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Transformative Power of
Synthetic Biology to
Medicine

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## Clinical proof of concept data expected across multiple programs in 2021

#### **Metabolic programs: Two PoC opportunities**

#### **SYNB1618** in Phenylketonuria (PKU)

Proof of mechanism demonstrated in Phase 1 with healthy volunteers

Phase 2 SynPheny patient data expected second half of 2021

#### **SYNB8802** in Enteric Hyperoxaluria

Proof of mechanism demonstrated in Phase 1A with dietary hyperoxaluria induced in healthy volunteers

Phase 1B patient data expected second half of 2021

#### **Immunomodulation**

#### **SYNB1891** in Solid Tumors

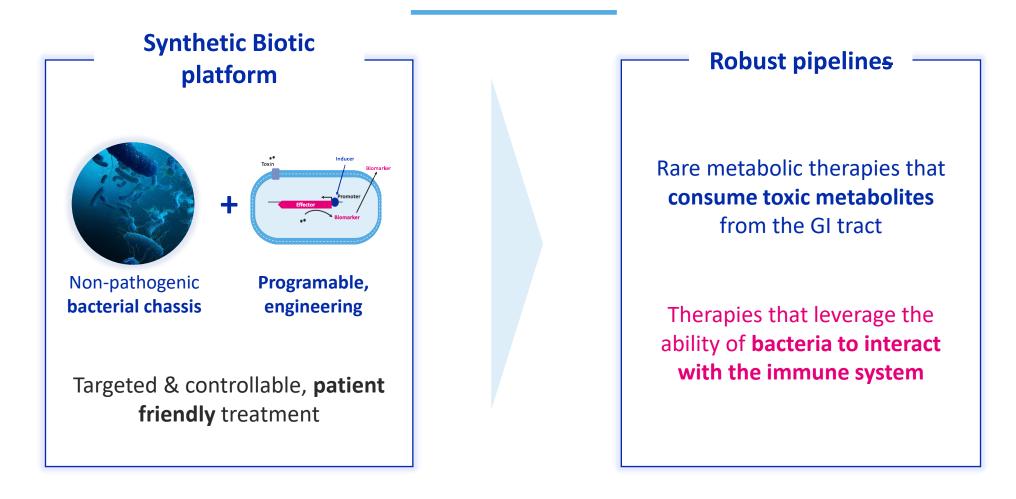
Monotherapy target engagement, meaningful pharmaco-dynamic effects, good safety

Combination with anti-PD1 and dose escalation ongoing

2021 data with potential to demonstrate clinical benefit of the Synthetic Biotic platform



#### A new class of medicines

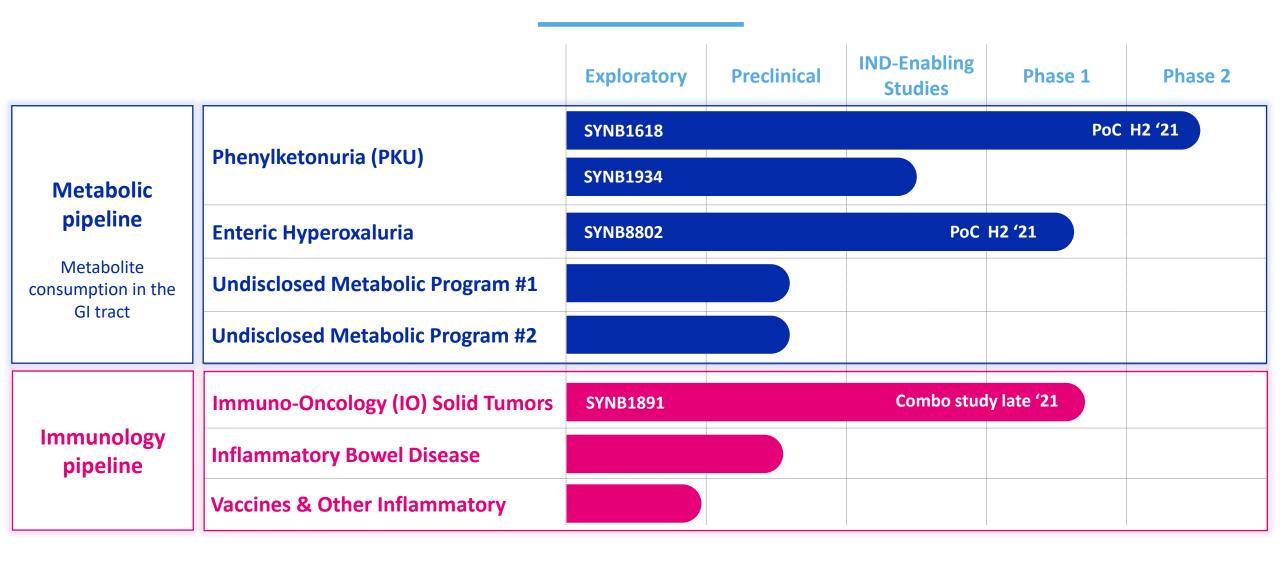


Enabling engine of synthetic biology, manufacturing and translational capabilities

Creates multiple product opportunities



## Robust pipelines with meaningful catalysts





## Synthetic Biotic medicines: a novel approach to metabolic disease

#### Why metabolic disease?







**Validated Biology** 

#### Rationale

High **unmet need** across inherited and acquired metabolic diseases

Multiple large and underserved markets

Diseases with known pathophysiology

Dietary intervention validates GI approach

#### Why Synthetic Biotic medicine?





Bacteria evolved to survive in the GI tract

Ability to deploy multiple enzyme pathways

Drug-like approach without genetic drift or colonization

Multiple programs

demonstrate SYNB

compounds can consume

toxic metabolites in the
human GI tract

## Applying Synthetic Biotic medicines to PKU and Enteric Hyperoxaluria

## Phenylketonuria (PKU)

**Enteric Hyperoxaluria (HOX)** 



Unmet Medical Need

Many patients unable to control Phe ~30% BH4 oral therapy response rates

High kidney disease risk

No effective interventions or treatments



Validated Biology

Lower dietary Phe intake = lower plasma Phe levels = improved cognitive outcomes

Lower dietary oxalate intake = lower urinary oxalate = improved kidney outcomes



**Unique Advantages** 

Modality able to consume Phe in the GI tract before it can cause damage

Modality able to consume oxalate throughout GI tract, including colon



Platform
Proof of
Mechanism

SYNB1618 consumes Phe and produces the TCA biomarker in both HVs and patients

SYNB8802 consumes oxalate in healthy volunteers at clinically meaningful levels



## Phenylketonuria (PKU)

Current and emerging treatment options leave many patients behind

SYNB1618 demonstrates potential to lower Phe in PKU patients

Phase 2 Phe-lowering trial initiated





## Patient need: parents expect their children to reach full potential

#### Historically



Prospect of severe mental disability and institutionalization.

Parents wanted PKU child to avoid institutionalized care before adulthood.

