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**Perseus Proteomics Inc.** 

(Securities code: 4882)



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# About Perseus Proteomics

### **Company Overview**



### We contribute to global healthcare with cutting-edge antibody technology

Company name Perseus Proteomics Inc. (PPMX)

February 2001 Established

 Antibody (Ab) drug discovery **Business** 

Ab research support

Ab/reagent sales

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> > Tokyo, Japan

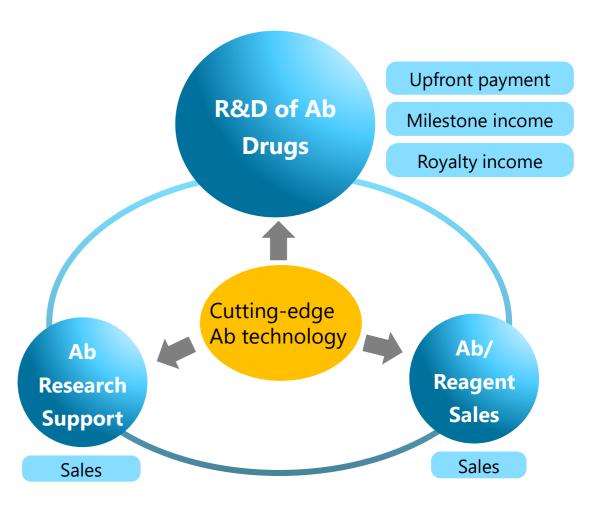
Nagoya Laboratory: 2-22-8 Chikusa, Chikusa-ku,

Nagoya-shi, Aichi, Japan

Capital 500 million yen\*

34\* **Employee** 

#### Our Business Model ----





# Business Overview

# FY2026 Plans and Q2 Progress



#### **Plans**

- Out-licensing Activities: PPMX-T003 / PPMX-T002
- Clinical Development:
  Physician-initiated clinical study of PPMXT003 for aggressive NK-cell leukemia to be completed in March 2026
- 2 Exploratory Research:
  Optimization of balance between efficacy and toxicity in preliminary toxicity studies for PPMX-T004, non-GLP toxicity study initiated
- Platform Technology:
  Organizing database using the completed Library 2
  Advancing acquisition of antibodies against high-difficulty antigens

### **Progress**

- Ongoing out-licensing activities leveraging domestic and international networks
- Four cases have been enrolled
- Based on investigator's decision, trial period expected to be extended by one year to March 31, 2027
- Osaka University Hospital to participate as a trial site
- Evaluating the balance between efficacy and toxicity for T004
- Progress presented at the 84th Annual Meeting of the Japanese Cancer Association
- Non-GLP toxicity study ongoing
- Selected for A-STEP Industry-Academia Joint Stage II
- Three presentations to be announced at Japanese Antibody Society

# FY2026 Q2 Highlights



1 Signed joint research agreement with Aska Pharmaceutical to create new antibody therapeutics

- 2 Selected for A-STEP Industry-Academia Joint Stage II (Full-scale Phase)
- 3 Joined AMED "New Modality Consortium"

# 1 Signed Joint Research Agreement with Aska Pharmaceutical to Create New Antibody Therapeutics





**Specialty Pharma** 

Joint Research
Agreement

**Antibody Discovery Venture** 

-Strengths-Extensive experience and track record in internal medicine, obstetrics and gynecology, and urology

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-Strengths-Research and development of novel therapies using proprietary antibody technology



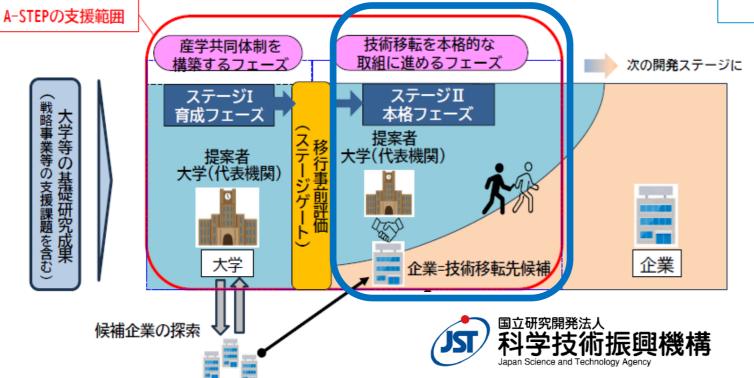
Creation of new antibody drugs targeting specific disease areas

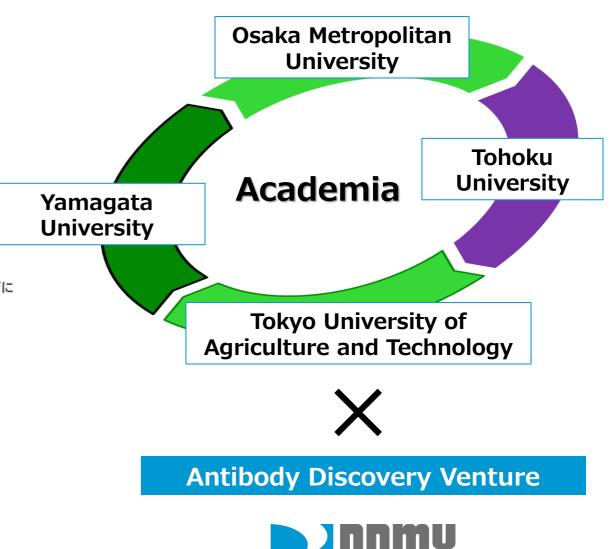
# 2 Selected for A-STEP Industry-Academia Joint Stage IIIIII

Topic: Construction of a platform for creating fully natural IgGtype bispecific antibody therapeutics

#### About A-STEP Academia-Industry Joint Research Stage II

Purpose: To validate the feasibility of practical application of foundational research results (technical seeds) from universities and other institutions through joint research with enterprises, creating results that contribute to platform development, and aiming for technology transfer from academia to industry





