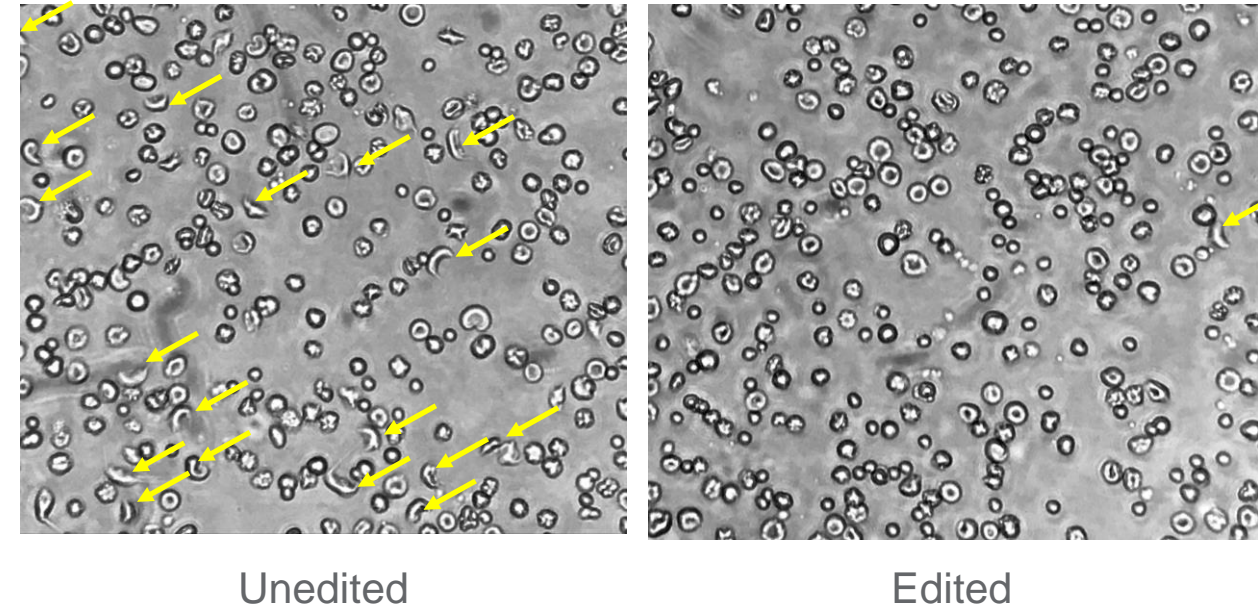
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>80% editing of HbS mutation



Elimination of sickling under low oxygen conditions



Presented at ASGCT 2020; Sickle (HbS) and Makassar variant globin protein, at varying bulk levels of Makassar editing assessed by NGS, was measured by UPLC and expressed as a fraction of total beta globin in 18 day mature RBCs derived from edited HbSS CD34+s. UPLC was conducted on n = 2 for each bulk editing condition. CD34+ HbSS cells were edited and subsequently differentiated to generate mature erythroid red blood cells and exposed to low oxygen conditions (<2%) in a hypoxic chamber. Image is representative of n=2 different sickling assays from n=2 independent donors that were successfully edited at high levels (>80% by NGS) and confirmed to have near 90% Makassar globin by UPLC.

Uniquely positioned to potentially create best-in-class regimens for SCD patients, now and in the future



Precise gene editing
(non-cutting, non-viral)

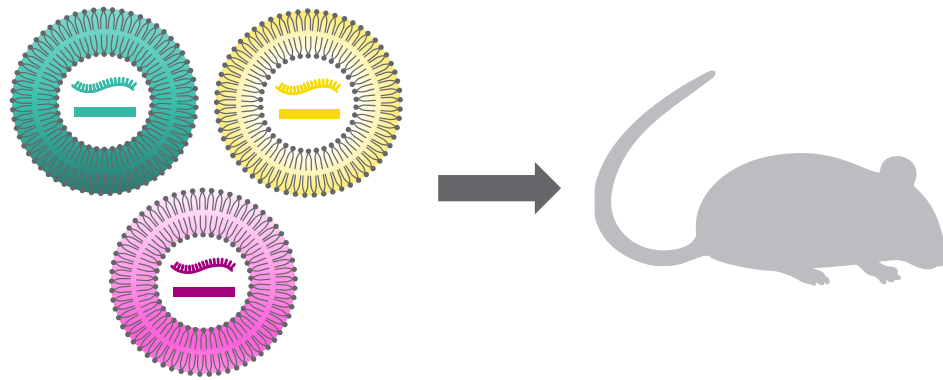
BEAM-101
BEAM-102

HSC conditioning with
targeted antibodies
(less toxic)

