

Plexxikon



PLX9486 for CRUK Combinations Alliance

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# PLX9486: Targeting Mutant KIT

## Exon 17 Mutations

- **Unmet Need:**

Exon 17 mutated KIT resistant to approved KIT inhibitors

- **Selectivity:**

PLX9486 targets mutant KIT, including exon 17 mutations, but spares wild-type KIT

- **Opportunities:**

Mastocytosis (90% KIT<sup>D816V</sup>)

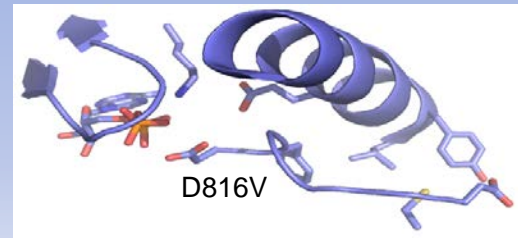
- U.S. incidence 1500-3000 per year

Resistant GIST (Frequently involves exon 17 mutations)

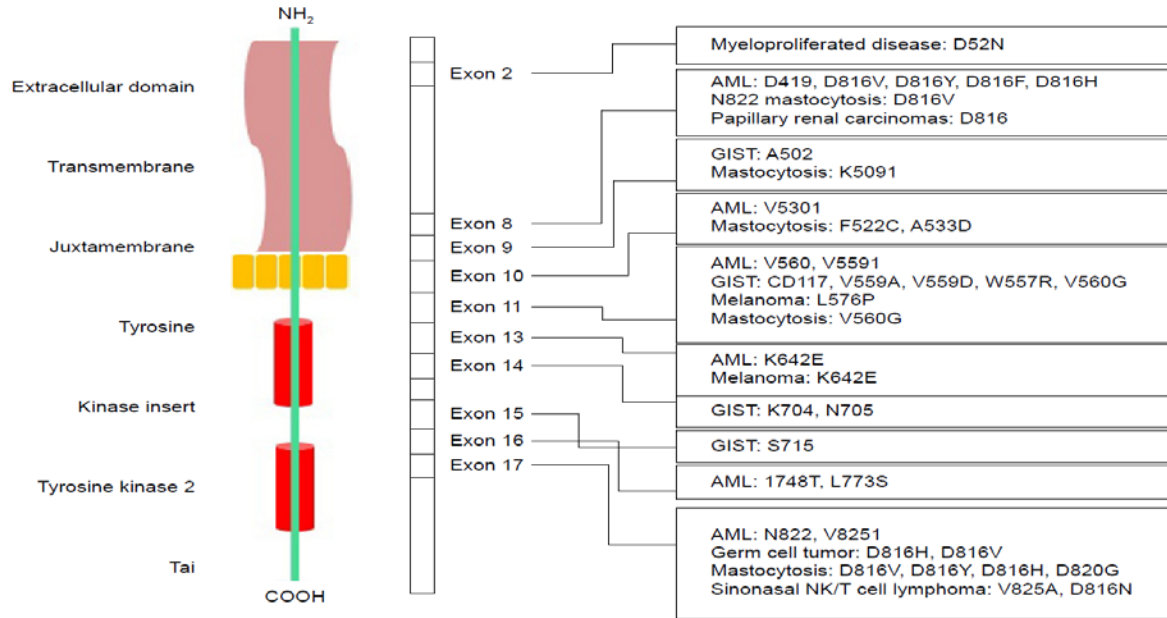
- U.S. incidence 3300-6000 per year

- **Status:**

Single-agent RP2D established; Phase 1b combination dose escalation with pexidartinib ongoing



# KIT Exon 17 mutants - not just in GIST



Germ Cell tumors (GCT)  
 Exon 17 >> exon 11  
 Seminoma (30%) >> non-seminoma (4%)

Figure 1 KIT cDNA and protein structure in different cancers and their respective mutations.  
 Abbreviations: cDNA, complementary DNA; AML, acute myeloid leukemia; GIST, gastrointestinal stromal tumor.