#### **Today**



Julia, living with PKU

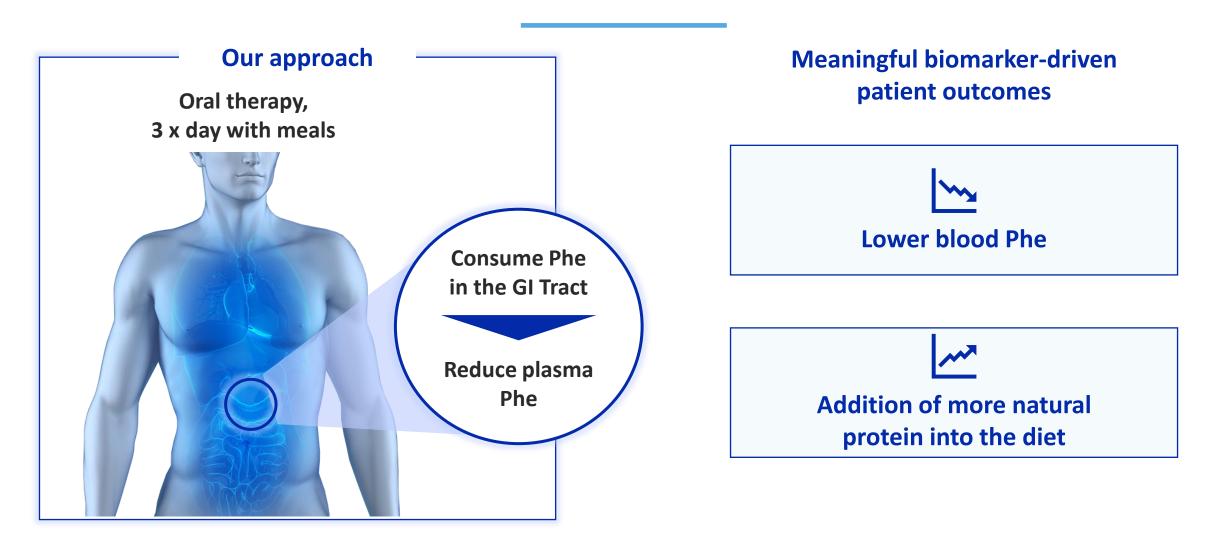
Early diagnosis and strict diet control enables better Phe management.

Parents expect PKU child to achieve full potential.

Reality: 25% – 65% of patients still struggle to maintain blood Phe within target range



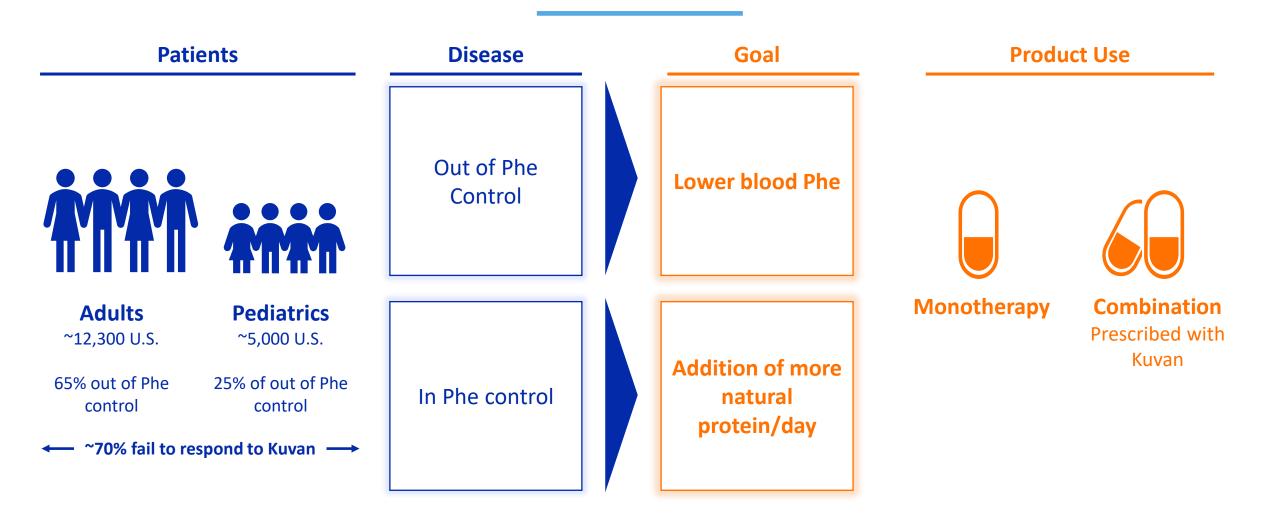
## An innovative approach in area of high unmet medical need



Synlogic has initiated a Ph2 Study in PKU patients (SynPheny)



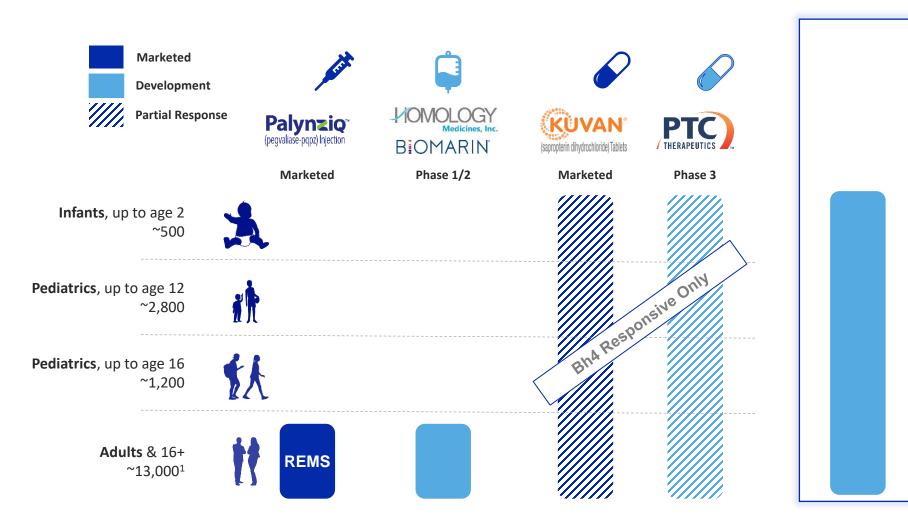
## Multiple areas of unmet need continue across PKU patient types



Significant market opportunity, large unmet need, with potential for new products to capture share



## SYNB1618 is uniquely positioned to address those needs



**SYNB1618** 

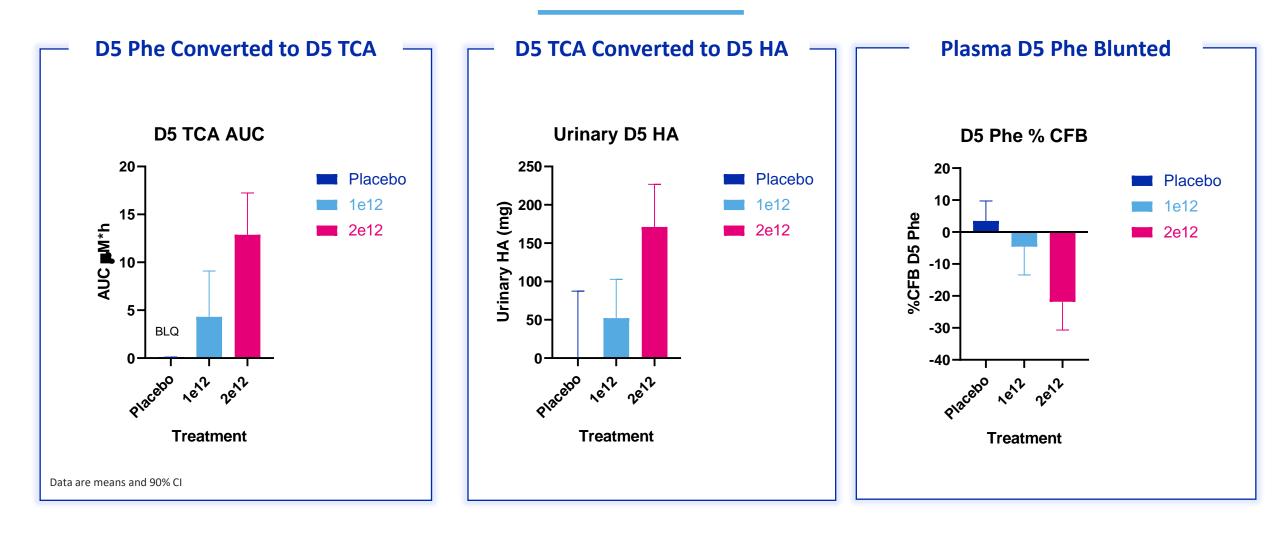
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#### Phase 2