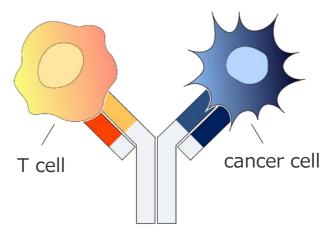


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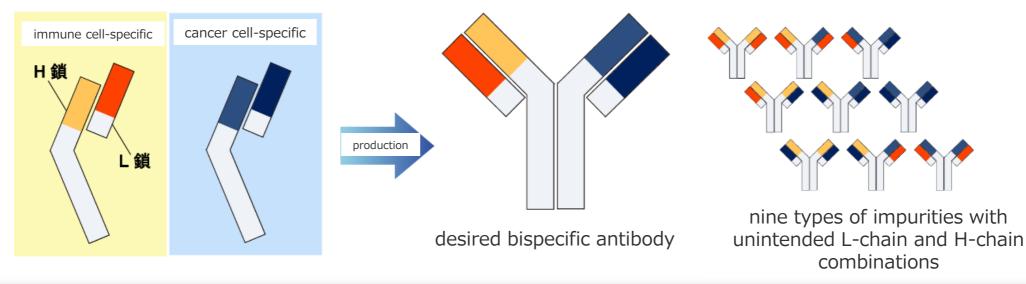
<u>Topic: Construction of a platform for creating fully natural IgG-type bispecific antibody therapeutics</u>

### **Challenges**

Bispecific antibodies (BsAb) are next-generation therapeutics with functions unattainable by conventional antibody drugs that target a single molecular target. However, a major challenge in manufacturing is that for every intended BsAb, nine types of impurities are produced.



Bispecific antibody



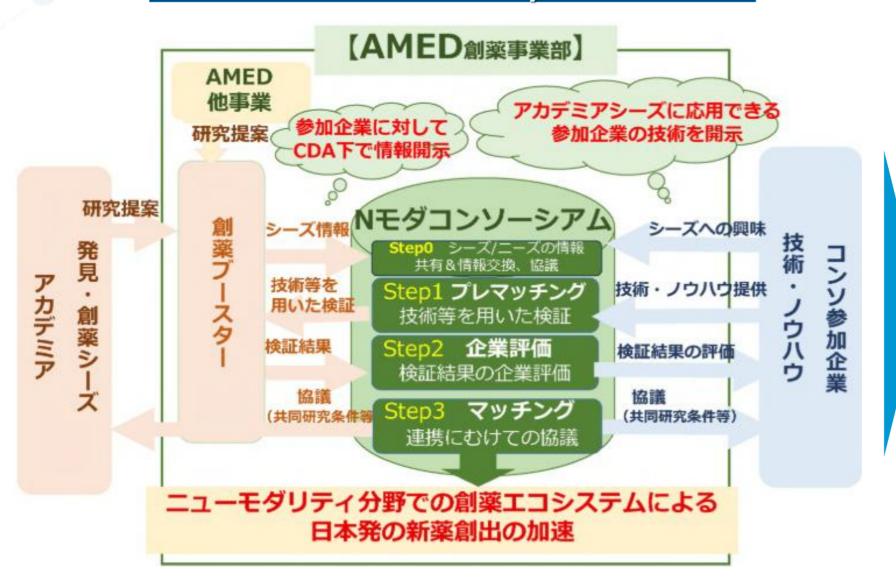
By combining next-generation biologic design technologies possessed by various academic institutions, establish creation and manufacturing technologies for fully natural IgG-type BsAb.

Establish a platform to consistently achieve screening and industrial manufacturing of antibody molecules that consist of only fully natural sequences.

# 3 Joined AMED "New Modality Consortium"



### About the "New Modality Consortium"



#### **Impact on Our Business**

- Enables efficient, early access to promising seeds at universities, etc.
- By matching our proprietary technology with new seeds, increases opportunities to expand our pipeline
- The cost required for validation studies is basically covered by AMED, allowing seed validation
- Processes for starting joint research with universities, etc. are stipulated by rules, enabling efficient initiation of joint research

Source: "New Modality Consortium (Implementation Structure Diagram)" (Japan Agency for Medical Research and Development) (https://www.amed.go.jp/program/list/11/02/001\_02-05.html), The original source is in Japanese.

# **Status of Development Pipeline**



Development Code	Target	Indication	Drug Discovery Research	Nonclinical studies	Phase1	Phase2	Remark
PPMX-T003	TfR1	Polycythemia vera	Out-licensing activities ongoing				
		ANKL <sup>1)</sup>	Investigator-ii	nitiated clinical t	rial		AMED
PPMX-T002 (RIT <sup>2)</sup> )	CDH3	Solid tumors	been complete		FUJIFILM Corpo	oration has	* RI: <sup>90</sup> \ ** RI: <sup>225</sup> /
PPMX-T004 (ADC <sup>3)</sup> )	CDH3	Solid tumors					UB

Remarks			
AMED			
* RI: <sup>90</sup> Y			
** RI: <sup>225</sup> Ac			
UBE			

# **Status of Drug Discovery Pipeline**



Modality	Target	Indication	Antibody Screening System Construction	Antibody Acquisition	Antibody Optimization	Nonclinical studies	Partners ※
BsAb <sup>1)</sup>	Not disclosed	Hematologic malignancy					CHUBU UNIVERSITY
BsAb <sup>1)</sup> /ADC <sup>2)</sup>	Not disclosed	Solid tumors					Not disclosed
ADC <sup>2)</sup>	Not disclosed	Solid tumors					NCC
naked <sup>3)</sup>	Not disclosed	Gastrointestinal diseases					NCC

<sup>1)</sup> Multi-specific antibodies 2) Antibody Drug Conjugates 3) IgG antibodies

# PPMX-T003: Progress in Polycythemia Vera Area

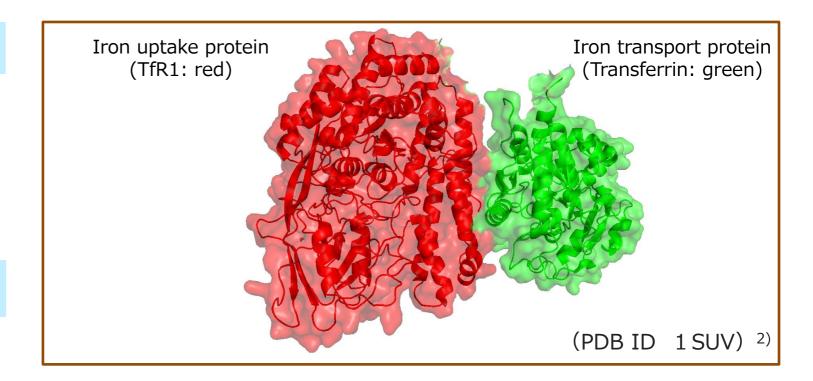


### **Status of out-licensing activities**

 Continuing out-licensing activities using domestic and international networks

#### **Latest status**

- Preparation of clinical trial paper for PV study underway
- Some trial investigators at PV trial centers have initiated clinical studies