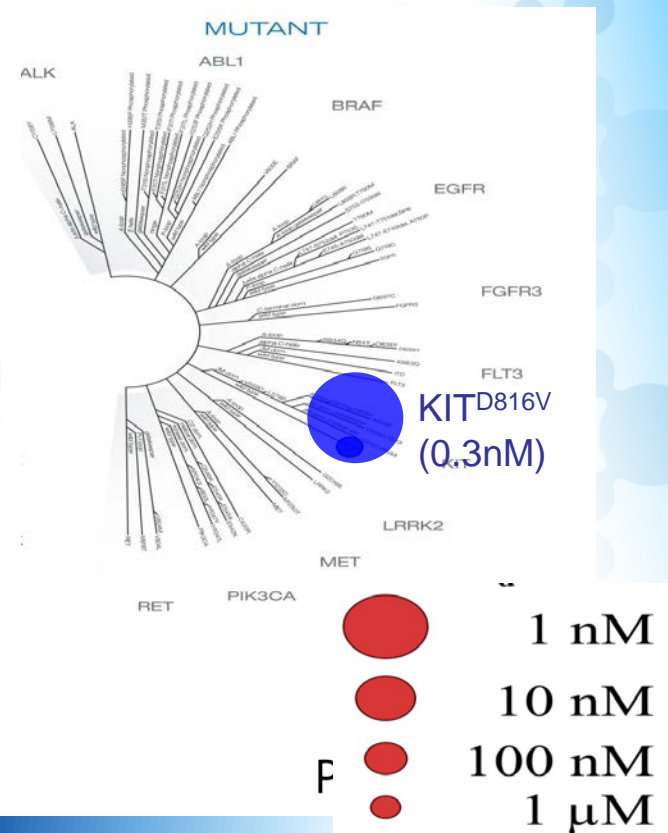
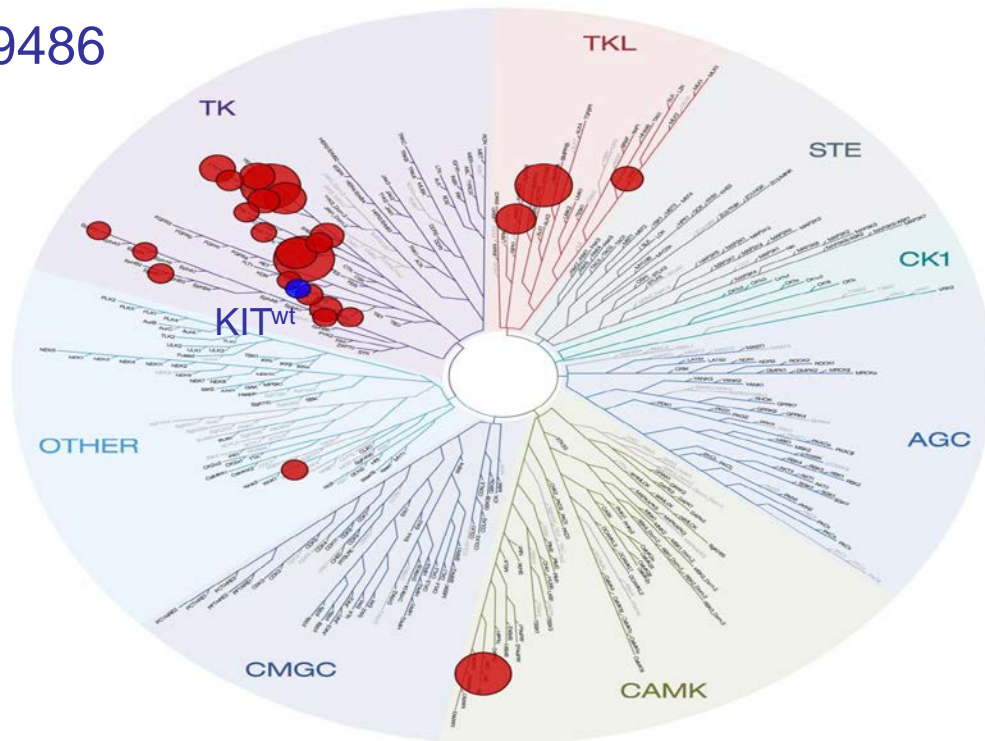
# PLX9486 - Rationale for Collaboration with Combinations Alliance