- Mechanism does not depend on genotype
- Appropriate for pediatrics and adults
- Benign safety profile, no systemic exposure
- Oral administration



### Solid oral SYNB1618 reduced Phe and elevated biomarkers in Ph1

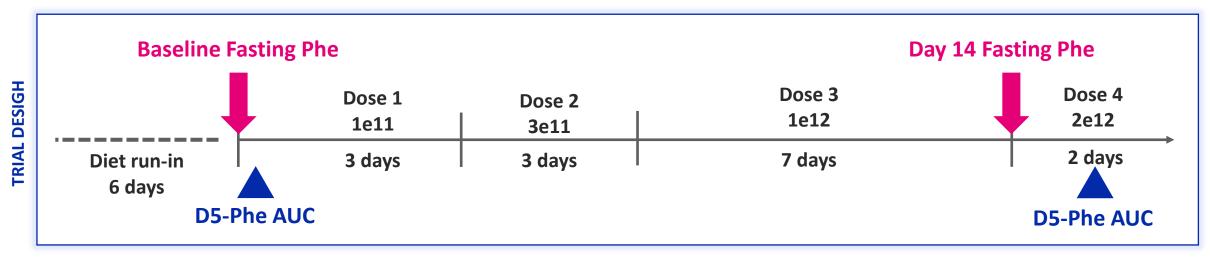


Achieved Proof of Mechanism: SYNB1618 consumed D5 Phe in GI tract & lowered plasma D5 Phe



## SynPheny-1 design enables Proof of Concept





#### Phe lowering in patients

Plasma Phe lowering in fasted state at 1e12 live cells over 7 days

Post meal D5-Phe AUC lowering at 2e12 live cells

Strict dietary management to maintain constant Phe intake

#### **Safety & tolerability**

Continuously assessed throughout dosing period

N = 12

#### **Validation of PD models**

Understand relationship of **strain specific biomarkers** with plasma Phe lowering



TRIAL OUTPUTS

## Opportunity for multiple clinically relevant outcomes





Reduction in **labelled plasma Phe**after a meal challenge, not
influenced by diet



Reduction in **fasting plasma Phe**(on treatment relative to baseline, holding diet steady)



Consistency in response:
Responder population or
consistent response across subjects

#### **Learning Opportunities in current SynPheny study**

Study powered for 20% reduction in labelled plasma Phe, providing clinically meaningful endpoint for patients without other treatment options



## Enteric Hyperoxaluria (HOX)

Enteric Hyperoxaluria results in significant, irreversible, and progressive kidney damage

SYNB8802 offers potential for best-in-class urinary oxalate lowering

SYNB8802 proof of mechanism established: proof of concept on track for 2021 data read out



## Hyperoxaluria: Primary vs. Enteric

	Primary Hyperoxaluria		Enteric Hyperoxaluria	
Pathology	Rare genetic condition		Dietary oxalate h	yperabsorption
Onset	Pediatric		Adult	
Trigger	Genetic liver enzyme deficiency		Underlying insult to bowel: including IBD, bariatric surgery, other chronic GI conditions	
UOx. Levels	90 – 500 mg / 24 hrs (~10x normal)		45 – 130 mg / 24 hrs (~3x normal)	
U.S. Patients	~5,000 – 8,000		~200,000 – 250,000	
Key Players	Dicena	*2Alnylam*	Allena	synlogic

Clinical consequences

Limited ability to manage with diet | Nephrocalcinosis | Recurrent, chronic kidney stones | Impaired renal function | Systemic Oxalosis



### Enteric Hyperoxaluria: An important cause of renal failure

## 33-Year-Old Female with Crohn's

- 33 yo woman with bowel resection resulting in severe hyperoxaluria (135 mg/day)
- Clinical course punctuated by:
  - Recurrent kidney stones
  - Progressive renal failure
  - Hemodialysis
  - Renal transplant x 1
  - Recurrent renal failure
  - Hemodialysis
  - Renal transplant x 2

## 48-Year-Old Male with Crohn's

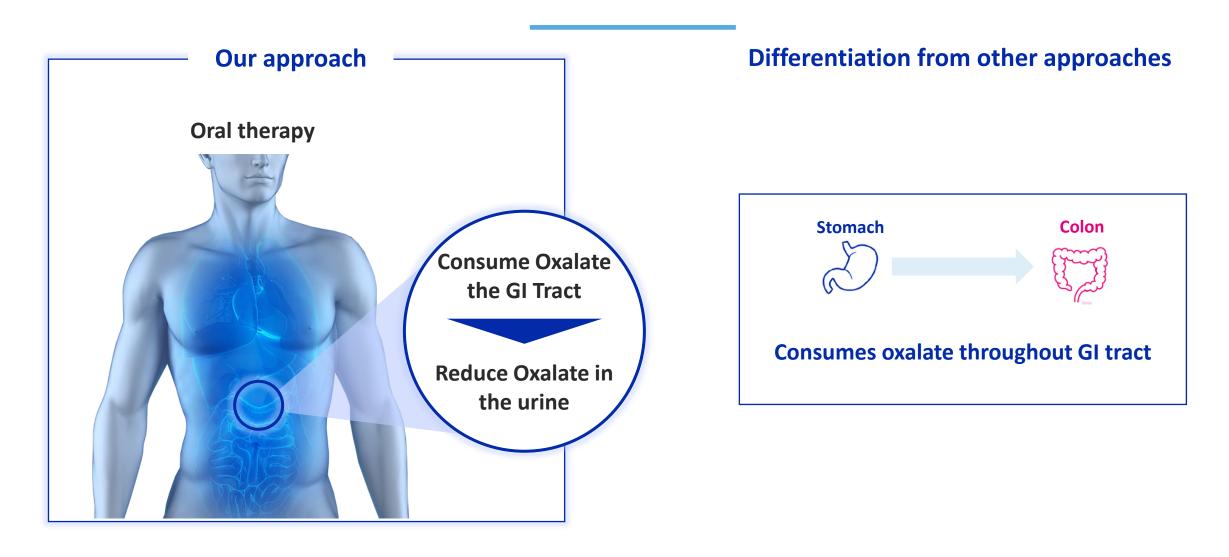
- 48 yo man with Crohn's requiring two bowel resections with severe hyperoxaluria (110 mg/day)
- Clinical course punctuated by:
  - Recurrent kidney stones
  - Nephrocalcinosis
  - Progressive renal failure
  - Hemodialysis
  - Renal transplant

## 47-Year-Old Female with Crohn's

- 47 yo woman with Crohn's requiring extensive bowel resections with severe hyperoxaluria (114 mg/day)
- Clinical course punctuated by:
  - Recurrent kidney stones
  - Recurrent obstructive nephropathy
  - Progressive renal failure
  - Bilateral nephrectomies due to stone-related infections
  - Hemodialysis
  - Renal transplant
  - Recurrent renal failure

Urinary oxalate levels remain markedly elevated in all patients, despite aggressive medical regimen

