## Steering Cancer Extinction in Metastatic Breast Cancer Using an Integrative Toxicity Metric



**Team Indigo Extinction** 







# Breast cancer



Breast cancer affects

### 1 in 8

women



#### Breast cancer





30%

develop recurrent or metastatic disease

where median survival ranges between 9 to 30 months

Lobbezoo, D. J. A., et al. 2015

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**Extinction Therapy:** Precise drug rotations control the disease and prevent resistance.



### The extinction clinical trial





**Clinical Study Protocol** 

A Pilot Study of Sequential ("First Strike, Second Strike") Therapies, Modeled on Evolutionary Dynamics of Anthropocene Extinctions, for Hormone Positive Metastatic Breast Cancer Inclusion: Hormone-positive, HER2 negative/low metastatic breast cancer

Elevated tumor markers

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## Decision making with the patient



## Dose Limiting Toxicity



- Bone marrow toxicity
- Patient tolerability
- GI toxicity



Dose limiting toxicity with sacituzumab govitecan (Phase I data)



### Unmeasurable Disease Burden

- Biomarkers
  - Carcinoembryonic antigen
  - CA 15-3
  - CA 27-29
  - ctDNA
- But biomarkers have their limitations







### Tumor model



Growth dampened by the weak Allee effect

Desired Model Features Exponential growth Slow tumor regrowth

 $\frac{dC}{dt} = \frac{\gamma C^2}{C + \alpha}$ 



### Virtual patient examples





All undergoing the same treatment schedule



Current blood counts

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Clinical assessments of toxicity are **reactive** and come too **late.** The damage is done.



#### Old World



#### Neutropenia / GI Damage / Subjective Wellness Assessment



#### The Problem

#### All decisions start by understanding patient behaviors and symptoms.

...but the methods are crude, overly simplistic, and subjective for precision medicine and toxicity predictions.



### Easy data capture

#### Simple

Patients answer video questions on their own phone anywhere, at any time.

#### Scalable

Removes time costs and access. Provides continuous patient access..

#### Cleaner Data

The highest quality and most valuable data.

Richer Data

5 minutes of video captures 100,000X more data than current tools.

#### Flexible

Every use case and assessment.



#### A.I. Symptom Analysis

+20,000 features measured and structured for modeling and statistical analysis.

#### Video

Pupil Dilation Eye Tracking Head Movement Blood Flow Respiration Response Time

Speech

Word Choice Sentence Structure Personality Traits Speech Patterns Education Level Engagement Vocabulary

#### Audio

Vocal Micro-Tremors Pitch & Tone Changes Pronunciation Valence Stress

Micro-Expressions Cognitive Load Emotional Response Eyelid Ptosis Temperature Change Articulation

Time Stamping Utterances Sentiment Thought Patterns Frequency Complexity Outlook

storyline



Clinical grade facial tracking solutions

### Vocal Analysis



• Vocal measures (thousands): Emotional and vocal expression classification and subtyping from vocal data





#### Standardized Data Files

De-identified data for modeling, sharing and multi-omics

#### StoryARC

Thousands of features elegantly structured for modeling and statistical analysis using your existing tools.

#### StoryTIME

Massive new data collections oriented by time in an easy to analyze data format for discovery and invention.

#### Poem

A.I. discovery of behavioral segments and expressions across individuals, groups, and populations. Aim 1. Define an integrative toxicity metric to monitor metastatic breast cancer patients and predict treatment response and dose adjustments.



#### We developed three Novel Toxicity Scores

- 1. Integrative toxicity index
- 2. Dynamic toxicity monitor
- 3. Deep learning toxicity predictor



#### Integrative toxicity index



Tox. Mod<u>el</u> Storyline AI Deep Symptom Phenotyping



#### **Standard lab tests**

		Value	Step Adjustment	Weights	Normalized Score
	Storyline sentiment score	-0.84		1	-0.598
	[100s of other measures]			1	
	Liver toxicity (AST level)	33	Value $-\mu$	1	-0.232
	Neutrophil count	2.41	σ	1	0.078
	Red blood cell count	4.59		1	0.942
Decision Tool Schedule	Lymphocyte count	1.08		1	1.952
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	Total Toxicity Index				2.4

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## Dynamic Toxicity Monitor Based on Labs



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#### Now we can derive a **predicted toxicity score** that shows the expected toxicity if we perform **dose de-escalation when the score crosses the toxicity threshold**

 $P(T|d_i) = f(\text{dose}) + f(\text{lab data}) + f(\text{delay}) + f(\text{Storyline})$ 

#### Predicted Toxicity Score - After a 50% Dose Reduction Based on Standard Labs + **Storyline Al**



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Aim 2. Create a decision algorithm that adaptively integrates toxicity and treatment response metrics to determine the optimal dose and schedule for each treatment cycle during sequential therapy to maximize the probability of success for each patient.



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#### Model Workflow





VS



 $d_{s1} = 100\%$ 



#### Decision tree therapy simulations



#### Optimal treatment strategies



Dose 1	Dose 2	Dose 3	Dose 4
1.0	0.8	0.6	0.9

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### **Toxicity Function**



$$x_{n+1} = x_n(0.05 - 0.85x_n(0.05)) + y_n s$$

*x*, toxicity*y*, drug dose*s*, patient sensitivity



#### Specific Aims





#### Aim 1

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## Budget



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#### Appendix

#### Chris' Lab data



(There are missing data points; unimputed data is shown here)



tSNE colored by Tx

tSNE showing 3 clusters: Input data had 77 days (rows), and 9 Features: WBCs, RBCs, Neutro, Lymph, ALT, AST, CA27 and CAE

#### Chris' toxicity profile



With delay per drug

With delay at each cycle set to 10 days

Prediction of toxicity based on breaks and Chris' tx schedule