Comparison of the Efficacy and Safety of 5-day and 10-day schedules of SGI-110, a novel subcutaneous (SC) hypomethylating agent (HMA), in the treatment of relapsed/refractory Acute Myeloid Leukemia (r/r AML)

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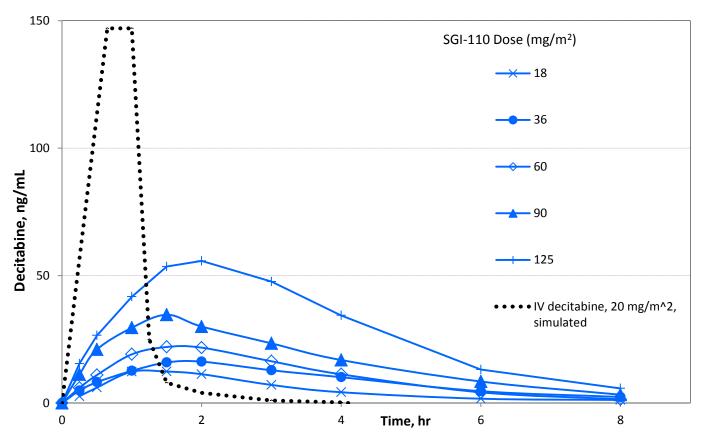
Relapsed/Refractory AML 2014

- Most AML patients relapse and die of disease
- Cytarabine-based intensive salvage regimens produce CR in selected pts, mostly younger and with > 1 year CR1
- Duration of CR2+ is only months unless allotransplant
- Recent international randomized trial of elacytarabine vs. investigator's choice 7 control arms: RR ≈20%, OS ≈3 months, lowest 30-day mortality with HMA (Roboz et al, J Clin Oncol 2014)
- Weill Cornell decitabine X 10 days CR 16%,
 OS ≈6 months (Ritchie et al, Leuk Lymph, 2013)

SGI-110, A Second Generation Hypomethylating Agent

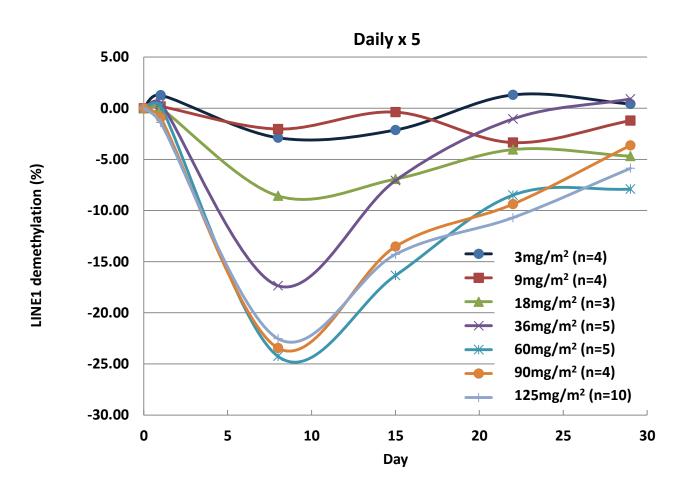
- Decitabine is rapidly eliminated by Cytidine Deaminase, limiting drug exposure time to cancer cells in vivo
- SGI-110 is a Dinucleotide of Decitabine and Deoxyguanosine that prolongs the *in vivo exposure* of decitabine by protecting it from deamination
- SGI-110 is given as a small volume (~1ml) SC injection

SGI-110 SC results in prolonged Exposure Window to active metabolite decitabine



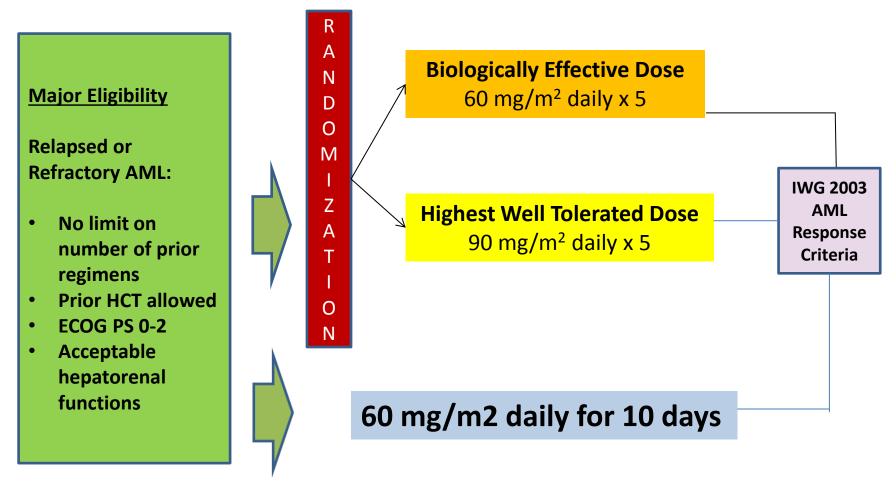
- Decitabine exposure window after SC SGI-110 is more than double (8hr+) compared to 20 mg/m² 1-hr IV infusion (simulated)
- Prolonged decitabine $t_{1/2}$ (up to 2 hr vs 0.25-0.5 hr) due to protracted release from SGI-110
- Similar decitabine AUC achieved at much lower C_{max}