- Due to its selectivity, PLX9486 may be the most combinable KIT Exon 17 inhibitor in clinical development
- Plexxikon is developing PLX9486 primarily in combinations for the treatment of GIST
- SOC for non-GIST Exon 17 mutant tumors is varied, presents opportunities for combinations:
  - KIT<sup>m</sup> AML: high-dose chemo, hypomethylating agents
  - KIT<sup>m</sup> melanoma: PD-1/PD-L1
  - Germ cell tumors/seminomas: neo/adjuvant chemo; refractory
  - Mastocytosis: TNF, methotrexate, steroids

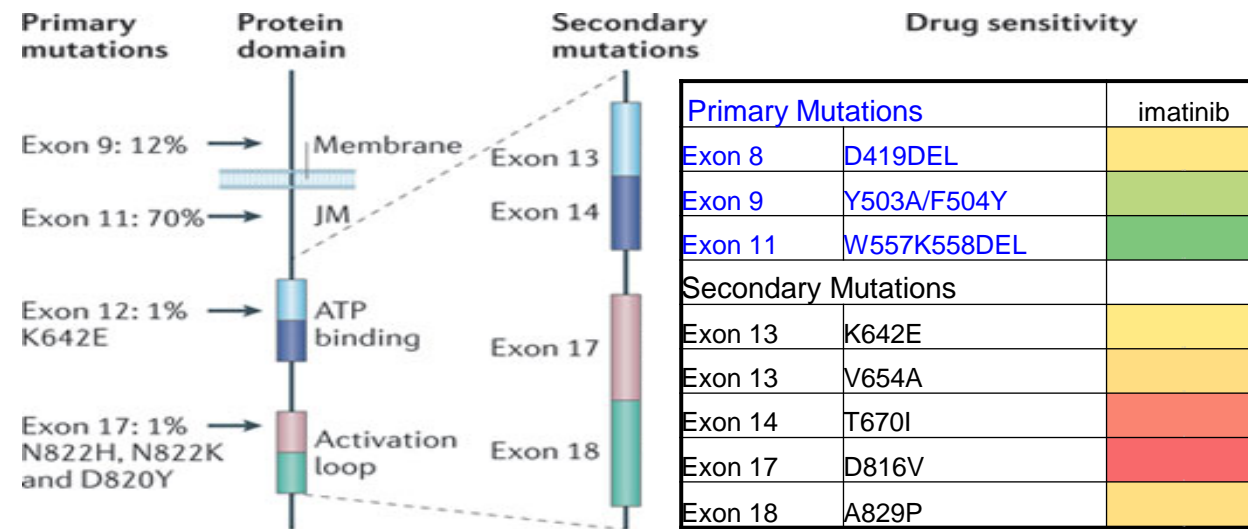
# PLX9486 is Selective versus the Kinome

Mutant >> wild-type, other kinases

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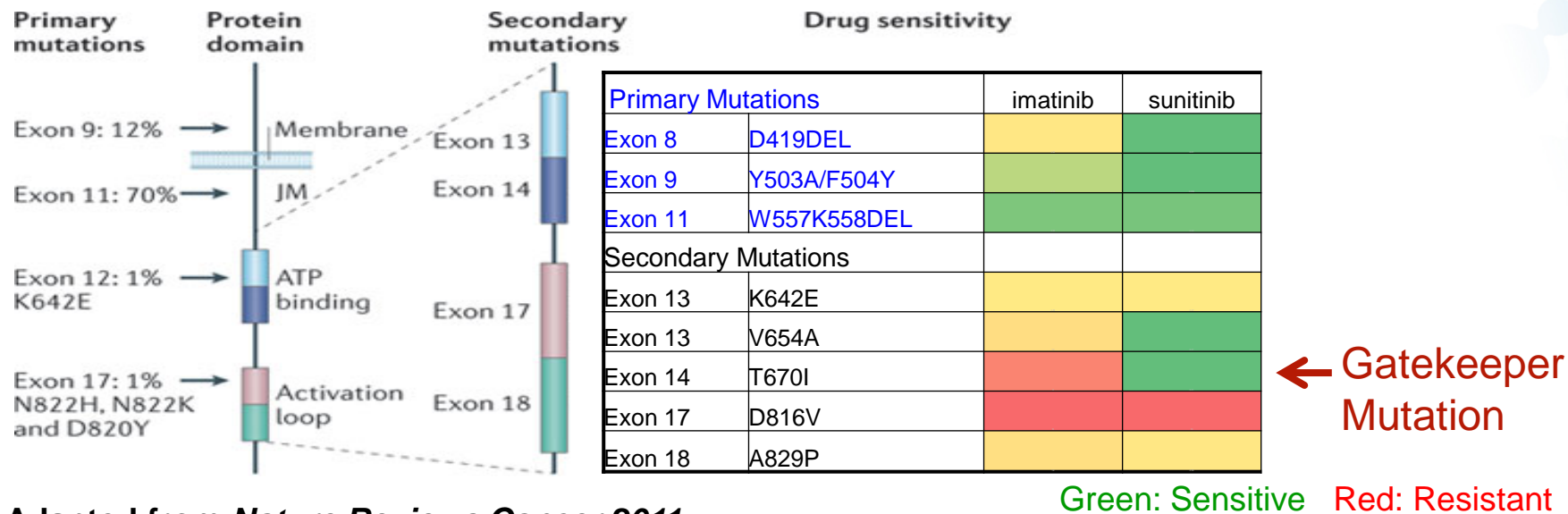
# Imatinib is Active on Primary KIT Mutations in GIST (first-line treatment)



