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Noxopharm is focused on the problem of drug-resistance in cancer patients and how it can be overturned in order that standard cytotoxic chemotherapy, the backbone of cancer therapy, can be made:

- more effective
- safer and
- available to more patients

This is a story of:

Idronoxil, a molecule that overturns cancer drug-resistance mechanisms



&

NOX66, an innovative way of delivering idronoxil designed to ensure its ability to work in humans



an objective to see NOX66 become standard of care for patients with solid cancers being treated with cytotoxic chemotherapy

#### An unwelcome truth





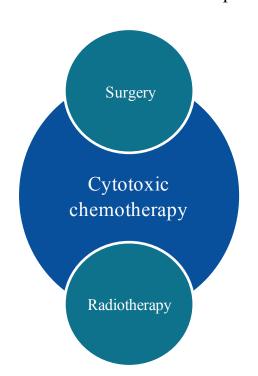
1:2 men and 1:3 women will develop a life-threatening cancer

30% will die from that cancer within 5 years

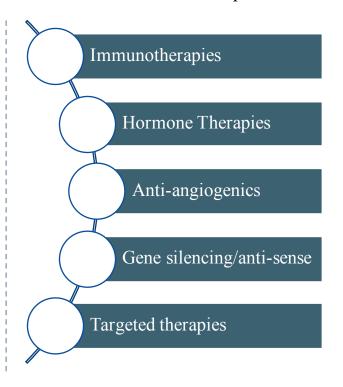
### Cancer Therapy Options



Frontline / First Line Therapies



Second Line Therapies



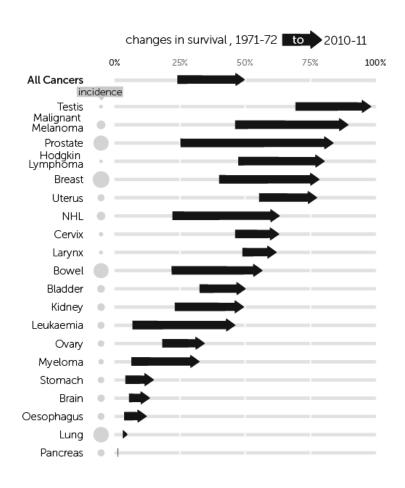


Therapies that damage/kill cells
(cytotoxic therapy)
remain the backbone of cancer therapy



#### After 45 Years of Cytotoxic Chemotherapy...





Little or no progress made in survival outcome for cancers of:

- Pancreas
- Lung
- Brain
- Head and neck
- Oesophagus
- Stomach
- Cervix
- Bladder

BUT....even where progress has been made, many cancers eventually recur and ultimately become resistant to chemotherapy leaving few other therapeutic options

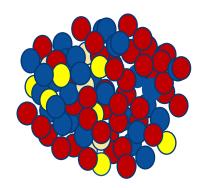
# Drug-Resistance: major obstacle to successful chemotherapy



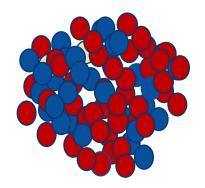
#### Primary resistance:

Resistant to first-line Rx (pancreatic cancer, melanoma)