Study Title: A Study to Explore Trends in Pathological Changes Based on Pharmacodynamic Effects of T003 and

Changes in Laboratory Test Values in Participants of the PPMX-T003-CT102 Trial

Principal Investigator: Prof. Motoki Ito, Dept. of Hematology/Oncology, Kansai Medical University Hospital

Study Period: Until March 31, 2026

Note: jRCT 1) Clinical study plan No.: jRCT1050250129

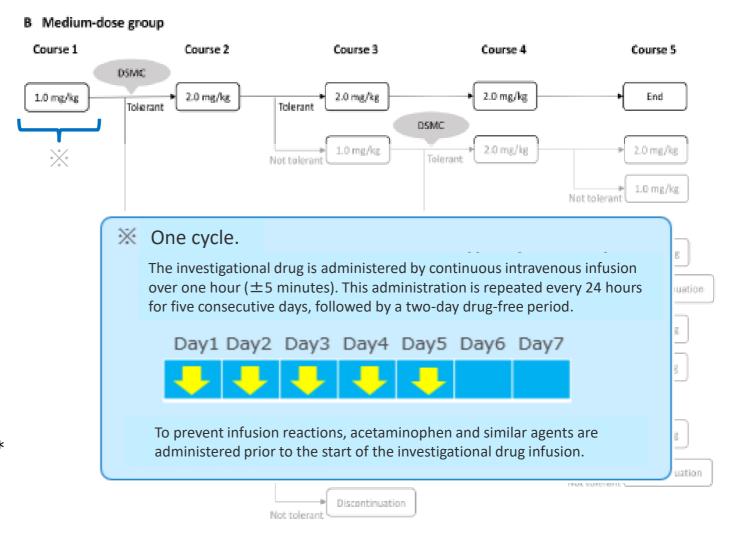
# PPMX-T003: Phase I/II (Investigator-Initiated Clinical Trial) for ANKL



#### **Clinical trial overview**

- Study design : Open-label, non-comparative, dose-escalation
- Target : Aggressive NK-cell leukemia (ANKL)
  - Ultra-rare disease
  - No effective treatments available
  - Median survival: 58 days
  - Mostly AYA generation (15-39 years), people in their 40s
- Primary endpoints : Tolerability and safety
- Implementation period : April 2023 March 2027 (planned)
- Study coordinator : Dr. Kiyoshi Ando, Dept. of Hematology,
   Hiroshima University Hospital
- Trial sites: 9 medical institutions nationwide (1 additional site planned)
- Remarks : Supported by AMED drug discovery support project\*
   iRCT No. : iRCT2061230008

Dose escalation/de-escalation schedule (Medium dose group)



\* Drug Discovery Support Promotion Project / Pre-Orphan Drug Commercialization Support Project

# PPMX-T003: Phase I/II (Investigator-Initiated



**Latest status** 

- Four cases have been enrolled
- Trial period to be extended by one year, until
   March 2027

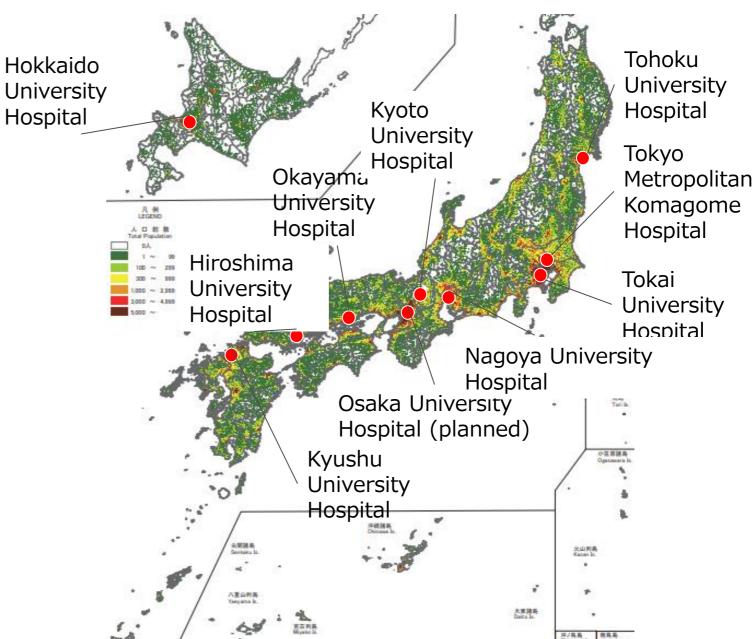
Clinical Trial) for ANKL

 Osaka University Hospital planned as additional trial site

#### **Future Plans**

- PMDA consultation n
- Orphan drug application

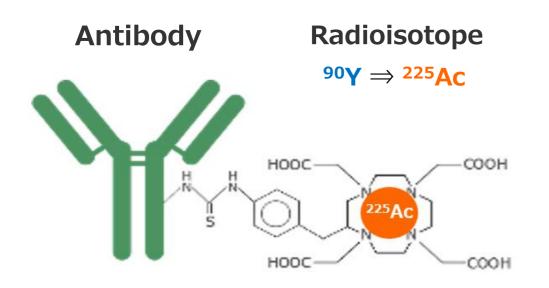
Aiming for world's first ANKL therapeutic