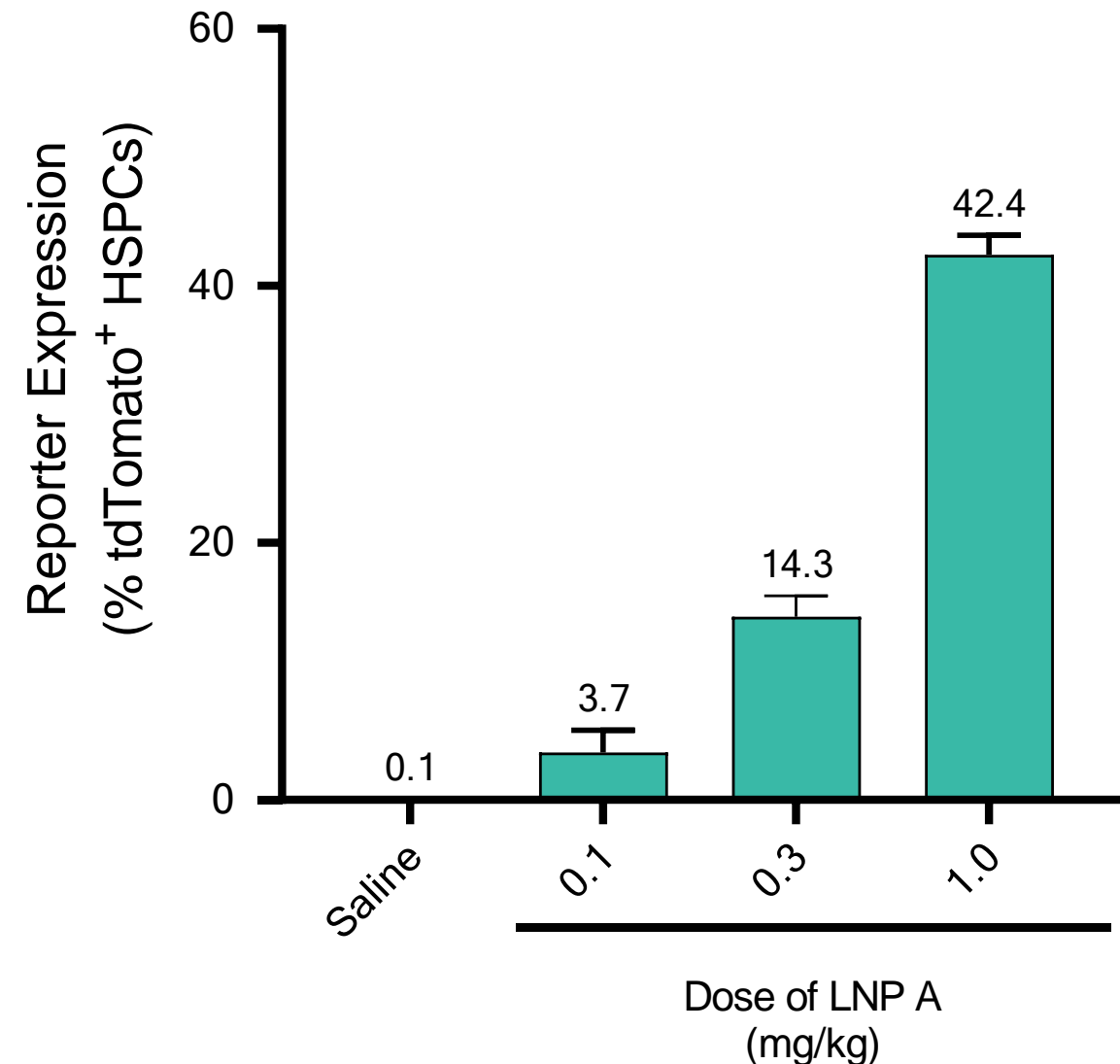


In vivo editing after
infusion of
HSC-targeted LNPs
(no transplant)

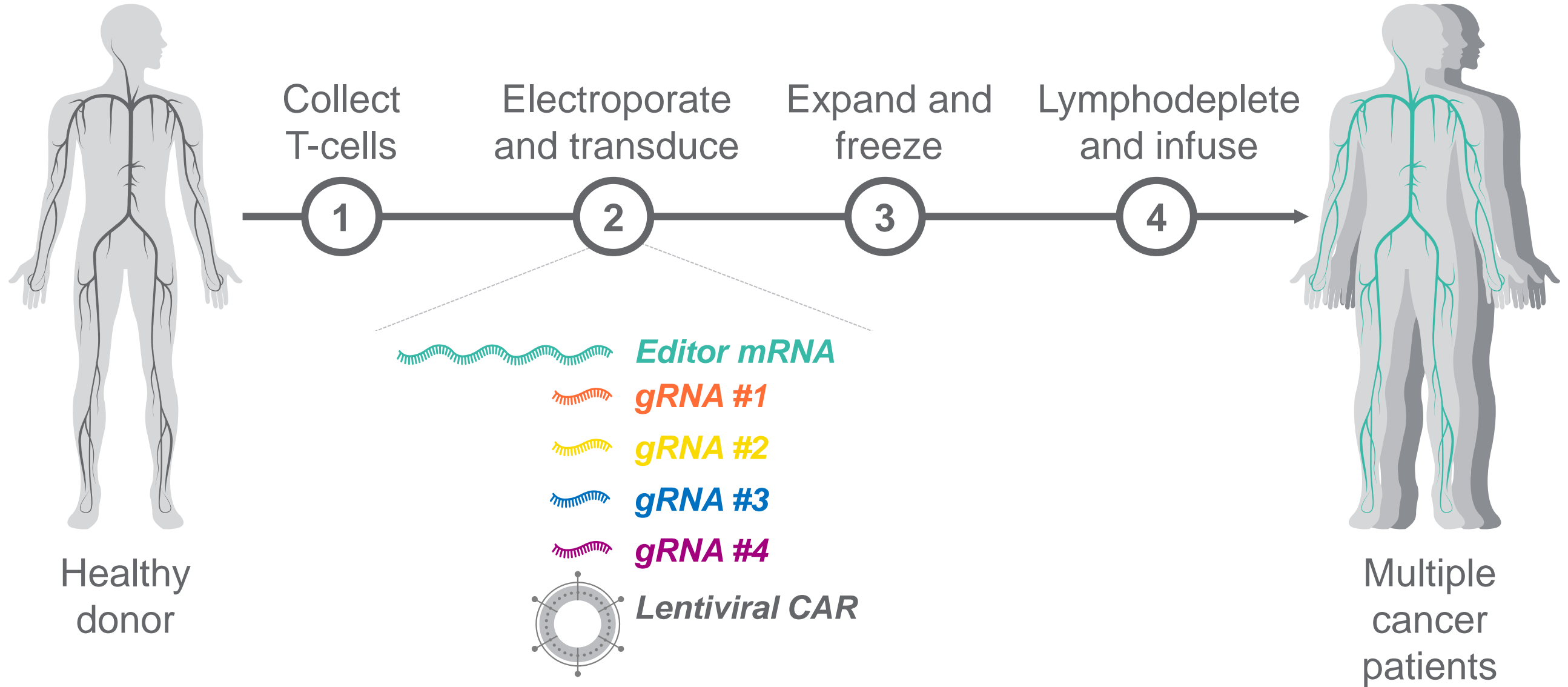
Developing LNPs for the delivery of mRNA to Hematopoietic Stem & Progenitor Cells (HSPCs)