Green: Sensitive Red: Resistant

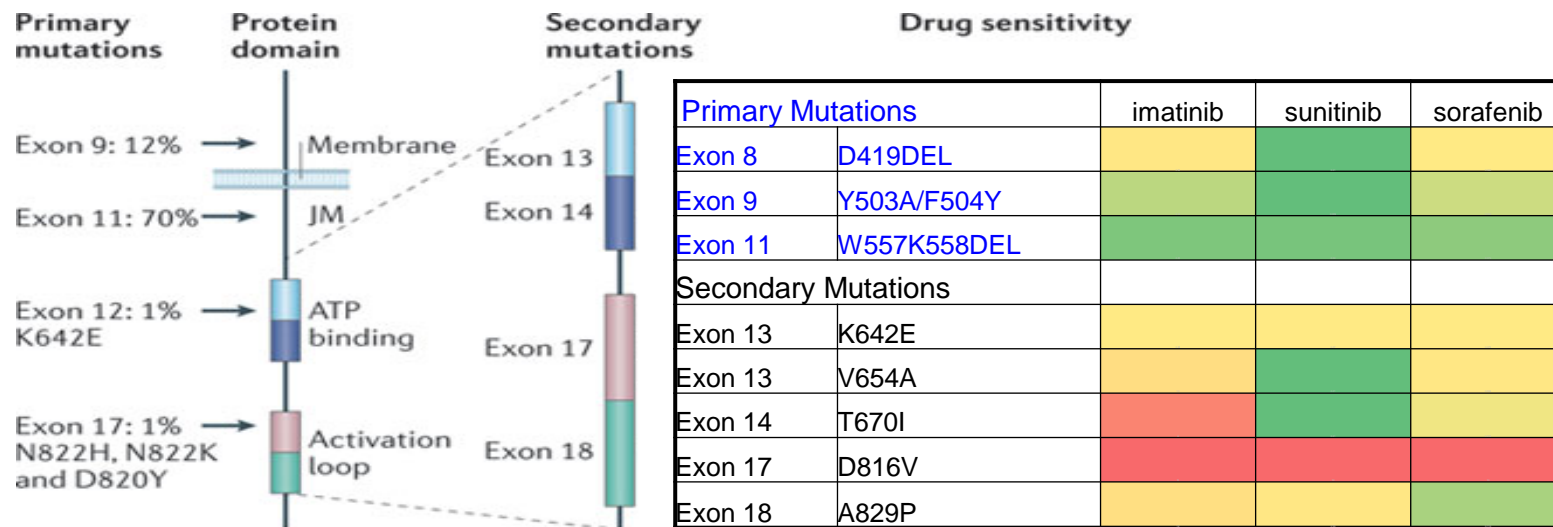
Adapted from *Nature Reviews Cancer* 2011

# Sunitinib is Active on Gatekeeper KIT Mutation in GIST (second-line treatment)



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# Regorafenib has Broad Activity on KIT Mutations in GIST (third-line treatment)