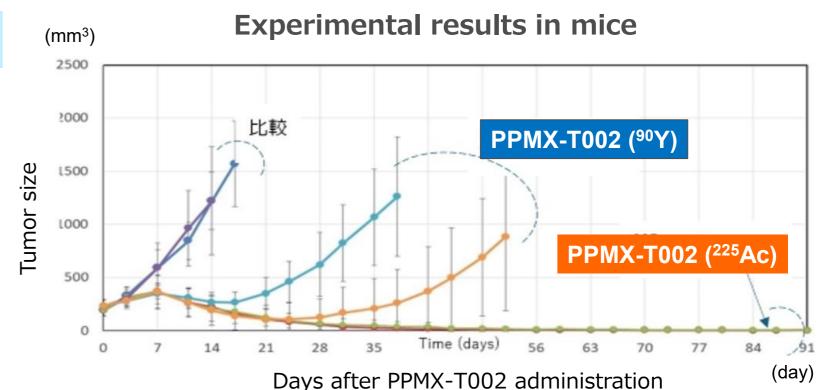


### PPMX-T002: Progress Status



### **Antibody structure**





### **Status of out-licensing activities**

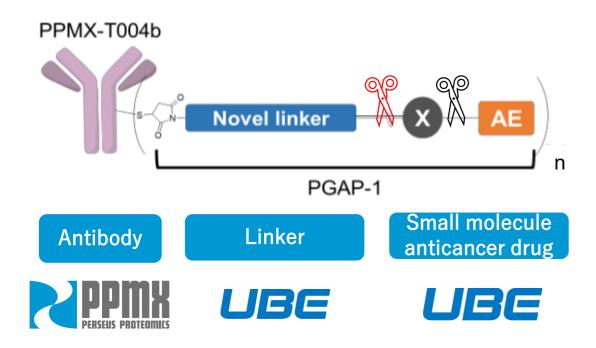
 Continuing out-licensing activities using domestic and international networks To further enhance antitumor effects, the radioisotope (RI) was changed from Yttrium-90 (90Y) to Actinium-225 (225Ac)

**Evaluation of antitumor effect in nonclinical studies** 

# PPMX-T004: Progress Status



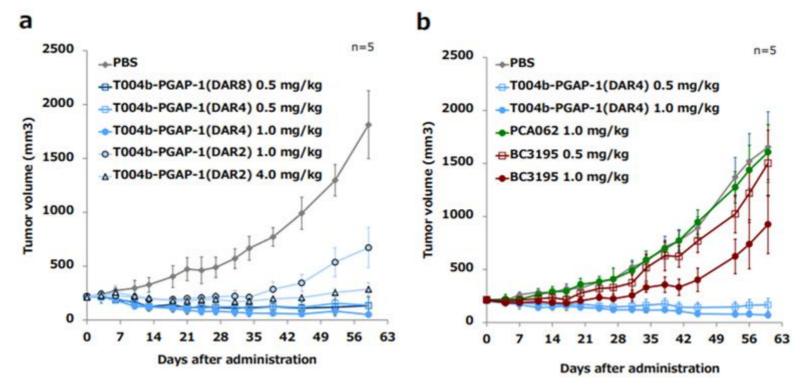
### **Antibody structure**



#### **Latest Status**

- PPMX-T004b-PGAP-1 is an antibody-drug conjugate (ADC) targeting CDH3, which is highly expressed in various solid tumors such as ovarian cancer, biliary cancer, and head and neck cancer
- Currently, one of the developed PPMX-T004 ADCs is being evaluated for optimal balance between efficacy and toxicity

Results of comparisons between different DAR\* values of PPMX-T004b (DAR2, DAR4, DAR8) and competitor efficacy



- (a) Tumor growth following single dosing at day 0 in BxPC3 xenograft mouse models with different DARs.
- **(b)** Comparison of tumor growth with preceding ADCs.
  - \* Drug Antibody Ratio (number of drug molecules attached per antibody) 18



# 03 FY2026 Q2 Financial Summary

# FY2026 Q2 Results:



Income Statement

(Unit: million yen)

	FY2025/3 First half	FY2026/3 First half
Sales	59	60
Gross profit	55	57
SG & A	469	457
R&D expenses	304	310
Other	164	146
Operating income	△414	△399
Ordinary income	<b>△427</b>	△345
Special loss	66	32
Corporate taxes etc.	1	0
Net income	△495	△379

Antibody research support Antibody/reagent sales

PPMX-T003 ANKL clinical trial PPMX-T004 nonclinical study expenses

Head office restoration & equipment impairment losses

- Sales: Up about 2.6% year-on-year
- R&D expenses: Includes expenses for PPMX-T003 ANKL Phase I/II physician-initiated trial, PPMX-T004 nonclinical study, etc.

# FY2026 Q2 Financial Position



#### Balance Sheet

(Unit: million yen)

Assets				
	2025/3/31	2025/9/30		
Cash & deposits	1,667	1,385		
Total current assets	1,775	1,447		
Non-current assets	42	14		
Total assets	1,818	1,461		

Liabilities				
	2025/3/31	2025/9/30		
Current liabilities	124	97		
Non-current liabilities	261	311		
Total liabilities	386	408		
Total net assets	1,432	1,053		
<b>Total liabilities &amp; net assets</b>	1,818	1,461		

- Cash & deposits: Decreased due to R&D expenses, etc.
- Non-current liabilities: Long-term deposit received upon selection for AMED drug discovery project for PPMX-T003 (ANKL therapy development)
- Equity ratio: 66.1%



# 04 Measures to Accelerate Business Activities

# Three New Measures to Accelerate Business Activities PPMX

Vast antibody collection tagged with ID-Tags

### **PPMX Library 2 (PPMX Digital Library)**

Efficient antibody design through integration of experiments and AI

**AI Hybrid Drug Discovery** 

Rapid acquisition of diverse antibodies

Single B-cell platform technology

# PPMX Antibody Library 2 (PPMX Digital Library)



### Features: Difference from PPMX Antibody Library 1

Image

Sequence analysis method

**PPMX Antibody Library 1** 

H chain

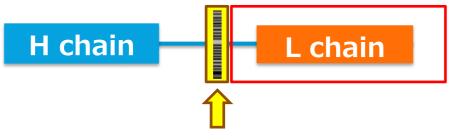
L chain



Analysis count → Hundreds of clones

Established technology
Able to obtain excellent antibodies so far







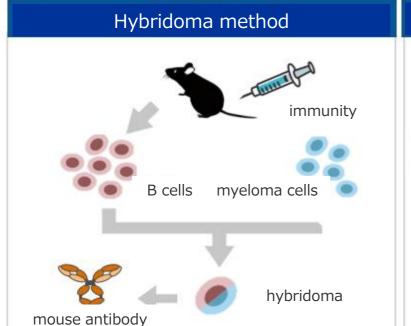
Analysis count → Tens of thousands to millions of clones