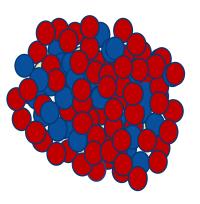
Pre-treatment



Response

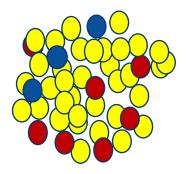


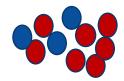
Recurrence

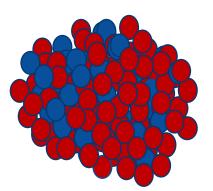


#### Acquired resistance:

Respond to first-line Rx, then develop resistance

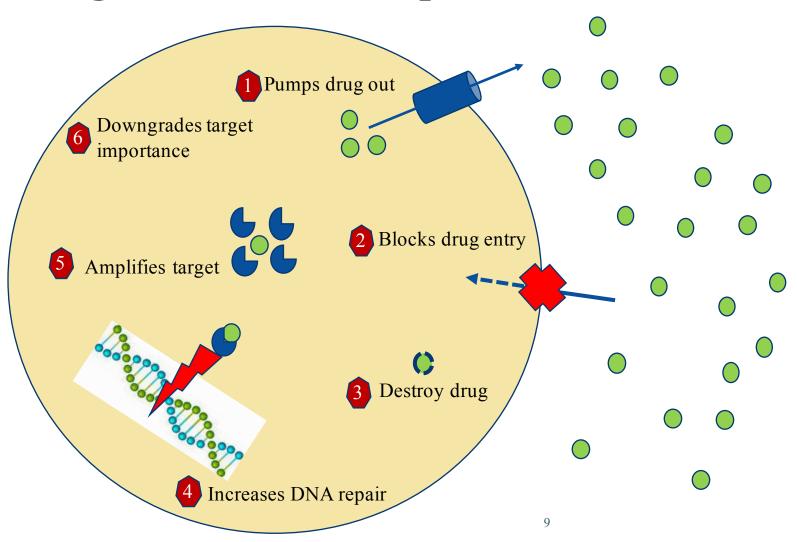


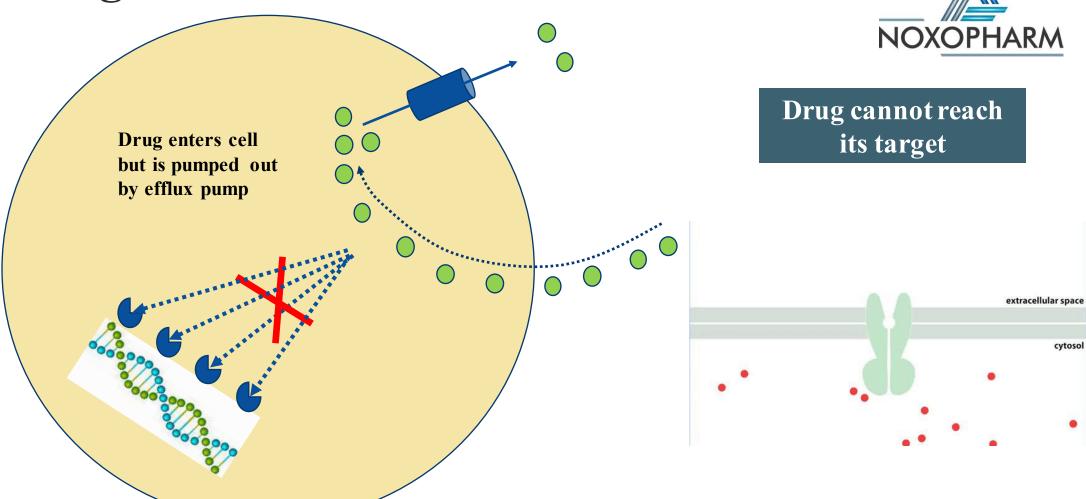




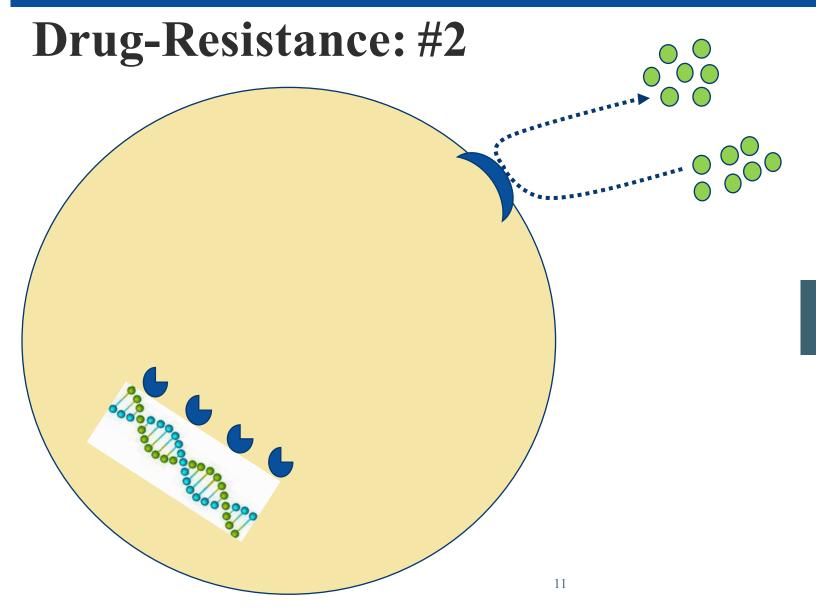
#### Drug-Resistance: multiple mechanisms