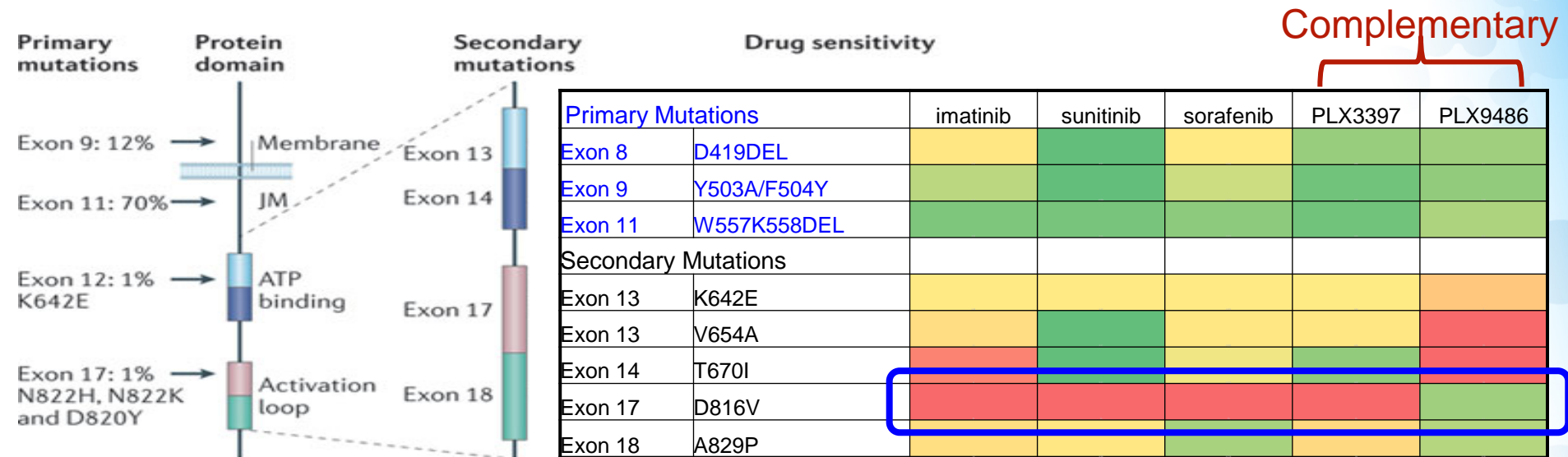
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# PLX9486 Has Complementary Mutant Selectivity Versus Other KIT Inhibitors

PLX9486 is >150-fold selective for mutant vs WT KIT



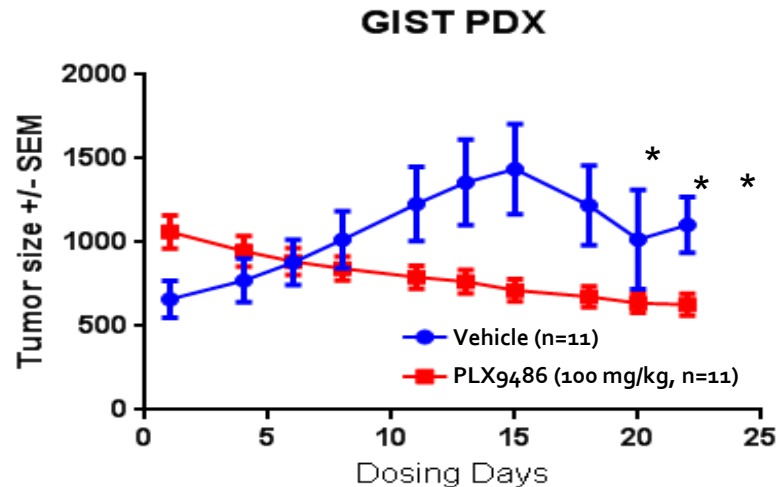
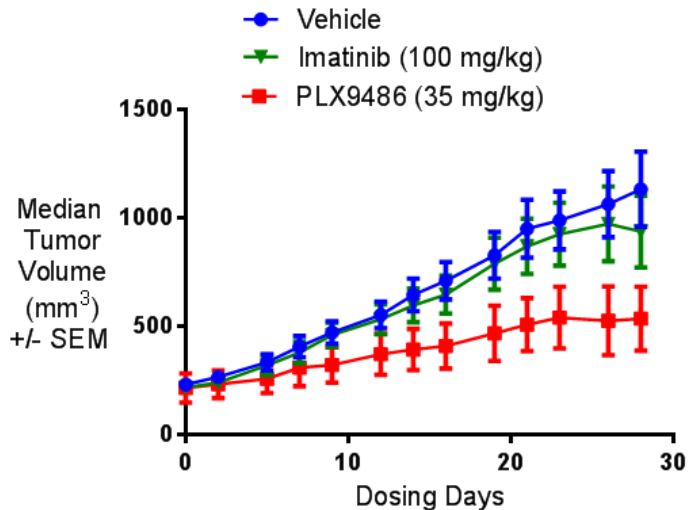
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Note: Sorafenib is a surrogate for regorafenib