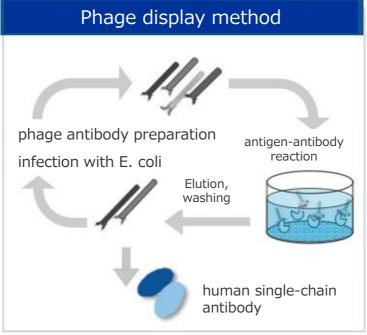
Efficiency in antibody acquisition using vast data. Utilized in machine learning

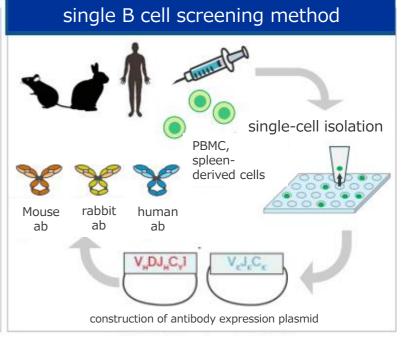
Inserted ID-Tag corresponding to L chain sequence

# **AI** Hybrid Drug Discovery









Development, retraining, and fine-tuning of proprietary AI models



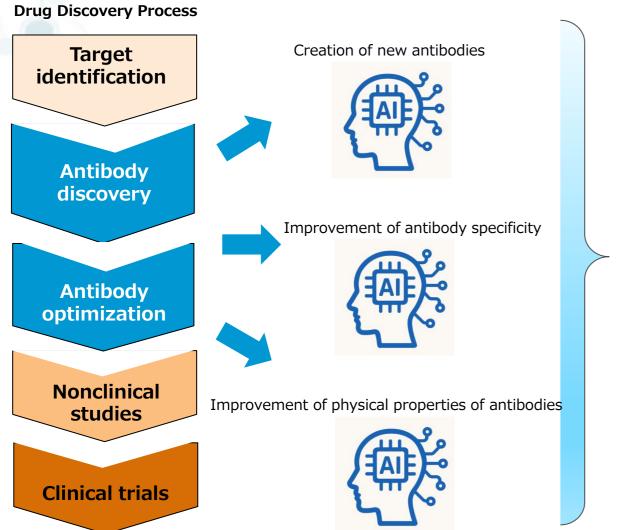


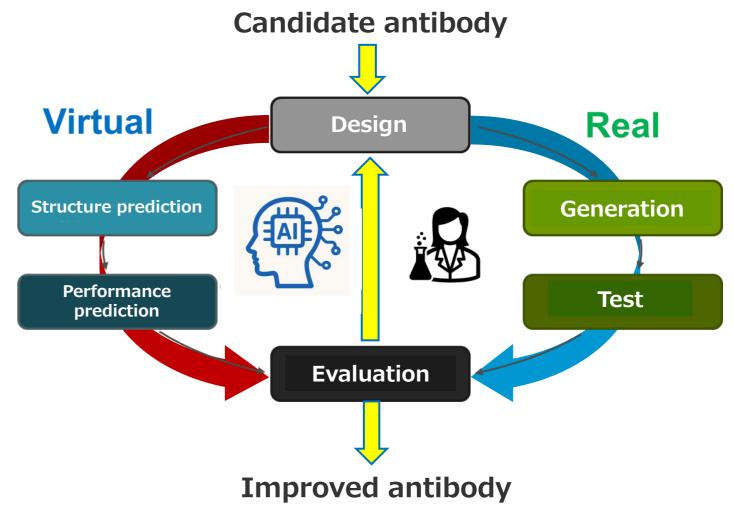


Creation of a unique AI model, leveraging PPMX's strengths

# **AI** Hybrid Drug Discovery







Integration of AI into all steps from antibody discovery to optimization

Enabling efficient antibody design through fusion of experiments and AI

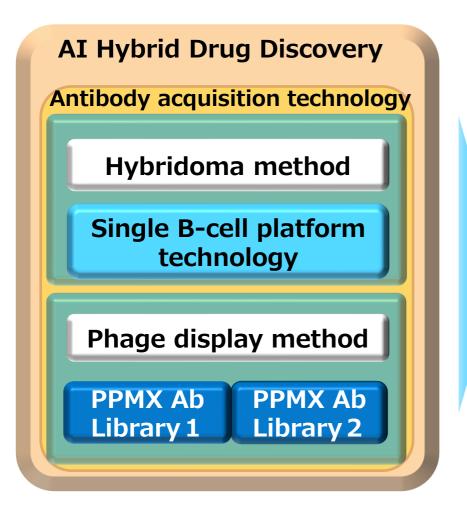


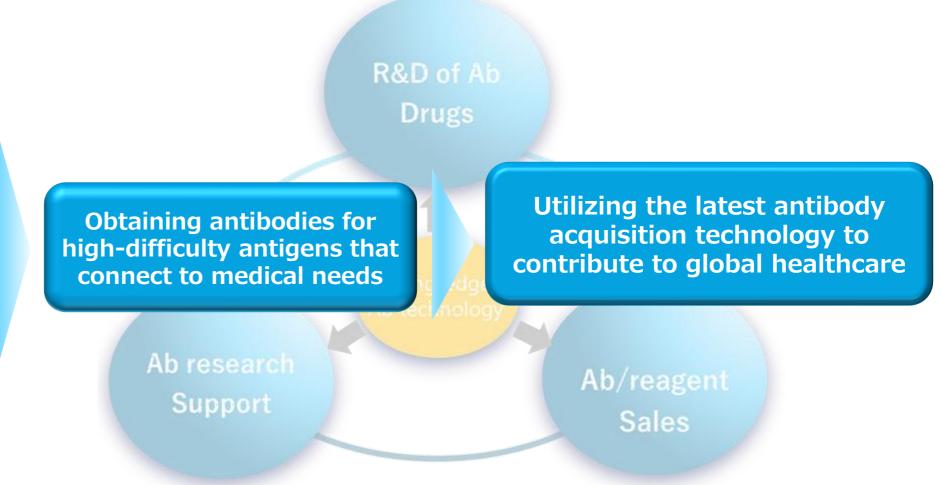
# Future Business Development

# **Future Business Development**



By combining the latest AI drug discovery technology with our core competence—cutting-edge antibody acquisition technology—we promote, strengthen, and support each business in a multi-faceted way