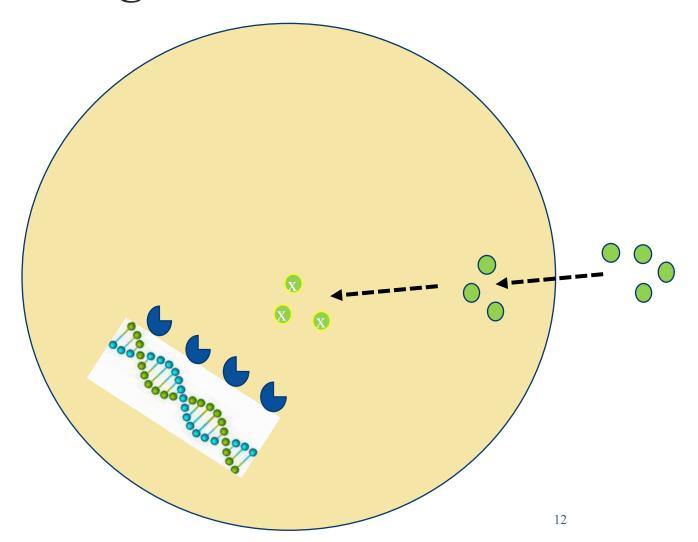


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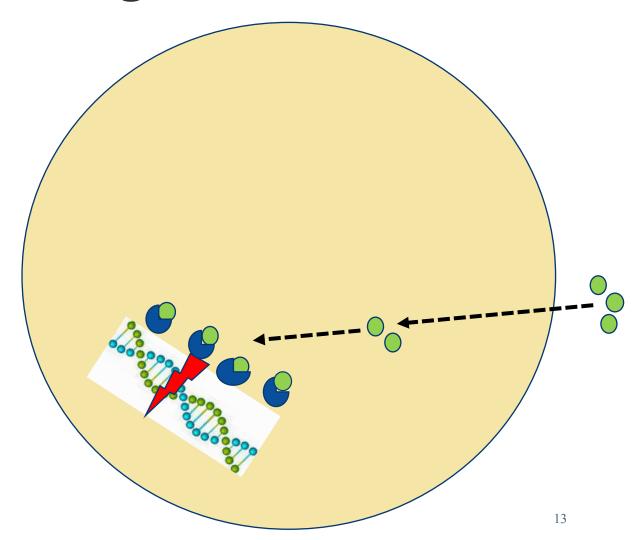