# PLX9486 shows regression of large GIST PDX tumors with Kit exon 17 activating mutation (similar to D816V)

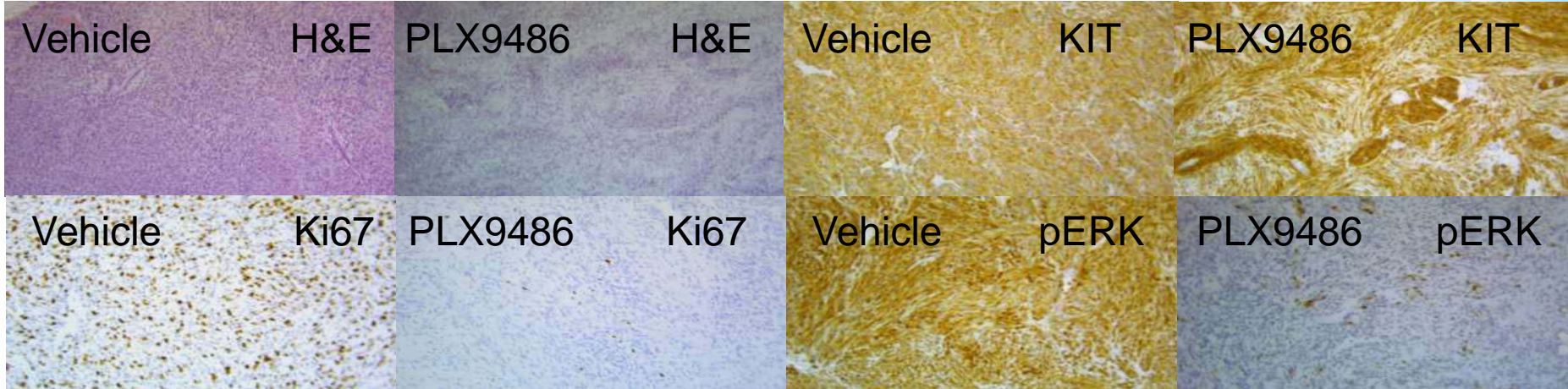
Kit mutations: Y823D (exon 17) + del W557K558 (exon 11)



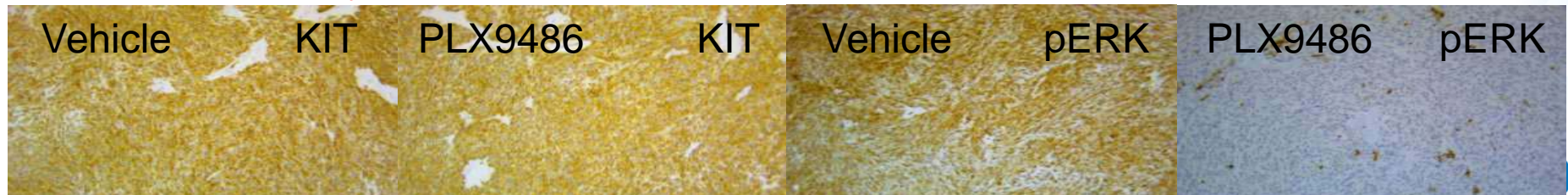
# PLX9486 Blocks Proliferation and KIT pathway