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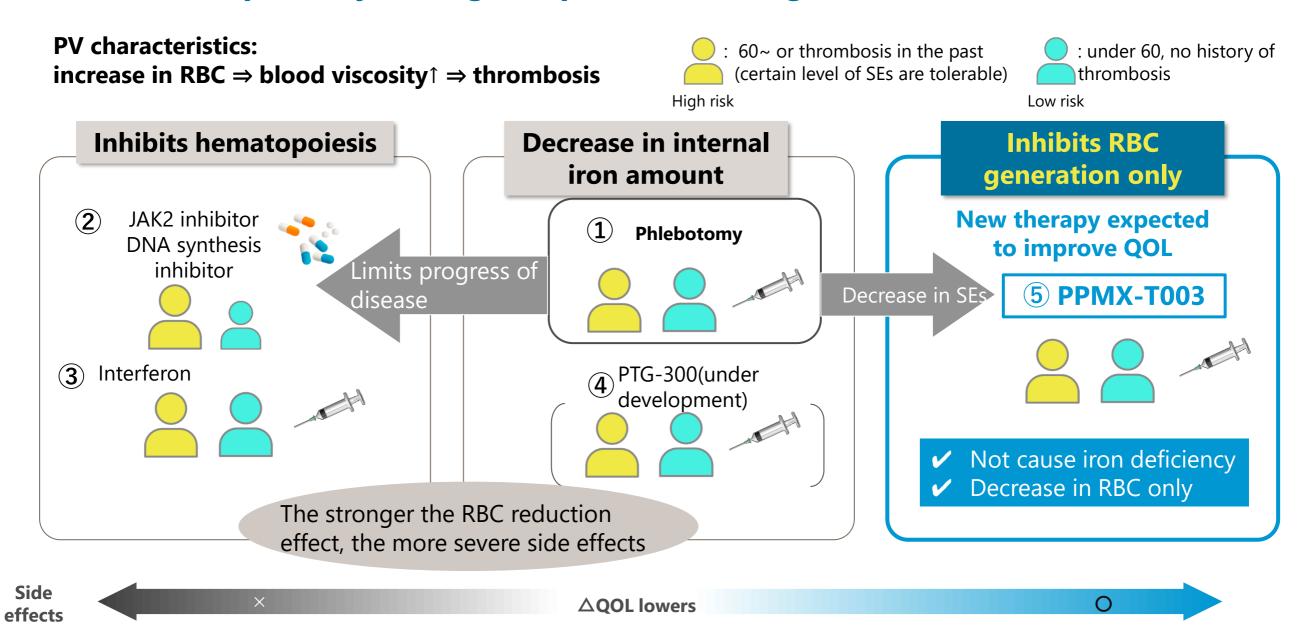
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### **PPMX-T003:**

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### Position & superiority among competitive PV drugs





### PPMX-T003 market: Recent out-licensing deals for PV treatment drugs (booming market)



Time	Jan. 2023*1	Jan. 2024* <sup>2</sup>	Mar. 2025*3
Item	MWTX-003/DISC-3405	PTG-300	Sapablursen
Licensee/ Acquiree	Mabwell Therapeutics (CN)	Protagonist Therapeutics (US)	Ionis Pharmaceuticals (US)
Licenser/ Acquirer	Disc Medicine (US)	Takeda Pharmaceutical	Ono Pharmaceutical
Indication	PV, beta-thalassemia	eta-thalassemia PV	
Stage	P1 P3		P2
Contract fee (million USD)	+ 2-digit % royalty 10 412.5 422.5	+ Development/Commercial milestones + Royalty  300  Contract fee Development (&commercial) miles	+ 2-digit % royalty  280  940

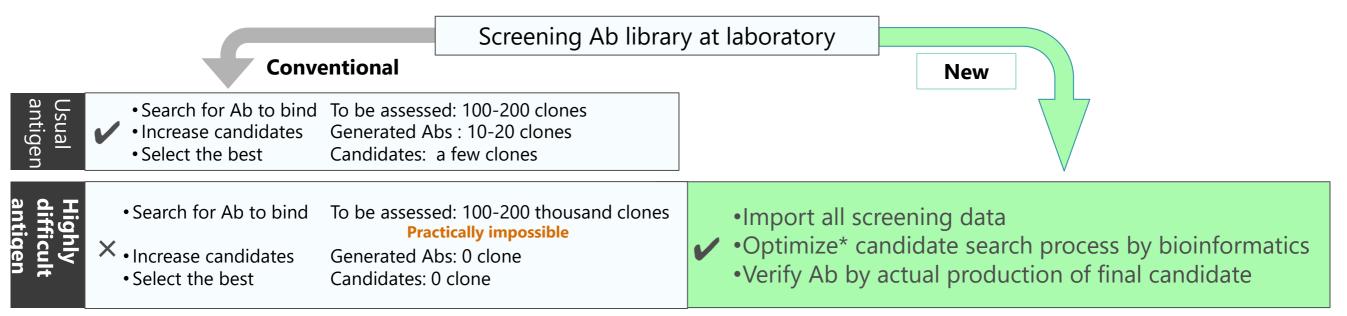
<sup>\*1</sup> Disc Medicine, 2023-1-20 "Disc Medicine Announces Exclusive Licensing Agreement with Mabwell Therapeutics for Novel Anti-TMPRSS6 Monoclonal Antibodies to Modulate Iron Homeostasis"

<sup>\*2</sup> Takeda Pharmaceuticals, 2024-1-31 Takeda and Protagonist Therapeutics, Inc. Enter into Worldwide License and Collaboration Agreement for Rusfertide, a Late-Stage Rare Hematology Asset"