Drug blocked from entering cell



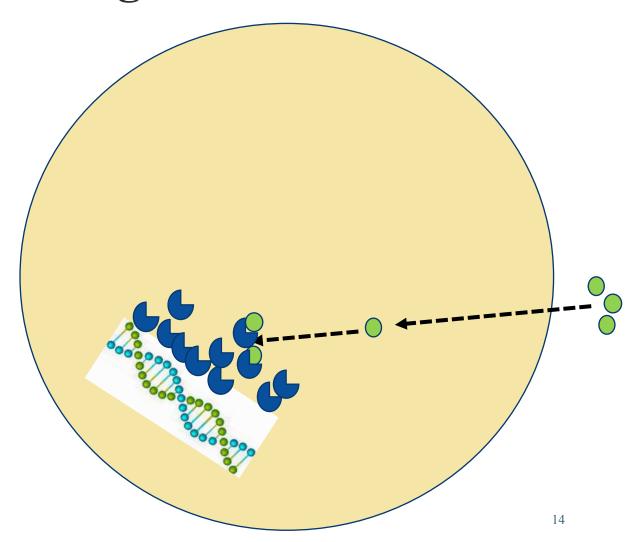


Drug enters cell but is destroyed before it can act



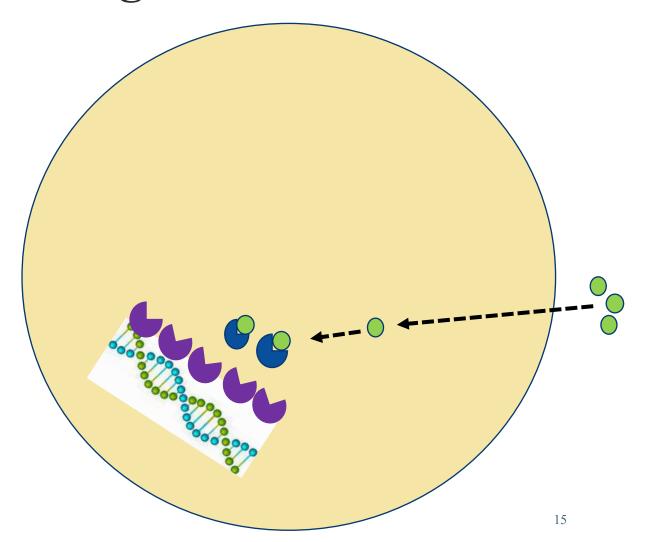


Drug inflicts damage but cell up-regulates repair mechanisms





Cell amplifies target: drug loses effectiveness





Cell downgrades
importance of
target: uses
alternative pathway

# Why drug-resistance to cytotoxic drugs is hard to over-ride



**Poison action:** Cytotoxic drugs work by damaging the cell

Action is non-selective: Also damage healthy cells (bone marrow, hair follicles, gut lining, nerves)

**Restriction:** Toxic side-effects restricts dosages to sub-optimal levels



Drug dosage that might kill most cancer cells

But....would be lethal to patient.



**Current dosage levels** 

Kill <100% cancer cells.

But.....tolerable toxicity.

#### Noxopharm Aim



To overturn drug-resistance to the most commonly-used chemotherapies

Improved response rates in most forms of solid cancers

Allow drug dose rates to be lowered to reduce toxicity

Permit chemotherapy in elderly/frail patients

Provide safer chemotherapy in children

### Chemotherapy Dosage/Toxicity





Toxic dosage

100% cancer cell kill.

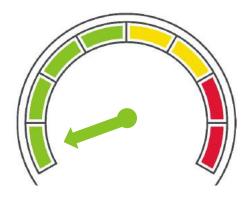
Lethal toxicity to patient.



**Current dosage** 

<100% cancer cell kill.

Tolerable toxicity.



Optimum dosage

100% cancer cell kill.

Little or no toxicity.

NOX66 is intended to achieve this

# Noxopharm: The Company



#### **Experienced Team**





Graham Kelly *PhD* Managing Director

- Head of research team at University of Sydney that discovered idronoxil in 1992
- Founded (CEO) Novogen Ltd (ASX 1994; NASDAQ 1998). Executive Director 1994-2006)
- Chairman of Marshall Edwards Inc (AIM 2001; NASDAQ 2003)
- •CEO/Executive Chairman Novogen Ltd 2012-2015
- Founded Noxopharm October 2015



Dr Ian Dixon *PhD*, *MBA* Non-Executive Director

- Over 20 years' experience in the biotechnology and medical device industries and was founder/co-founder of numerous successful technology companies, including Cynata Ltd, Genscreen Pty Ltd and August Therapeutics.
- Previously a non-executive Director of Cell Therapies Pty Ltd, and Director of the Product Group at Invetech, now part of Danaher Corporation (NYSE: DHR).
- Led early development of the anti-tropomy osin drug technology that his company licensed to Novogen Ltd.