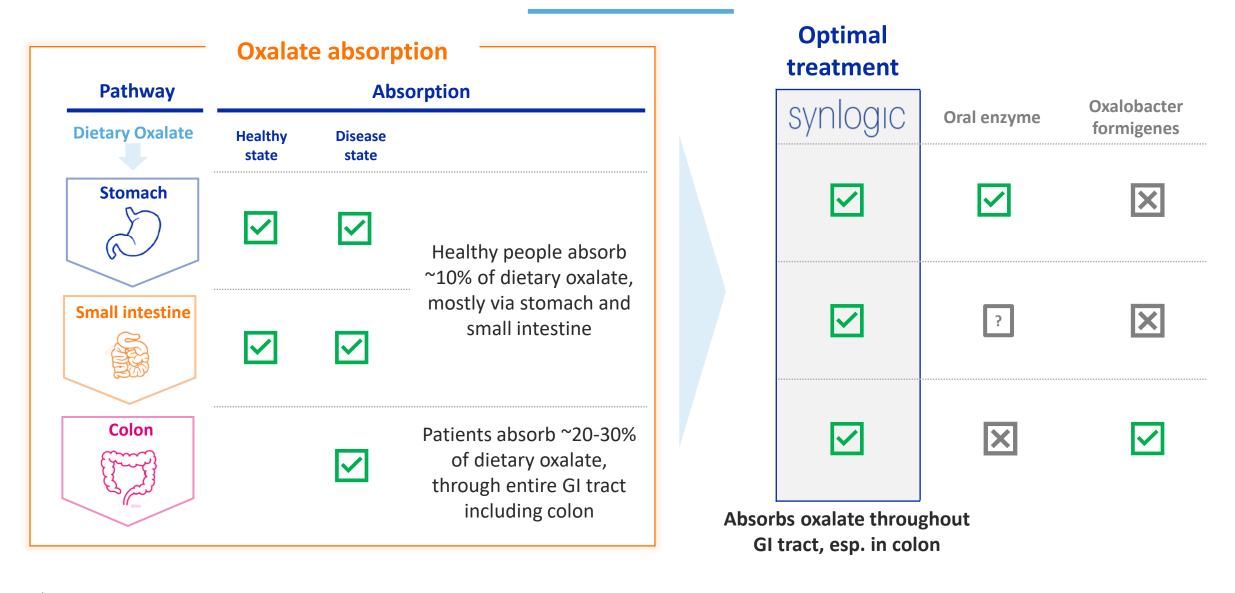
## An innovative approach in area of high unmet medical need



Ph 1B Proof of Concept in Enteric Hyperoxaluria patients (Roux-en-Y population) initiated



### SYNB8802 consumes Oxalate throughout the GI tract





## Ph1 design provides POC opportunity in 2021

#### Phase 1A

## Dietary Hyperoxaluria (Healthy Volunteers)

#### Phase 1B

## **Enteric Hyperoxaluria Patients**

#### **Multiple Ascending Dose**

High oxalate & low calcium diet run-in

Induce dietary hyperoxaluria

N = 45 subjects

#### **Endpoints**

**Primary:** Safety & tolerability

**Secondary:** Microbial kinetics of strain

**Exploratory:** (1) Plasma and urine biomarkers

(2) Dose frequency assessment

#### **Cross-over**

Enteric Hyperoxaluria patients (Roux-en-Y population)

Three times/day (TID) dosing

N = 20 patients, baseline UOx >70 mg/day

#### **Endpoints:**

**Primary:** Change in Urinary Oxalate

**Secondary:** (1) Microbial kinetics of strain

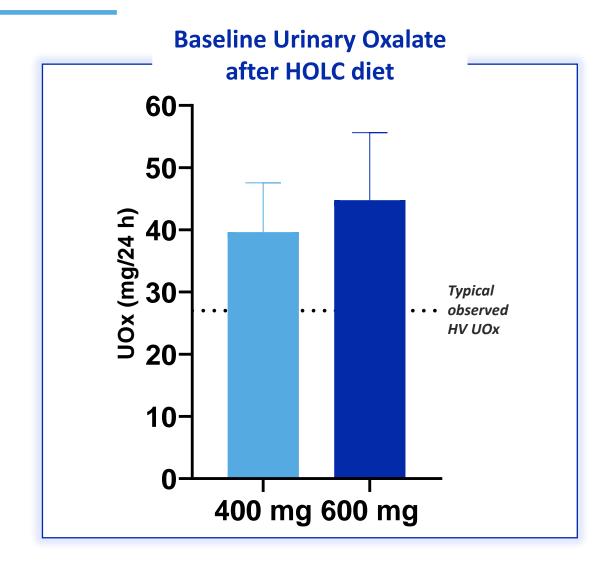
(2) Safety and tolerability

#### Dietary hyperoxaluria model is translationally relevant to patient population



## High oxalate diet successfully elevated UOx levels in HV

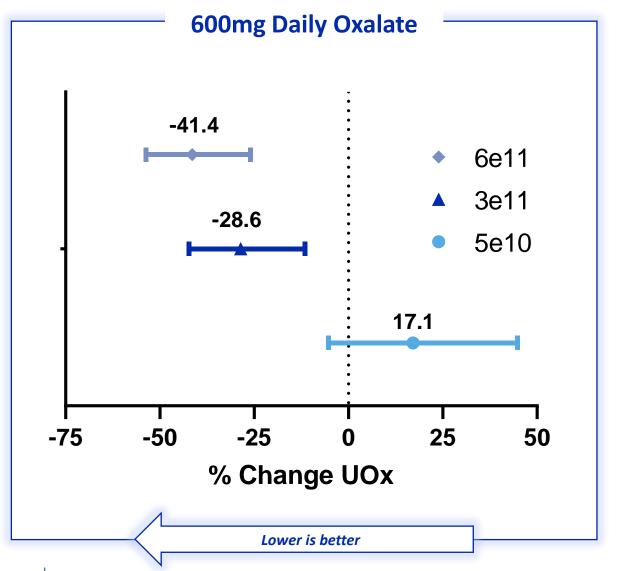
- American diet contains approx. 200-250 mg oxalate/day
- HV subjects were given a high oxalate, low calcium diet (HOLC) during the diet run-in and treatment phases of the study
- Urinary oxalate levels elevated to >1.5X
   typically observed in healthy volunteers
- Dietary intake carefully measured on inpatient unit, including weighing of meals consumed