- ▶ Proprietary technology for high throughput LNP screening for delivery beyond the liver
- ▶ Each nanoparticle contains mRNA payload plus a unique DNA barcode
- ▶ Simultaneous in vivo screening of LNPs to select formulations capable of targeting diverse tissues



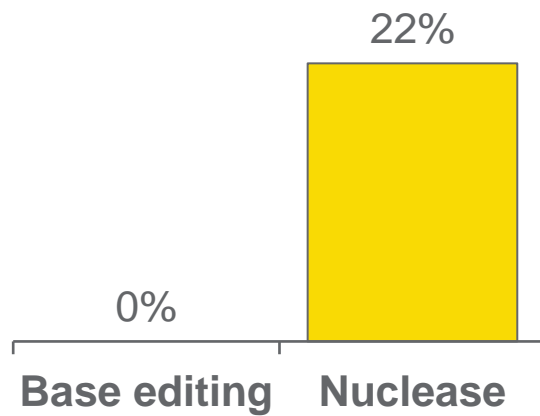
Allogeneic multiplex edited CAR-T cell process



Significant advantages of multiplex base editing without double strand breaks

Chromosomal rearrangements

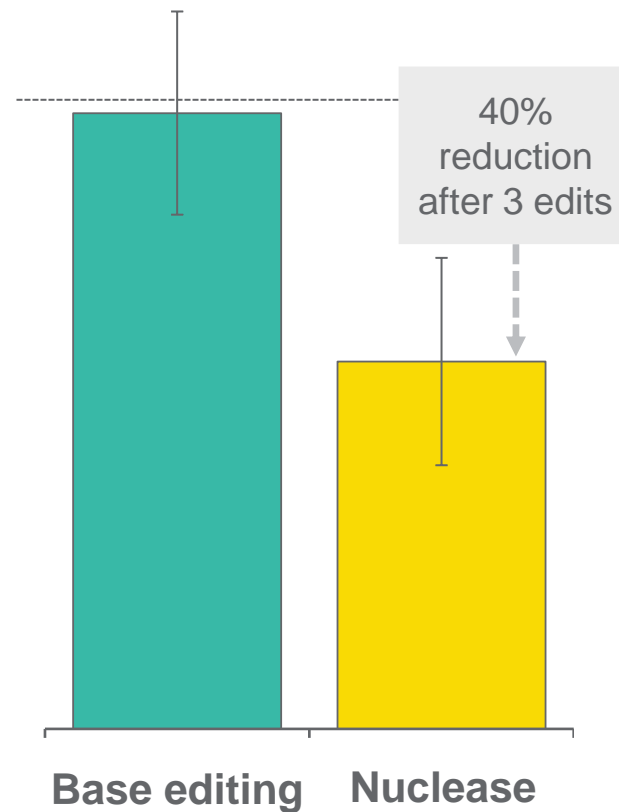
Percent of cells with translocations¹



4 edits: TRAC, CD52, PD1, CD7

Impact on cell expansion

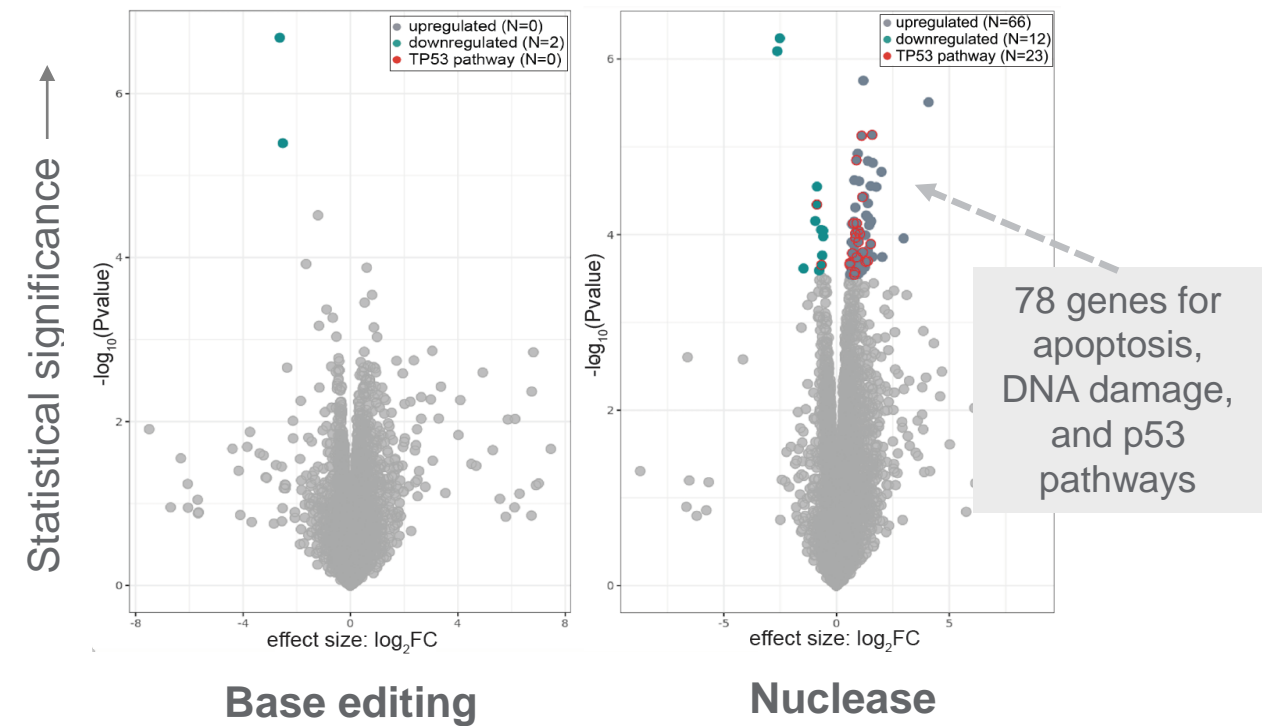
Percent yield after editing²



3 edits: TRAC, B2M, PD1

DNA damage response to editing (apoptosis and p53 pathway)