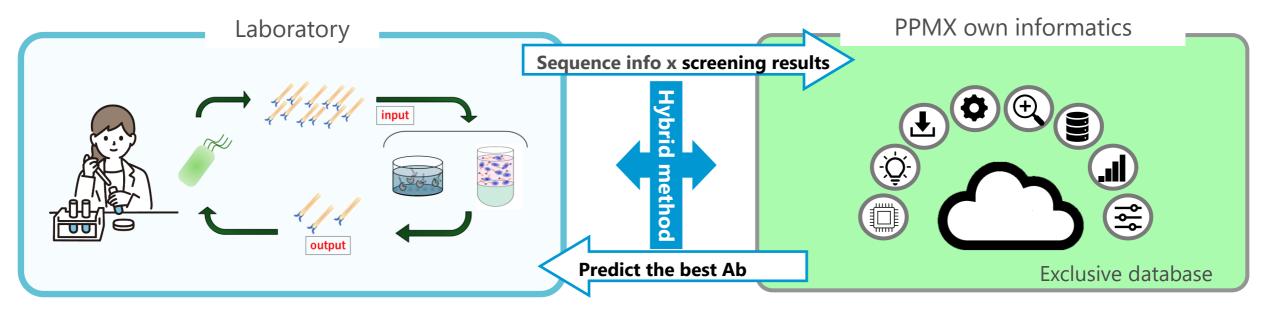
<sup>\*3</sup> Ono Pharmaceutical. 2025-3-12 "Ono Enters into License Agreement with Ionis Pharmaceuticals for Sapablursen for the Treatment of Polycythemia Vera"

### Future targets are highly difficult antigens - Speed is key in identifying Abs





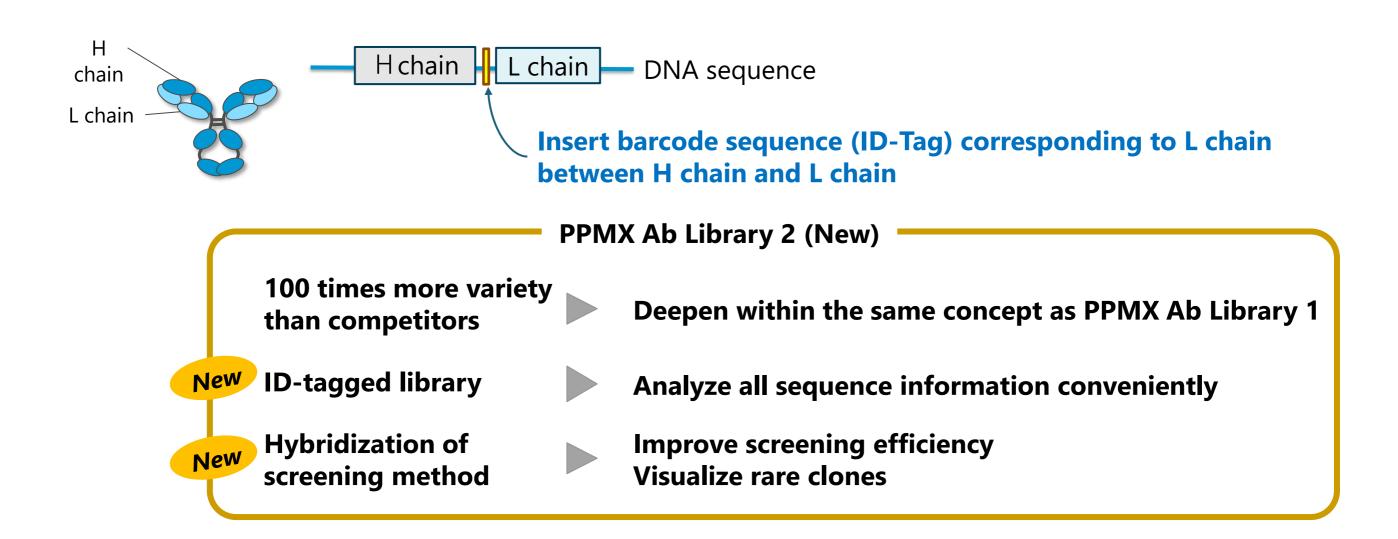
\*Patents filed in FY2025/3



For highly difficult antigens: hybrid method of actual experiments and bioinformatics

### **PPMX Ab Library 2**



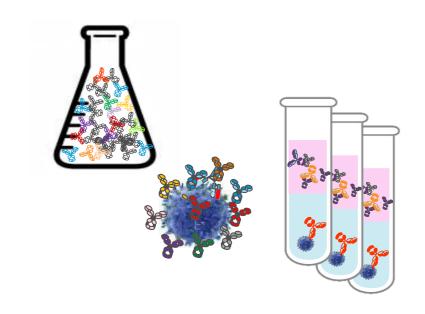


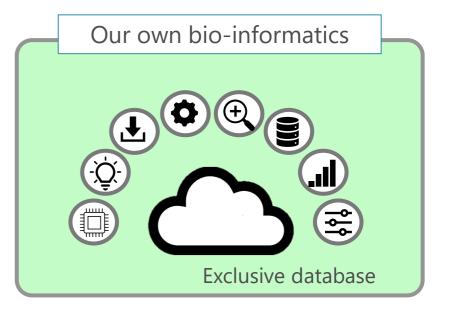
# **Expand applications through advancing Ab library Laying groudwork for future Al-driven drug discovery**

### Technology frames to obtain Abs targeting highly difficult antigens



- Unique PPMX Ab Library 2 with high diversity (with ID)
- Remove Non-Specific Binding Impurities by ICOS method (Remove noises chemically)
- Analyze Ab sequences of all experiments results utilizing 1 (Remove noises digitally)
- Accumulate information in our own database
- Predict the sequence of desired Ab candidates using our unique Al