Peter Marks Non-Executive Chairman

- •30+ years experience in corporate finance, specializing in capital raisings (for listed and unlisted companies), underwriting, IPOs and venture capital transactions
- Participated in over \$2B in public and private capital raised.
- Executive and Non-Executive Director of a number of listed entities on the ASX and AIM

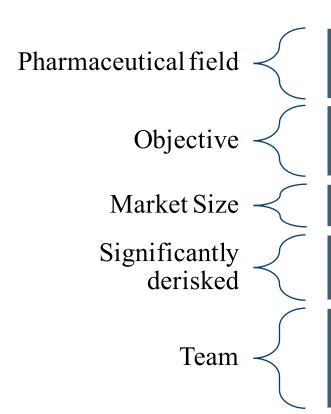


Phillip Hains *MBA*Company Secretary

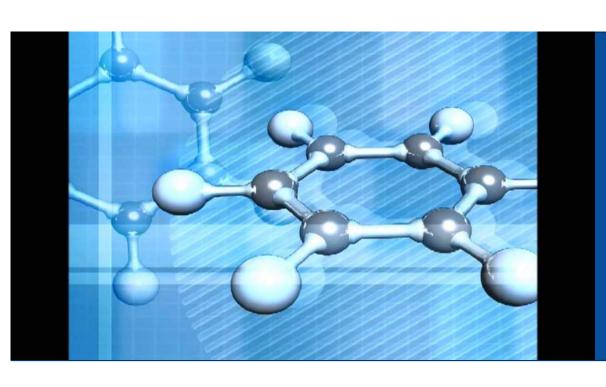
- Phillip holds a Masters of Business Administration from RMIT and a Public Practice Certificate from the Institute of Chartered Accountants.
- As a chartered accountant, Phillip operates his own specialist public practice, The CFO Solution, providing back-office support, financial reporting and compliance systems for public companies.
- Phillip has over 20 years' experience in providing businesses with accounting, administration, compliance and general management services.

#### Investment Highlights





- Chemo-sensitisation. Making standard cytotoxic chemotherapies more effective by overcoming drug-resistance
- Bring NOX66 to market to improve response to current standard of care drugs plus reduce side-effects
- Most patients with life-threatening solid cancers
- Re-purposing of a clinically tested drug candidate
- Board experienced in biotech start-ups. CEO experienced in founding/driving public biotech companies and in drug development