Gene expression changes after editing

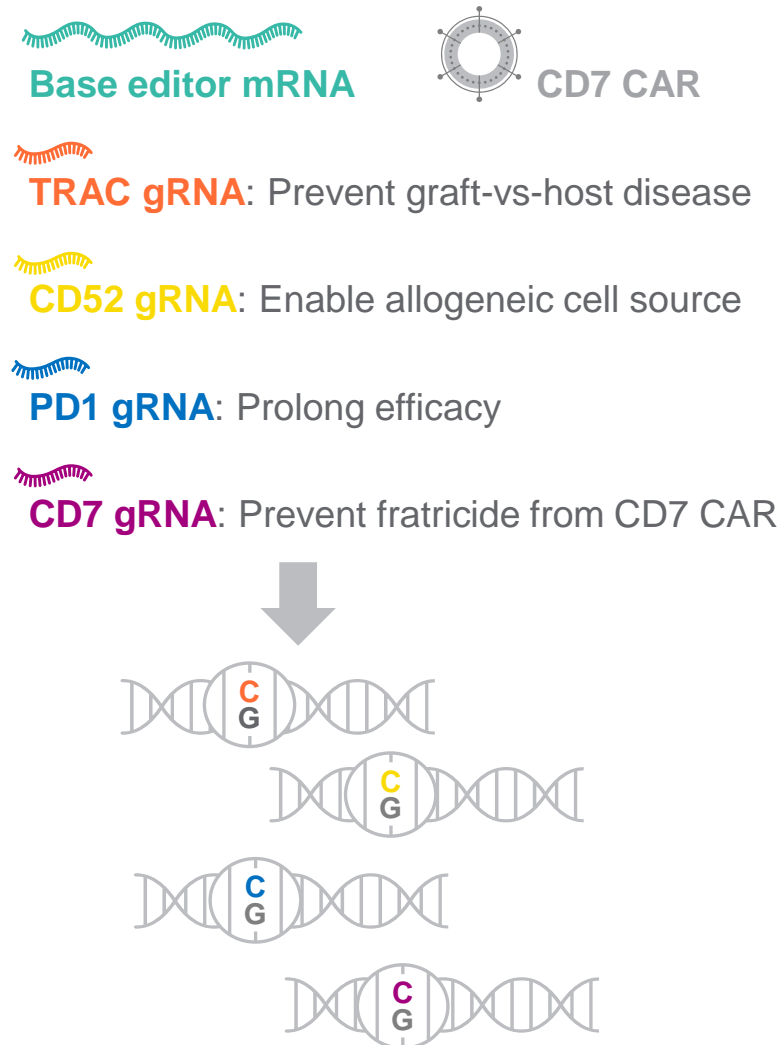


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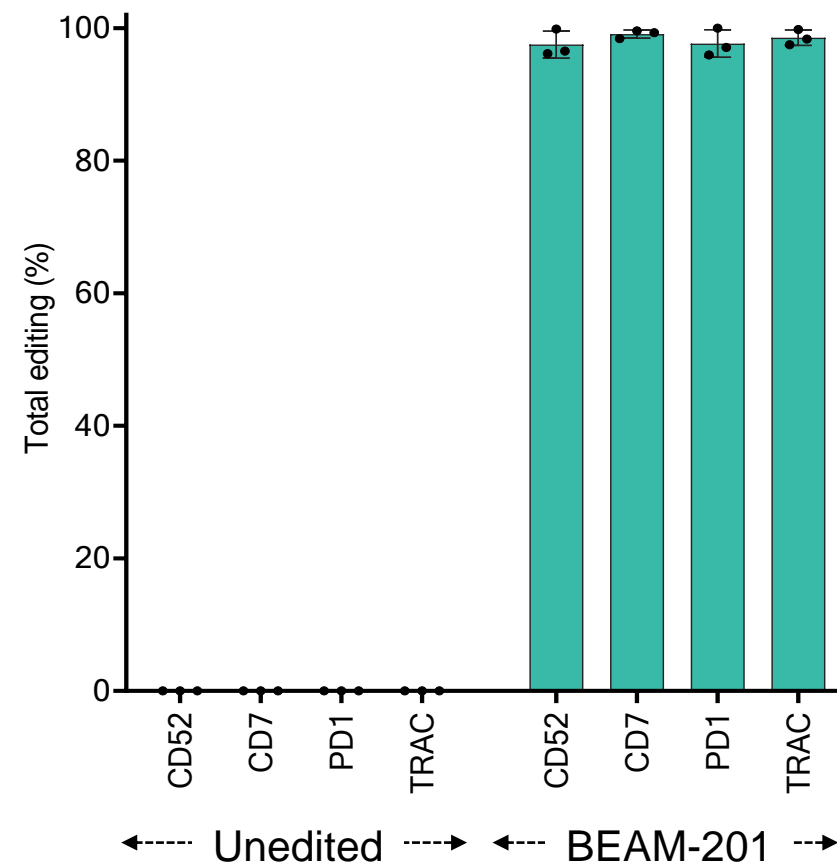
1. Base editing versus nuclease editing with the same four guide RNAs measured via G-banded karyotypes from 100 cells; 2. Extensive guide screen across three targets, with BE4 and spCas9 sgRNAs