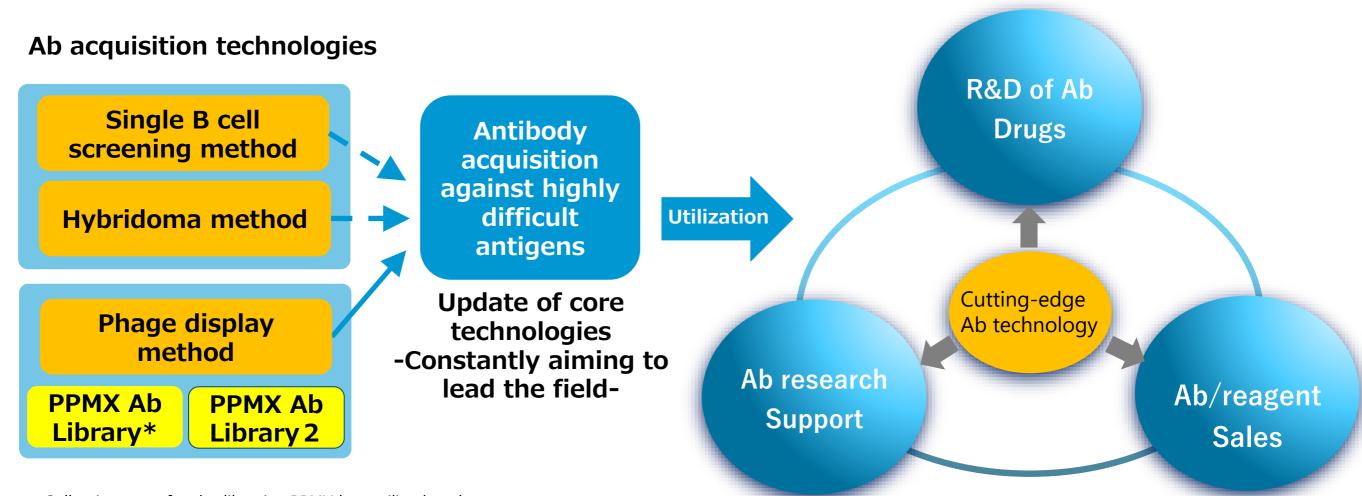




### **Future Business Expansion**



Through our core competence—cutting-edge antibody acquisition technologies—we provide multifaceted support and reinforcement to each of our businesses.



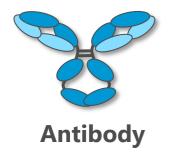
\* : Collective term for the libraries PPMX has utilized to date



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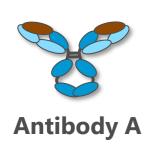
### **Antibody drugs**

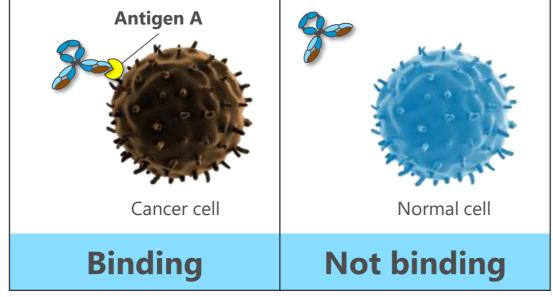




- Remove alien objects inside body
- Innate immune system
- Act on specific antigens (targets) only
  - ⇒ ideal molecule targeting drug with few adverse effects





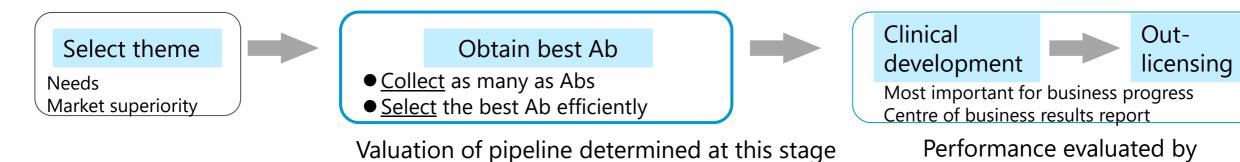


### Ab drug

Medical drug consisting of antibody designed to act on disease regions only

#### PPNK PERSEUS PROTEOMICS

# Focus of Ab drug discovery competition To the top of Ab biotech ventures utilizing superiority in technology



Methods to collect Abs (Utilize 3 basic Ab obtaining methods and improve continuously)

1) Recovered patients

2) Animal immune

3) Phage display method

progress of development

Methods to select

ICOS method using cells Individual target fishing vs. Fishing with a fishing net to select later

Water layer

Organic layer

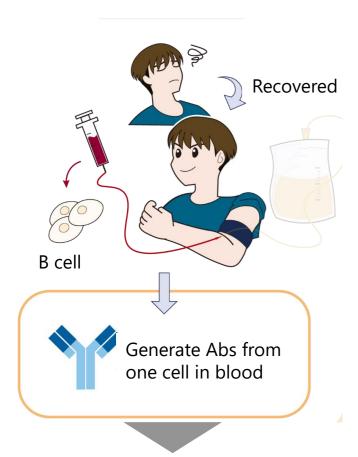
Select Ab by not only binding affinity but also functionality after binding (enter inside of cells, bind receptors to block others, etc.)

# Cover the methods to create Ab drugs and pursue cutting-edge technology



Recovered patients

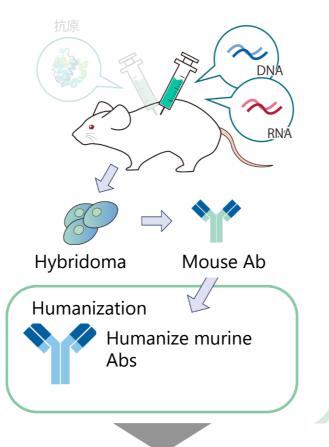
Disease essence and clues for medical drugs



**Single cell cloning service** 

2 Animal immune

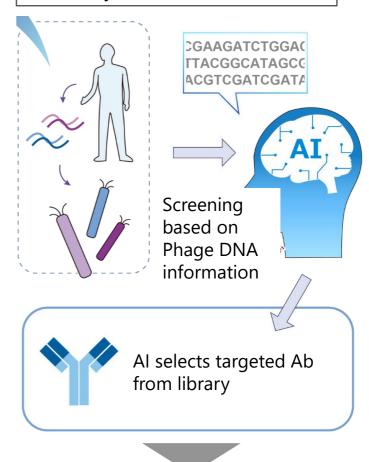
Exquisite for gene manipulating drug discovery



**Cell cloning service after inserting genes** 

3 Phage display method

Combine sequence info of NGS analysis and actual data



**Utilize our numerous Abs** and actual data to Al