SGI-110 LINE1 DNA Demethylation in Cycle 1



- LINE-1 demethylation increased with dose in the dailyx5 regimen Q 28 days
- Maximum demethylation reached at 60 mg/m2 SC dailyx5

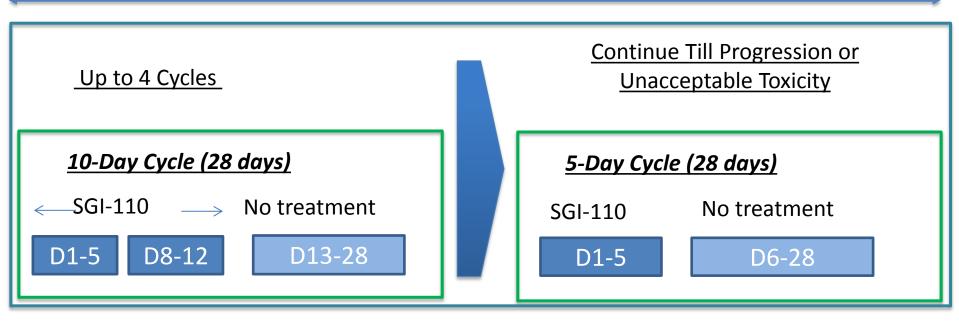
SGI-110 Phase 2 Study Design in r/r AML



- Primary Endpoint: Overall composite CR rate (CRc): CR + CRp + CRi
- Secondary Endpoints: LINE-1 demethylation, overall survival, and Safety

SGI-110 10-Day regimen in r/r AML

Minimum 6 cycles



SGI-110 was given as 60 mg/m²/d SC days 1-5 and 8-12 Q28 days for up to 4 cycles followed by treatment on days 1-5 Q28 days for a total of at least 6 cycles

r/r AML 5-day and 10-day regimens Patients Characteristics

Patient Characteristics	5 Day (60 or 90 mg/m2/d) (n=50)	10 Day (60 mg/m2/d) (n=53)
Median Age, (range)	62 (22 – 81)	57 (29-82)
Gender, M (%)	35 (70%)	27 (51%)
ECOG PS (%) 0 1 2	6 (12%) 39 (78%) 5 (10%)	9 (17%) 35 (66%) 9 (17%)
Median BM Blast % (range)	35 (2 – 94)	32 (4-95)
Median WBC (10 ⁹ /L) (range)	1.7 (0.3 – 18.7)	2.1 (0.2-75.5)
Secondary AML (%)	8 (16)	9 (17)
Prior HCT (%)	10 (20)	9 (17)
Median # Prior Regimens, (range)	2 (1 – 10)	2 (1-7)
# at 60 mg/m ² # at 90 mg/m ²	24 26	53 0

r/r AML 10-day regimen cycles administered Distribution of 10-day and 5-day cycles

Treatment Cycle	10-day dosing (N)	5-day dosing (N)
1	53	0
2	45	3
3	27	7
4	16	6
5	7	4
6	2	0
7	0	1
Total # of cycles (%)	150 (88%)	21 (12%)

- About half of patients (27/53) received 3 cycles of SGI-110 10-day treatment before continuing on 5-day cycles
- 88% of cycles were given as 10-day cycles