## Histology of PDX tumors

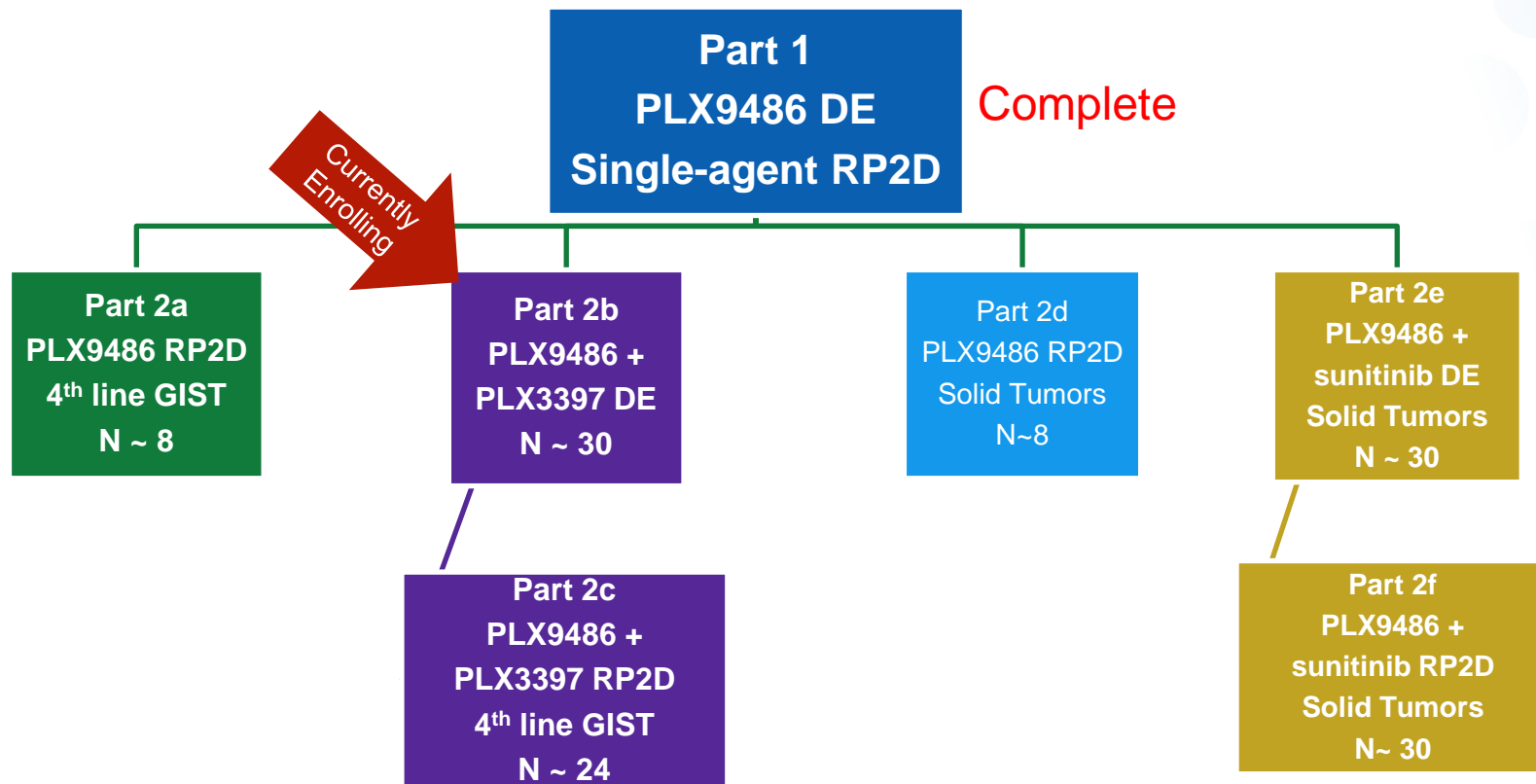
### Tumors Harvested on Last Day of Dosing



### Tumors (previously untreated) Harvested 2 Hours After Treatment



# PLX9486 Clinical Development Plans



# PLX9486 Combinations Alliance

- Phase 1 Data to be presented at Connective Tissue Oncology Society meeting, Nov. 8-11, 2017
  - Will be available to ECMC members when embargo is lifted
- Plexxikon is soliciting proposals for SOC combinations in KIT mutant cancers
  - 1<sup>st</sup> line or refractory settings
  - Access to rare patient populations and genomic testing
- Further information is available under CDA
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