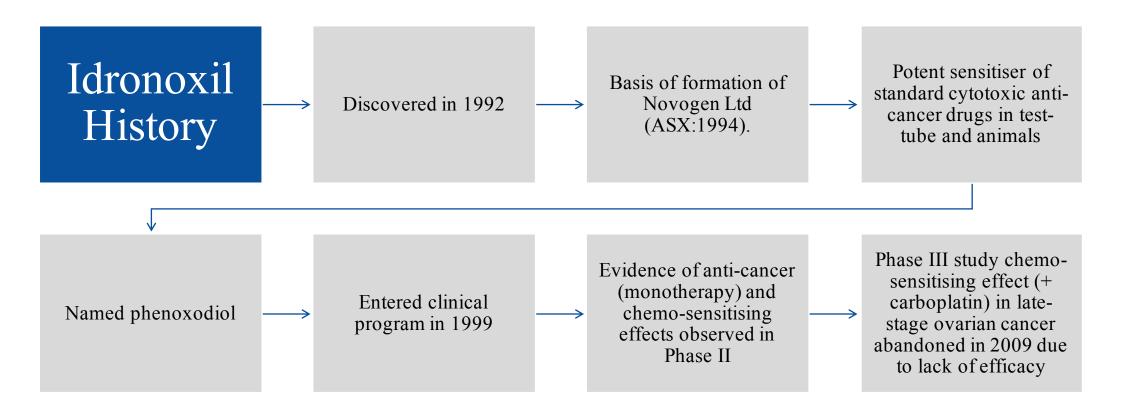


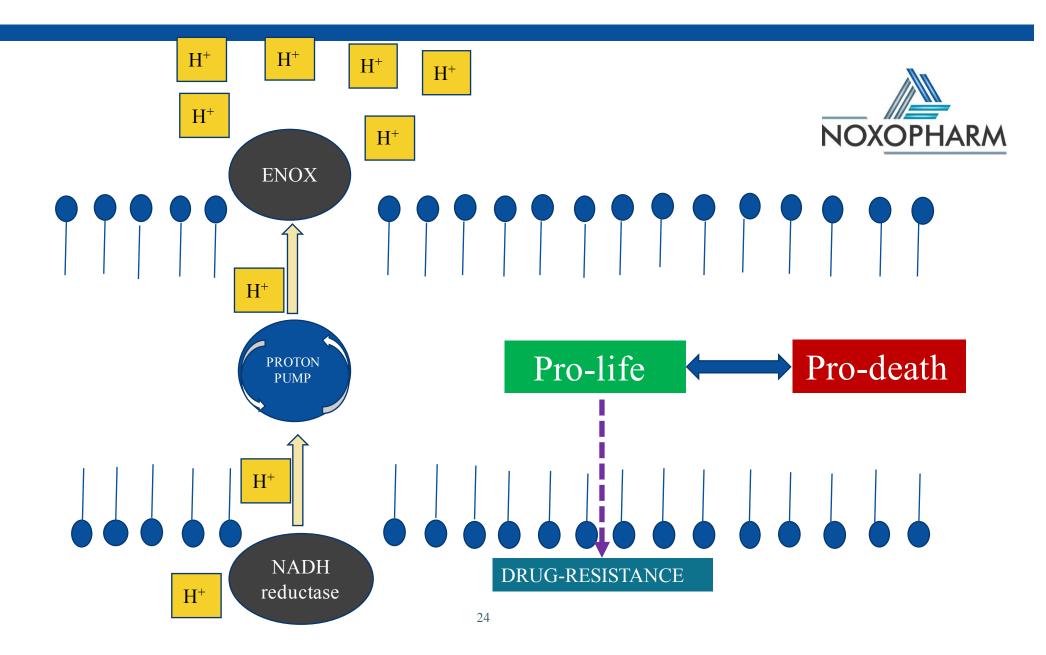
## The Science

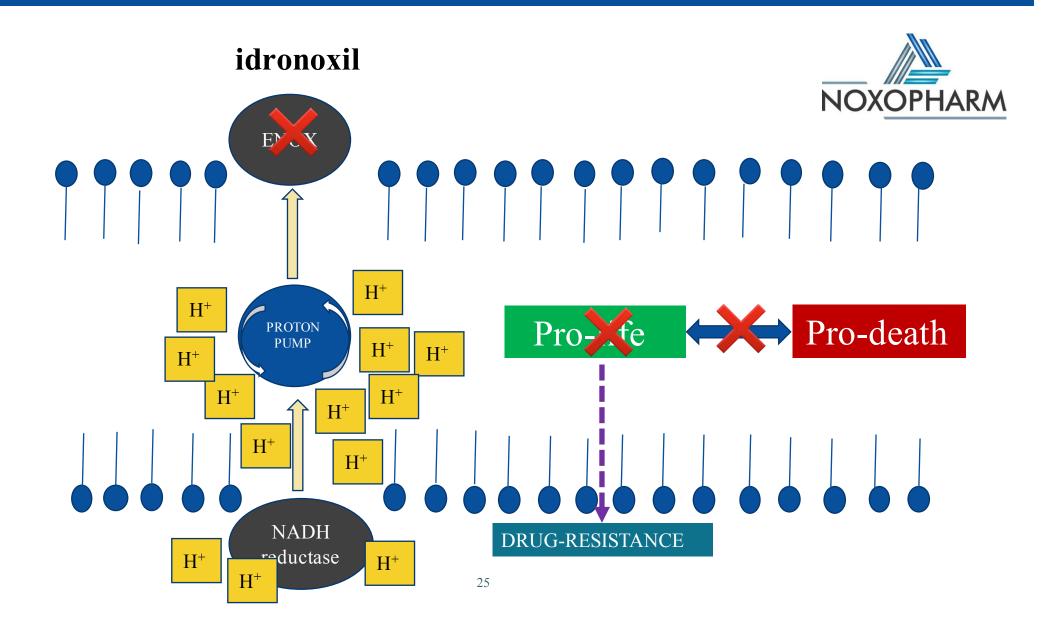


#### Idronoxil History









### Noxopharm rebirth idronoxil



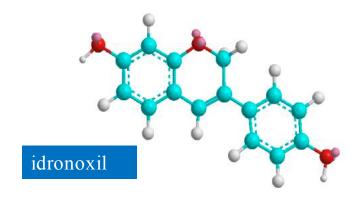
#### Noxopharm has re-birthed idronoxil because