selected for high editing efficiency and expansion in single-plex test, final cell yields compared between 3 edits, normalized to electroporation only control;

BEAM-201: High level of cell engineering enabled by simultaneous multiplex base editing of four genes

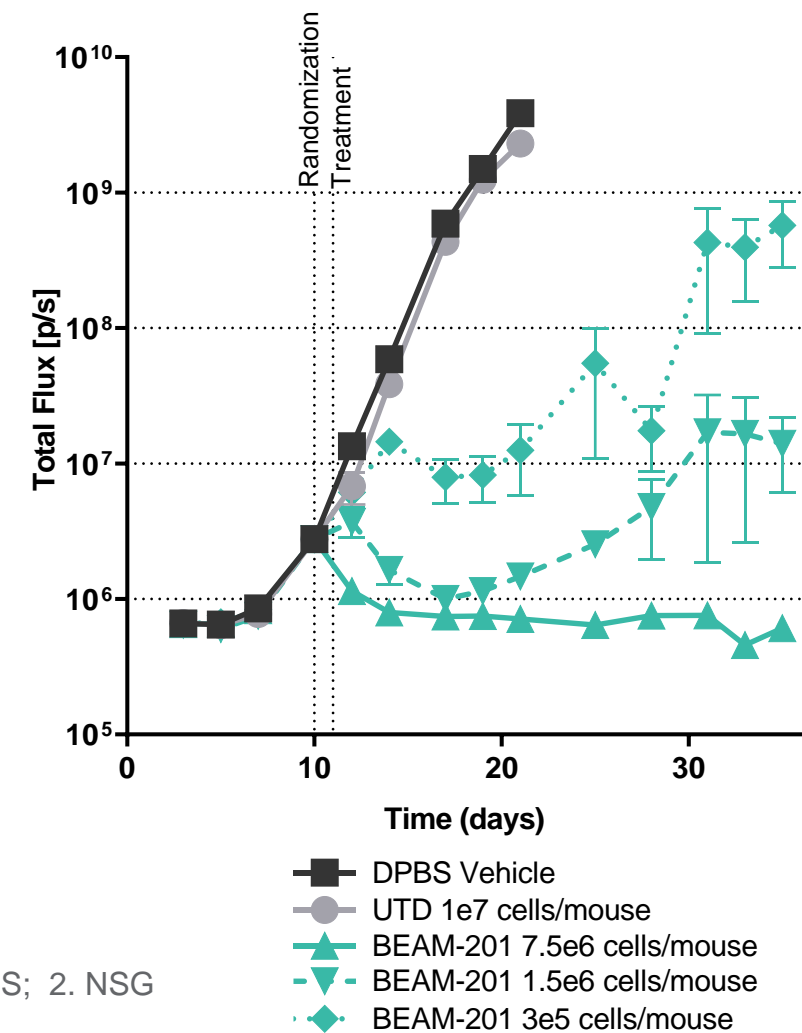
T-Cell Acute Leukemia: 15% of ALL, not treated by B-cell CARTs