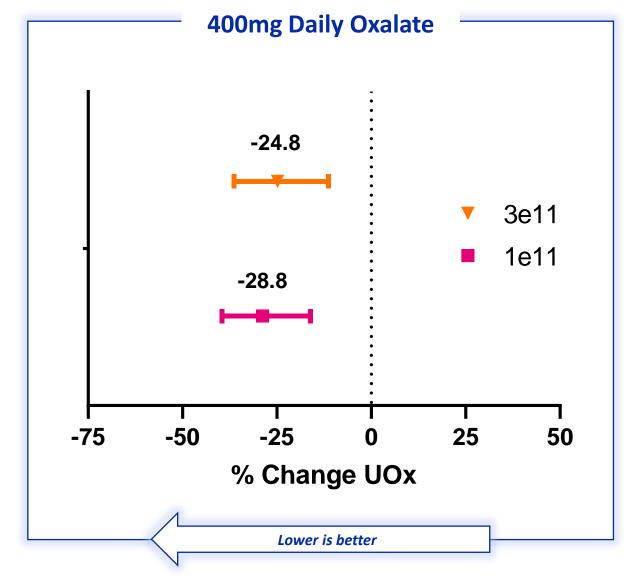




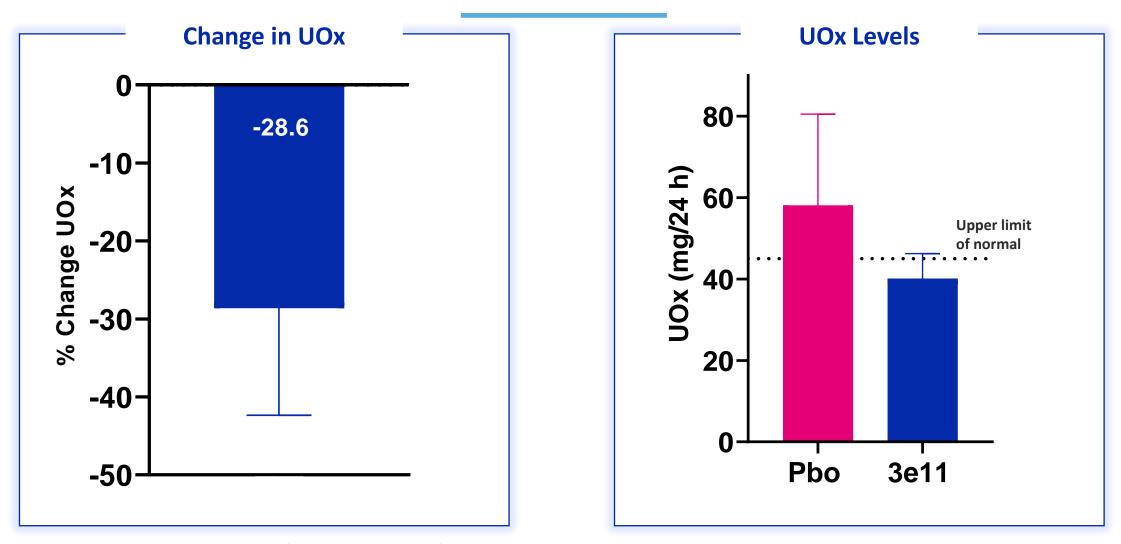
## Dose-responsive and reproducible Uox lowering demonstrated

Efficacy Analysis (% Change from Baseline in 24h UOx over Pbo)





### SYNB8802 3e11 live cells dose advancing to Ph1B in patients



Clinically meaningful lowering of urinary oxalate demonstrated at a well tolerated dose



## Opportunity for multiple clinically relevant outcomes in Phase1B



SYNB8802 has established **urinary oxalate lowering** in Dietary
Hyperoxaluria (HV) model



Potential for **urinary oxalate lowering** in Enteric Hyperoxaluria
population (Roux-en-Y)



Degree of **colonic activity** of SYNB8802 and potential for less frequent dosing

**Learning opportunities in Phase 1** 

Potential to demonstrate meaningful urinary oxalate lowering in patients with active disease



## SYNB8802 Summary: 3e11 live cells moving into patients



SYNB8802 was generally well tolerated in healthy volunteers. No serious or systemic adverse events. Most frequent AEs mild or moderate, transient, and GI-related



Dose responsive changes in urinary oxalate levels were observed with a significant reduction in urinary oxalate relative to placebo across three dose levels



Baseline urinary oxalate reduction of 28.6% compared to placebo



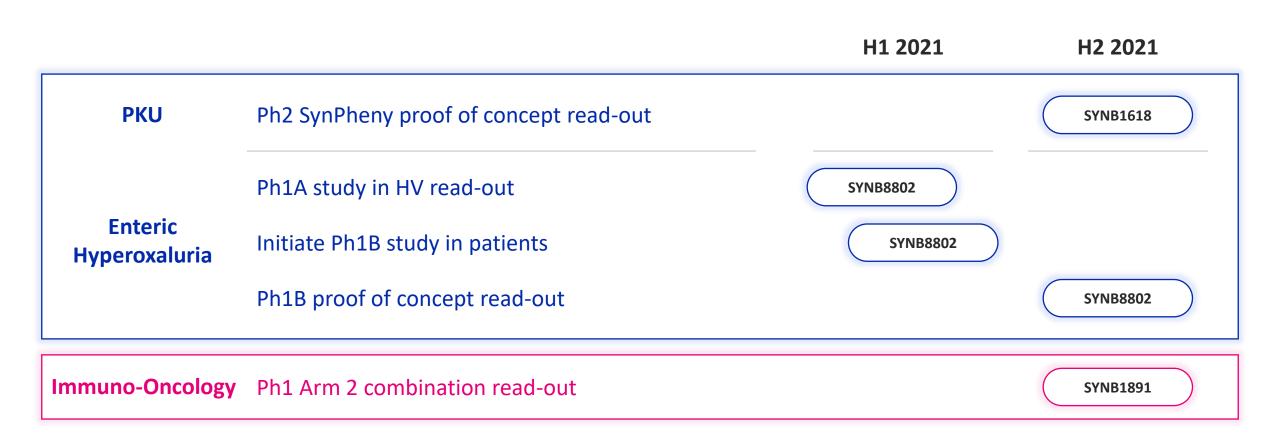
Mean 24-hour urinary oxalate level of 40.1 mg for subjects, compared to 58.1 mg for placebo, at the end of dosing



3e11 live cells dose will advance to patient studies



## Synlogic is entering a data rich period in the clinic



Robust portfolio with significant clinical readouts in 2021



## Strong balance sheet. Funding through near-term milestones

Balance Sheet (unaudited)	31 Dec 2	2020 3	31 Dec 2019	
Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Marketable Securities		\$100.4 M		\$127.1M
	Three Mo	nths Ended	For the Y	ear Ended
Statement of Operations (unaudited)	31 Dec 2020	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2020	31 Dec 2019
R&D Expenses	\$11.4 M	\$11.3 M	\$47.5 M	\$41.9 M
G&A Expenses	\$3.3 M	\$3.5 M	\$13.5 M	\$14.7 M
Net Loss	\$(14.6 M)	\$(12.8 M)	\$(59.2 M)	\$(51.4 M)
Net loss per share – basic and diluted*	\$(0.39)	\$(0.37)	\$(1.65)	\$(1.70)
Weighted Average Shares Outstanding*	37.8 M	34.2 M	35.8 M	30.3 M