- We consider it remains the most potent INHIBITOR of cancer drug resistance mechanisms yet developed
- It overturns resistance to the most commonly-used chemotherapies in oncology
- It works on all major cancer types
- Its target is only found on cancer cells and therefore only enhances killing of cancer cells
- It works on cancer cells with primary drug resistance
- It works on cancer cells with acquired drug resistance
- Its ability to work is unaffected by multi-drug resistance mechanisms

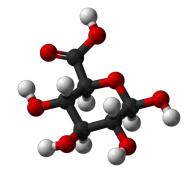
We believe we know why idronoxil failed when used before and now how to administer it to enable it to work

#### The Problem: Phase 2 Metabolism







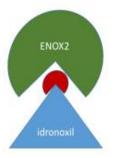


Body attaches sugar to idronoxil: blocks access to target

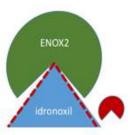
#### NOX66 – designed to allow idronoxil to work



Idronoxil works by docking into its protein target



Idronoxil + sugar cannot bind to target



NOX66 is designed to block the sugar being attached

NOX66: innovative formulation designed to prevent Phase 2 metabolism



# Clinical Program



#### NOX66: Potential Clinical Indications



#### Overcome a cancer cell's resistance to:

- Cisplatin
- Carboplatin
- Paclitaxel
- Docetaxel
- Gemcitabine
- Doxorubicin
- Topotecan

Primary Resistance	•	Improve response rates where first-line treatments currently poorly effective (eg. pancreatic cancer, lung cancer, melanoma, mesothelioma)
Acquired Resistance	•	Provide opportunity to achieve response in drug-resistant late-stage cancers following multiple lines of therapy
Reduced Toxicity	•	Allow lower dosages of cytotoxic chemotherapy to be used Enable chemotherapy in elderly or frail patients Reduced long-term toxicity issues in children

## NOX66: Phase 1a/1b Clinical Study



Number of sites	2 (planned recruitment, 1.5 patient per site per month		
Territory	Eastern Europe		
Commence	Q4 2016		
Patients	<ul> <li>Solid Tumours</li> <li>that have failed to respond to standard therapies, or</li> <li>where the patient has elected not to receive therapy, or</li> <li>where the patient is unable to receive standard dosages of chemotherapy.</li> </ul>		
Number of patients	15		
Outcomes	Primary: Safety of NOX66 alone and in combination with carboplatin Secondary: Clinical response		
Two studies in 1	Phase 1a (NOX66 monotherapy) Study followed immediately by Phase 1b (NOX66 + carboplatin) Combination Study		
3 NOX66 dosage cohorts	5 patients per dosage cohort at 3 dosages - 400, 800, 1200 mg idronoxil per day		
Phase 1a	14-days continuous		
Phase 1b	NOX66 Days 1-7; carboplatin Day 2 6x treatment cycles (28-days)		
Carboplatin	low dose (AUC=4) 3 cycles followed by standard dose (AUC=6) 3 cycles		