Clinical process yields 96-99% editing, >90% quad edited¹

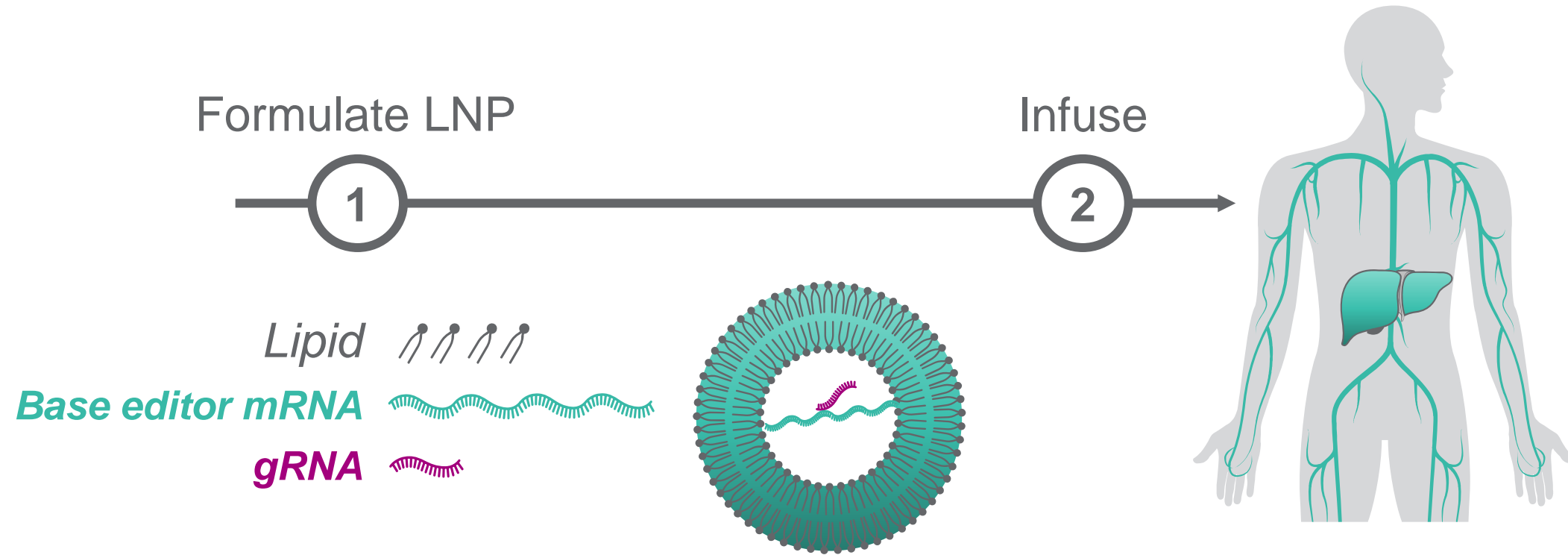


Potent in vivo tumor clearance or control across a 25-fold dose²



Presented at SITC 2020; 1. Simultaneous base editing at four target loci using clinical-scale process as measured by NGS; 2. NSG mice bearing CCRF-CEM-GFP-Luc tumors (Gomez-Silva et al, 2017)

Non-viral delivery for *in vivo* base editing in liver



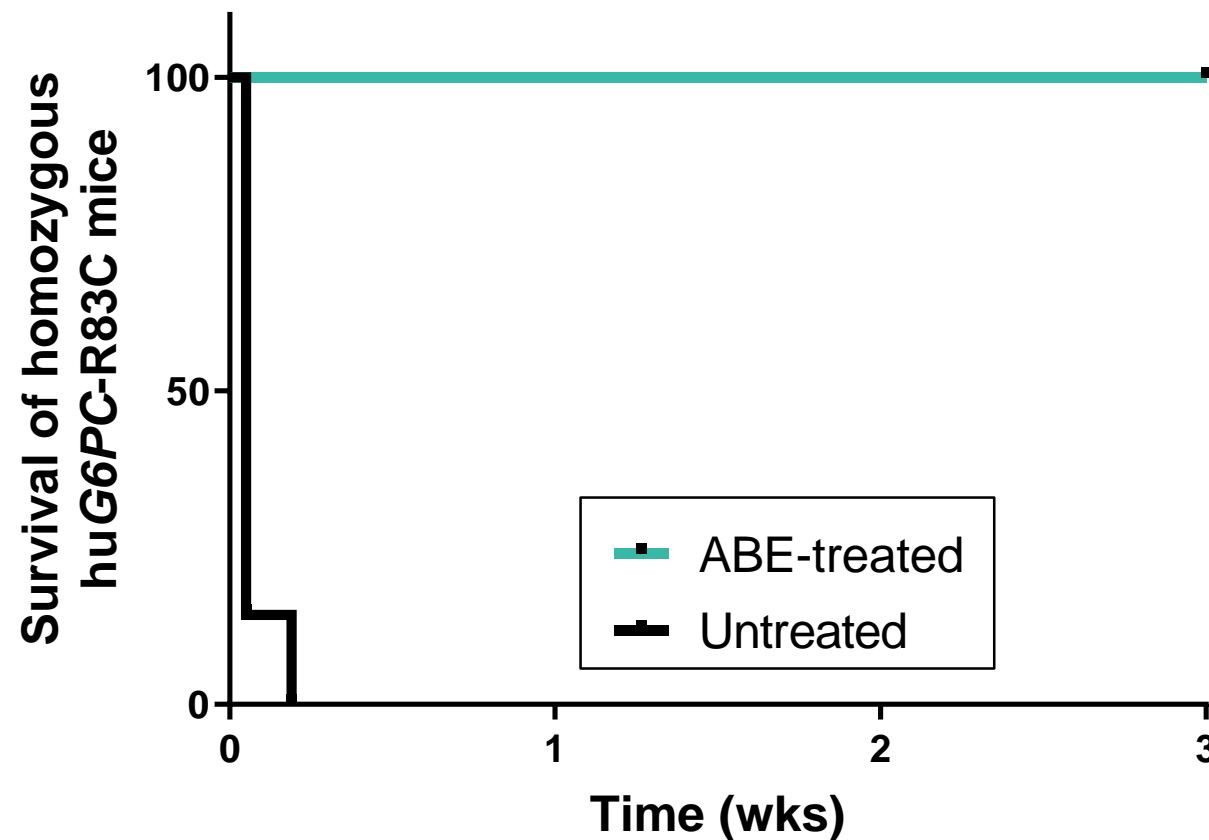
- ▶ Clinically validated technology for transient, *in vivo* delivery to the liver
- ▶ Scalable manufacturing with lower COGS
- ▶ **Proprietary Beam formulation showed up to 60% editing in NHPs at clinically-relevant dose of 1.0 mpk**