SGI-110 5-day and 10-day Regimens Clinical Responses in r/r AML

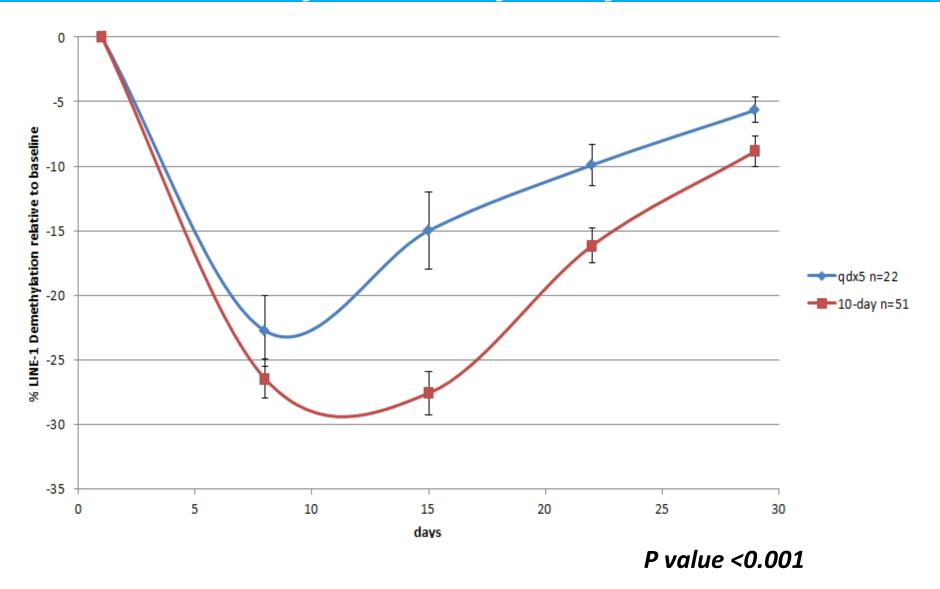
Response Category ¹	Response rate (N=50) 5 Day (60 and 90 mg/m2) N (%)	Response rate (N=53) 10 Day (60 mg/m2) N (%)	P value
CR	3 ² (6%)	10 (19%)	0.074
CRp	1 (2%)	4 (7%)	
CRi	4 (8%)	2 (4%)	
CRc (CR + CRp + CRi)	8 ³ (16%) (95 CI: 7, 29%)	16 (30%) (95 CI:18, 44%)	0.106

¹ International Working Group 2003 AML Response Criteria

² 2 CR on 60 mg/m2 and 1 CR on 90 mg/m2

³ 3 CRc on 60 and 5 on 90 mg/m2

r/r AML LINE-1 Demethylation 60 mg/m2 5-day vs 10-day in Cycle 1



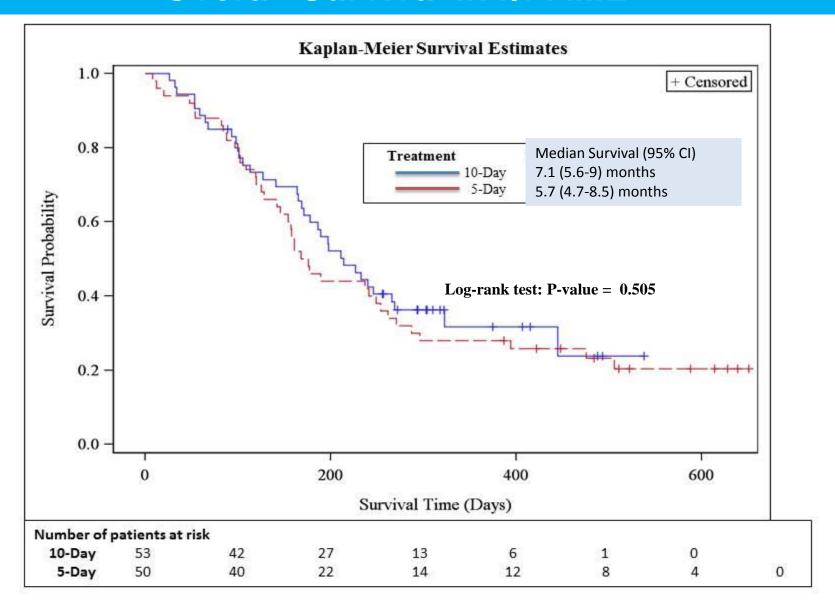
Most Commonly Reported Grade ≥ 3 AEs Regardless of Relationship (≥10%)

	60 or 90 mg/m2 (5-d) (n=50) (%)	60 mg/m2 (10-d) (n=53) (%)	P value
Febrile neutropenia	60%	59%	1.000
Thrombocytopenia	20%	38%	0.054
Anaemia	18%	36%	0.049
Pneumonia	24%	28%	0.660
Neutropenia	8%	15%	0.360
Hypokalemia	16%	11%	0.572
Leukopenia	12%	4%	0.153
Cellulitis	6%	13%	0.321
Sepsis	4%	11%	0.271

All-Cause Early Mortality

Dose	N	30 day Mortality N (%) p value	60 day Mortality N (%) P value
60 or 90 mg/m2 (5-Day)	50	3 (6.0)	6 (12.0)
60mg/m2 (10-Day)	53	1 (1.9) (P = 0.353)	6 (11.3) (P = 1.000)

SGI-110 5-day and 10-day regimens Overall Survival in r/r AML



SGI-110 5-d vs. 10-d regimens in r/r AML Conclusions

- SGI-110 is clinically active with good safety profile in heavily pretreated AML patients
- SGI-110 10-day regimen achieved significantly more potent and longer demethylation and a trend for better CR and CRc
- Median Overall Survival with 10-day regimen (7.1 months) is longer than expected median OS in this population (OS ≈3 months)
- Safety of SGI-110 10-day regimen acceptable with no increase in early mortality compared to 5-day regimen

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