## Experienced leadership team and Board

#### **Leadership Team**



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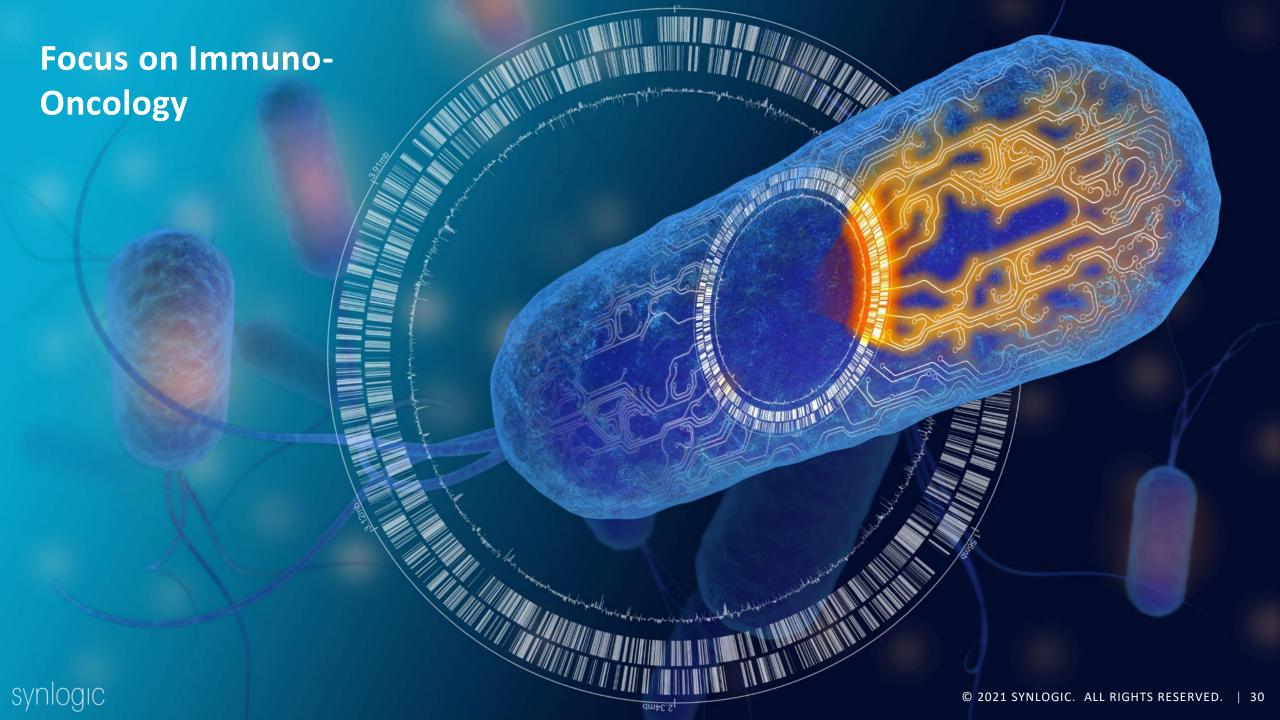
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**Lisa Kelly-Croswell**Boston Medical Center Health System

#### **Collaborators**







## Synthetic Biotic medicines are well-suited to regulating the immune system

#### Why immunology?



**Unmet Medical Need** 

#### **Rationale**

Need for novel treatments which upregulate (I/O) or downregulate (IBD) immune responses

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Cross-talk between bacteria and Immune System

Immune system has evolved to recognize bacteria

Bacteria have **evolved mechanisms** to control the immune response

#### Why Synthetic Biotic medicine?



**Unique Advantages** 



**Platform attributes** 

Multiple effectors can be delivered to site of disease from single strain

Targeted efficacy and improved safety

Preclinical POC for both immune stimulation and immunoregulation

Multiple approaches (small molecules, peptides, human cytokines) available



### Immuno-Oncology

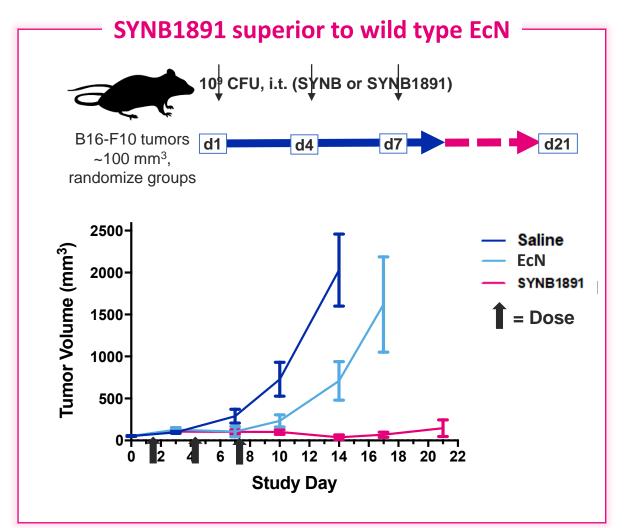
SYNB1891 potential for improved efficacy relative to other STING approaches

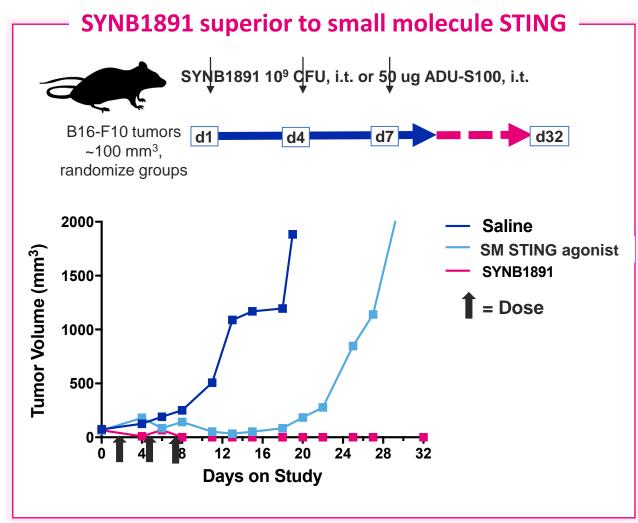
SYNB1891 monotherapy demonstrated meaningful pharmacodynamic effects

Phase 1 in combination with Tecentriq initiated: Data will be available in 2021



## SYNB1891 induces potent anti-tumoral effects

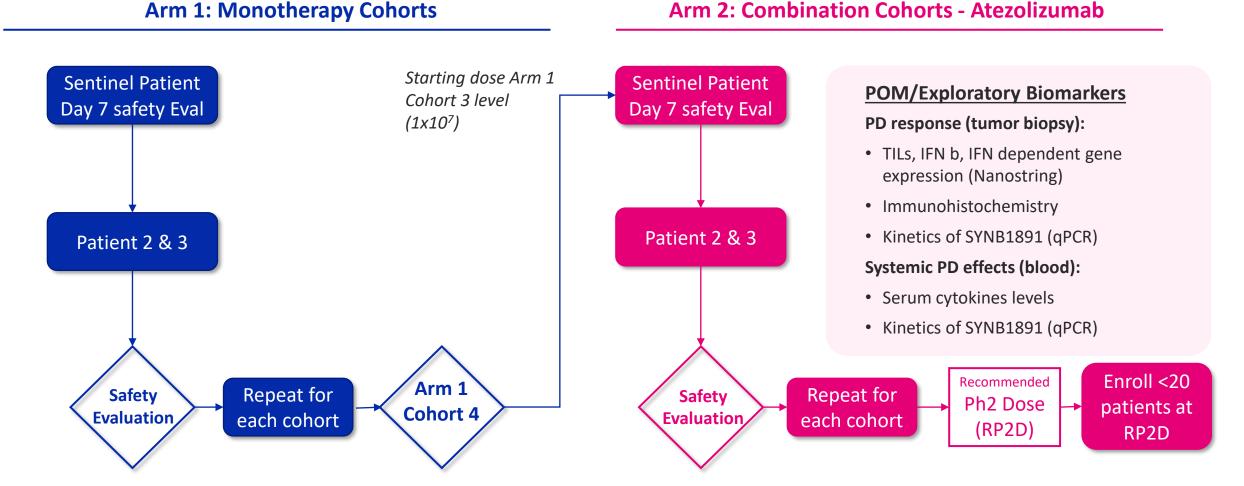






## Phase 1 design: multidose tolerability, IT mono and combo

Proof of mechanism: exploratory biomarkers in advanced solid tumors or lymphomas



Combination with PD-1 will identify Phase 2 dose, provide evidence of target engagement, safety, and support for target tumor type



## SYNB1891 advanced into combo. therapy arm of Ph. 1 with Tecentriq



SYNB1891 is safe and well-tolerated as an intratumoral injection with no dose limiting toxicities or infections to date



SYNB1891 demonstrates target engagement as assessed by upregulation of IFN-stimulated genes and T-cells



SYNB1891 demonstrates **meaningful pharmacodynamic effects** including systemic cytokine responses observed in two subjects