BEAM-301: ABE correction of GSDIa R83C mutation associated with improved survival of R83C mice

Glycogen Storage Disease Ia: 900 patients in US with R83C; life-threatening hypoglycemia



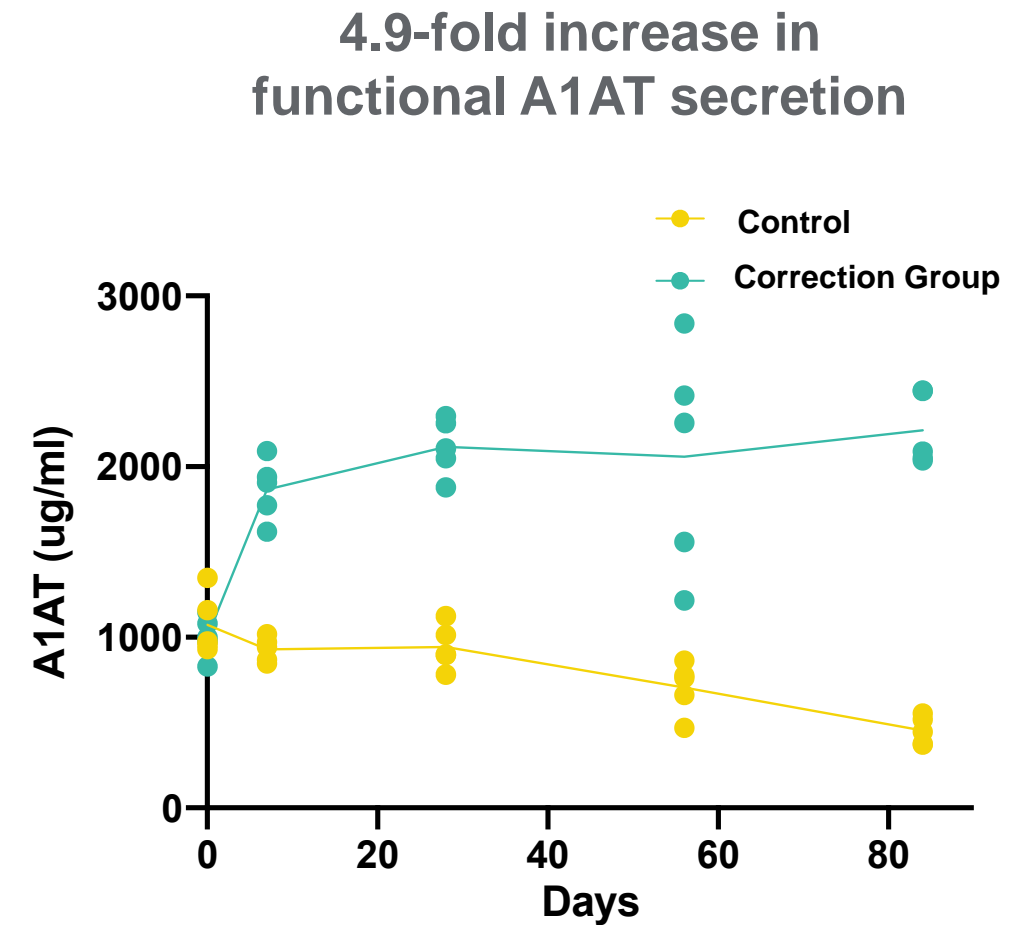
Kaplan-Meier Survival Estimates¹



- ▶ DC nomination in Dec 2021 – Beam’s first *in vivo* DC
- ▶ Near-normal serum metabolites, G6PC activity, hepatic morphology and lipid deposition
- ▶ Animal models suggest 11% editing may be sufficient for clinical benefit²

In vivo direct correction of A1AT mutation with base editing designed to address liver and lung disease