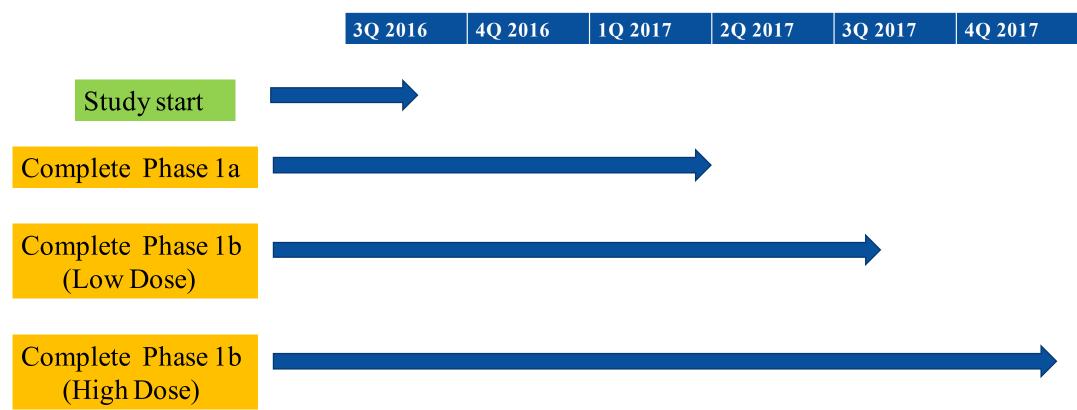
### NOX66: Potential Phase 2a Study



Adaptive design	<ul> <li>Phase 2a Study triggered by meaningful clinical responses (complete or partial remission) in Phase 1b Study</li> <li>Immediate recruitment</li> <li>2 additional cohorts; 10 patients per cohort</li> <li>2 specific tumour types</li> <li>6 treatment cycles of NOX66 + carboplatin</li> </ul>
Purpose	To inform on clinical indications for later stage studies

#### Proposed clinical study timeline





### The Offer



## Key Offer Statistics



#### Cap structure

Existing NOX Shares	45,172,429
New Shares Offered	30,000,000
Total Shares at re-listing	75,171,429
Options*	22,500,000
Performance Shares**	10,000,000

<sup>\*</sup> Exercise price = \$0.30; expiry Feb 2021

#### Offer details

Offer price per Share	A\$0.20	
Cash proceeds from Offer	A\$6.0M	

<sup>\*\*</sup> Achieves market cap of \$50,000,000 before 28 February 2021

#### Use of Proceeds



AUD\$6 million				
Cost of Offer	Phase 1b Clinical Study	Research & Development	Working Capital	
	Phase 1a/1b/2a	Develop core technology for 2nd generation drugs	<ul><li>Administration</li><li>Working capital</li></ul>	
\$0.51M	\$2.50M	\$0.55M	\$2.80M*	

<sup>\*</sup> Includes \$0.37M pre-IPO cash

## Key Investment Risks



Clinical trials may prove unsuccessful		
Key patents may not be granted, allowing others players to enter the same market		
Others may claim infringement of existing IP		
Other drugs unknown to the Company and with similar or greater benefit may be under development		
Company has no revenue. Further capital will need to be raised in the future to progress the technology beyond Phase 2a. This will be dilutive to existing shareholders		
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# **Concluding Remarks**



### Major Opportunity



Drug-resistance major block to more successful cancer therapy

Noxopharm believes idronoxil is the most potent reverser of drug-resistance

Delivering idronoxil to humans in a form that works has proved challenging

Noxopharm believes it has solved the problem...NOX66... an innovative method of delivering idronoxil

Noxopharm believes that NOX66 has the potential to revolutionise cancer therapy

#### Value Drivers



# Large market size

Substantial unmet need for most patients with solid cancers

# Lack of competition

No current drug or known drug in development with same ability to reverse drugresistance

#### Experience

Over 20 years' experience with this technology generally and this drug specifically

# Clinic-ready

Phase 1 study to commence in 2H16

# Expeditious clinical plan

Indication of efficacy potentially available within 18 months

#### Key Messages



Resistance to cytotoxic chemotherapy remains the most pressing and largest problem facing patients

No drug has come to market that successfully treats this problem

Idronoxil holds that promise but faltered at the final hurdle

Noxopharm is confident it knows why it faltered and is confident that it has resolved the problem

NOX66 is a new dosage formulation of idronoxil designed to enable it to work

- ✓ Lean, focused operation
- ✓ Key inflection points likely within next 18 months
- ✓ Potential for NOX66 to become standard of care

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