Evidence of durable stable disease was observed in two patients

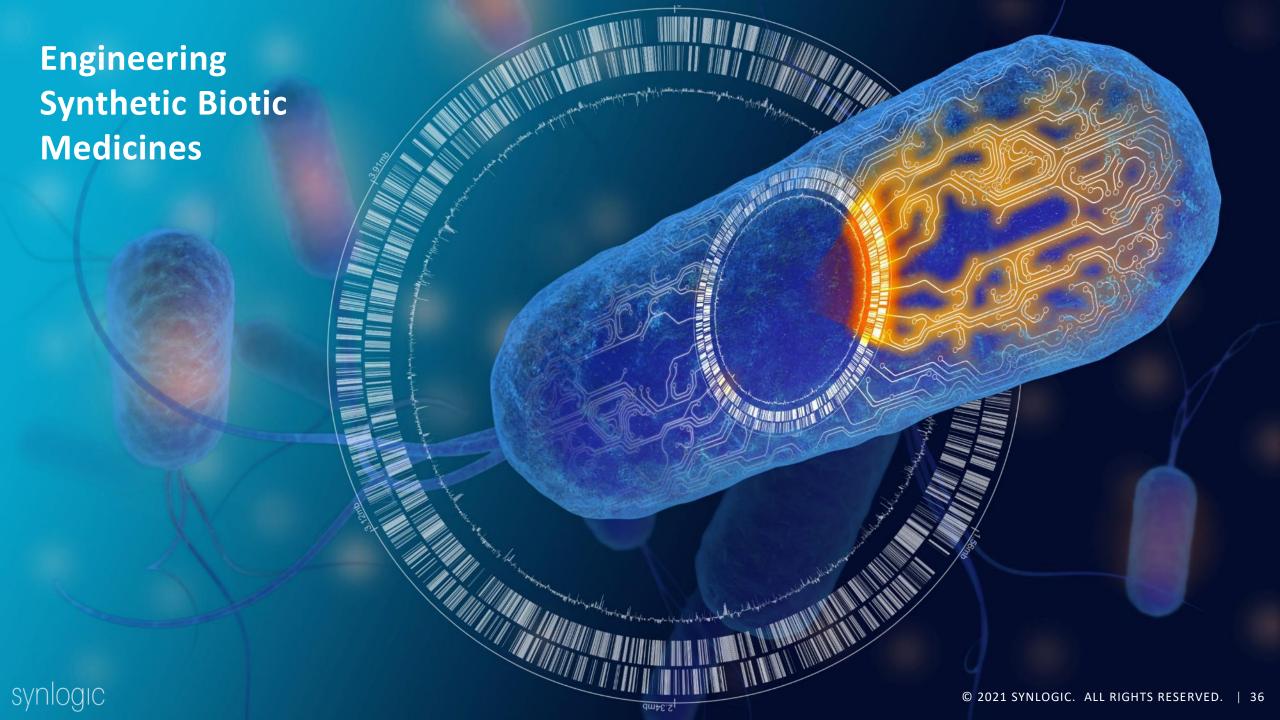


**Monotherapy dose escalation will continue in parallel to combination dose** escalation of SYNB1891 with fixed dose of Atezolizumab (Tecentriq)



Combination therapy data will be available in late 2021





### A new class of medicines

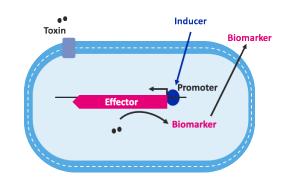
## Non-pathogenic bacterial chassis





E. coli Nissle

## Programable, controllable engineering





**Effector Design** 

**Safety Features** 



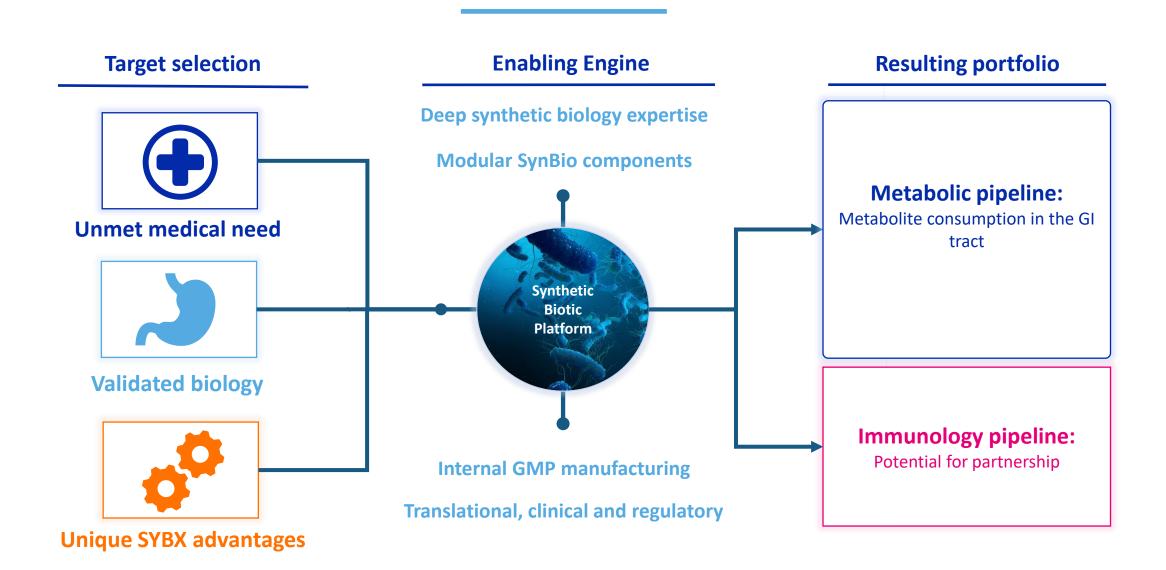


- Drug-like properties
- Does not colonize
- No in vivo reproduction or risk of genetic drift

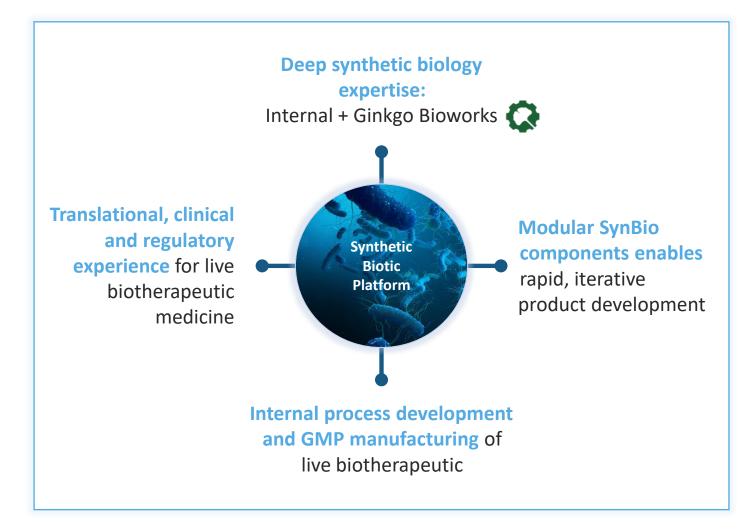
Reusable parts enable rapid iteration of rationally designed prototypes