Alpha-1 Anti-trypsin Deficiency: 60,000 ZZ patients in US¹; severe progressive lung and liver disease



Presented at ASGCT 2020; Editing in NSG-PiZ mice with either control (PCSK9) or correction (E342K) results in above results

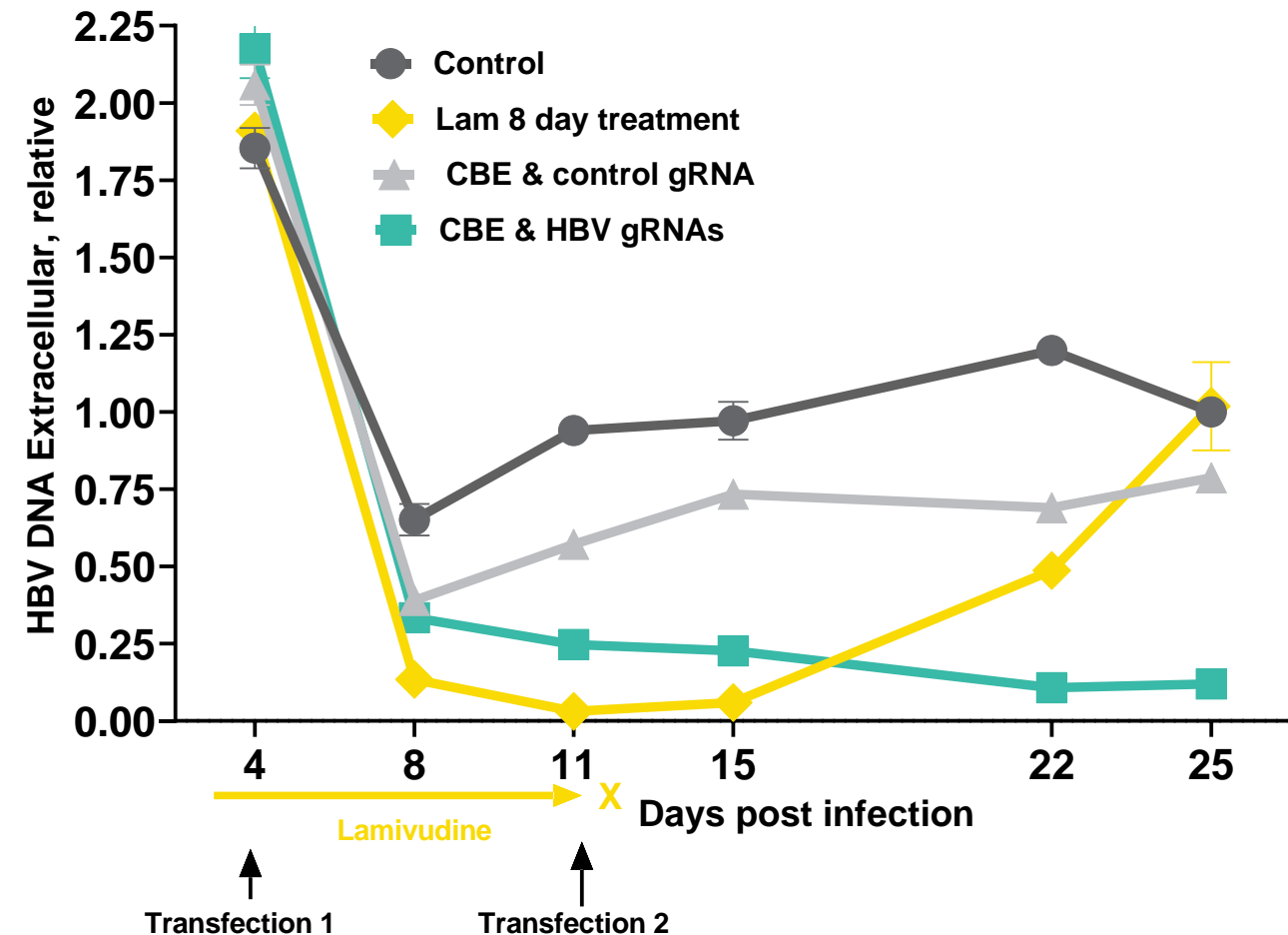
1. The most severe form of Alpha-1 arises when a patient has an E342K (PiZ) point mutation in both copies of the SERPINA1 gene, where two copies are designated ZZ.

Multiplex base editing of hepatitis B virus genome reduced viral markers and prevented rebound

Hepatitis B: 850,000 US patients living with chronic hepatitis B; nearly 300 million worldwide

- ▶ Current antivirals do not eliminate the HBV genome, leading to viral rebound and preventing cure
- ▶ Multiplex base editing has potential to silence covalently closed circular DNA (cccDNA)
- ▶ Base editing also has potential to silence HBV integrated in human genome, without fear of chromosomal rearrangements caused by double-stranded DNA breaks

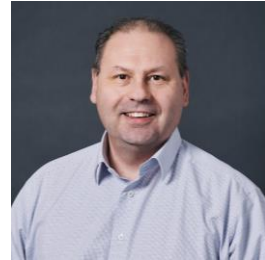
Base editing caused reduction of viral antigens and prevention of viral rebound, unlike lamivudine



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Significant team track record in discovery, development, approval of first-in-class medicines

Thank you