## Synthetic Biotic Platform accelerates pathway into the clinic



## Synthetic Biotic Platform is enabling engine for drug development



>200 humans dosed with Synthetic Biotic medicines

4 INDs opened with the U.S. FDA

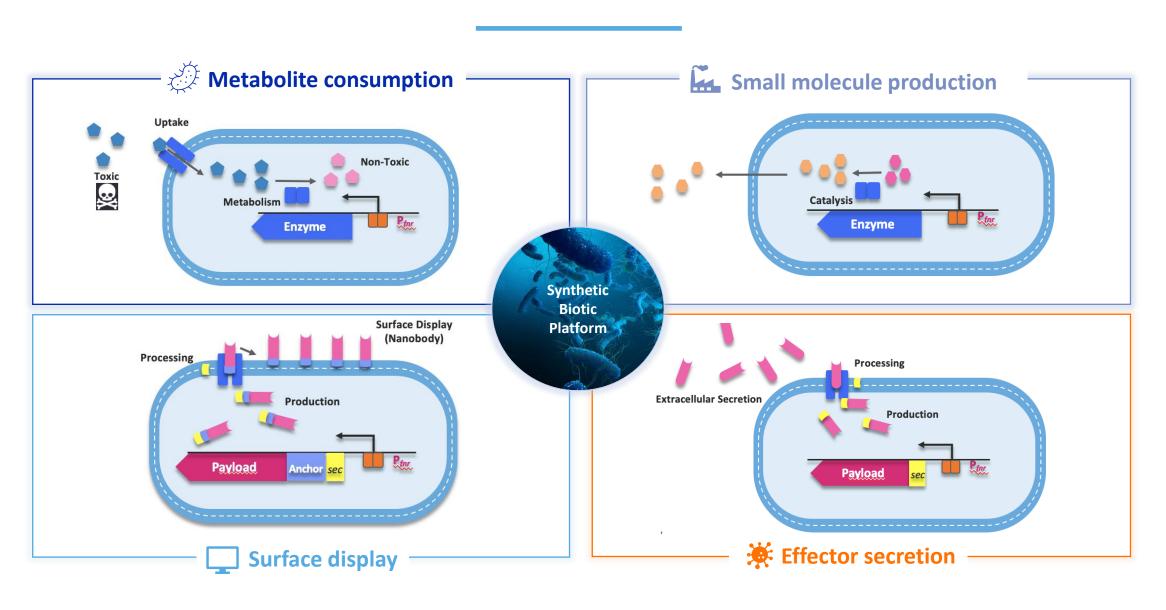
Supportive regulatory feedback from global agencies

Safe chassis organism (>100 years of human experience)

Rapid pipeline expansion possible with reusable engineering



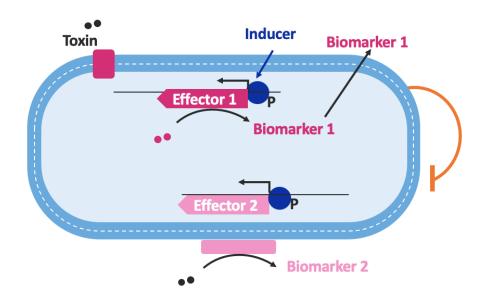
## Versatile platform enables diverse therapeutic strategies for range of diseases





## Reusable parts enable rapid iteration of rationally designed prototypes

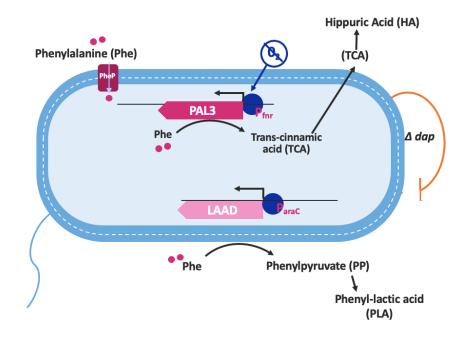
Library of parts	
Metabolite consumption, small molecule production, effector secretion or surface display	
Probiotic: Decades of human use & safety data	
Proteins for activity: Can generate biomarkers	
Transports metabolites or proteins across cell membrane	
Inducer-promoter pair: Controls gene expression	
Auxotrophies: Prevents growth within or external to the body	





## SYNB1618 Design

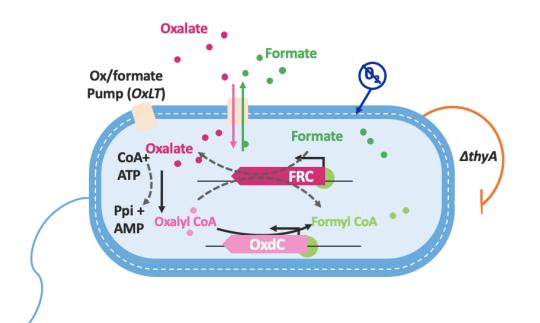
Component	SYNB1618 Design		
Therapeutic strategy	Metabolite consumption: Built from Synthetic Library Specifically to Consume Phe		
<b>Bacterial Chassis</b>	E. coli Nissle		
Effector(s)	PAL3 Enzyme: Degrades Phe to TCA (measurable biomarker of activity) LAAD Enzyme: Alt. Phe-consuming pathway		
Pump	<b>PheP:</b> Pumps Phe into cell		
Switch	FNR & AraC promoter:  Control expression during manufacturing and assiste of action		
Safety Features	Δ dap: Auxotrophy – requires diaminopimelic acid (DAP) to grow		





## SYNB8802 Design

Component	SYNB8802 Design	
Therapeutic strategy	Metabolite consumption: Engineered to Convert Oxalate to Formate for the Treatment of Enteric Hyperoxaluria	
Bacterial Chassis	E. coli Nissle	
Effector(s)	OxdC and associated components:  Catalyzes conversion of oxalate to formate	
Pump	OxLT: Pumps oxalate in & formate out	
Switch	FNR promoter: Inducer-promoter pair	
Safety Features	Δ thyA: Controls growth	





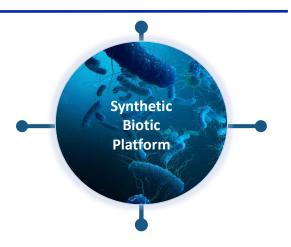
# Reusable parts enables rapid progress to proof of concept: SYNB8802 case study

## Target selection

## Proprietary platform

#### **Product Candidate**





Preclinical	IND	PoC
SYNB8802		

#### 10 months from target selection to IND

#### **Planning**

 Target with low toxic metabolite load, validated biology

#### **Research & Synthetic Biology**

- ✓ Re-use engineering parts
- Apply validated in vitro models

#### **Product Development**

 Leverage internal process development, quality, and manufacturing

#### PoC within 1 year

#### **Clinical Development**

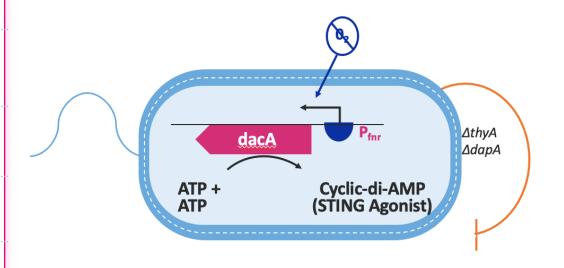
- De-risk in healthy volunteers
- Rapid path to patient PoC: data expected H2 2021

Portfolio of metabolic opportunities available with similar engineering



## SYNB1891 Design

Component	SYNB1981 Design		
Therapeutic strategy	Small molecule production: Leveraging the ability of bacteria to interact with the immune system to turn a cold tumor hot		
Bacterial Chassis	E. coli Nissle: Targeting to antigen presenting cells in the tumor microenvironment. Innate immune activation		
Effector(s)	STING Agonist: Innate immune activator compounds with chassis effect		
Pump	Not necessary		
Switch	STING-agonist production restricted to hypoxic TME for sustained payload delivery		
Safety Features	Dual auxotrophies inhibit bacterial proliferation outside of tumor		







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