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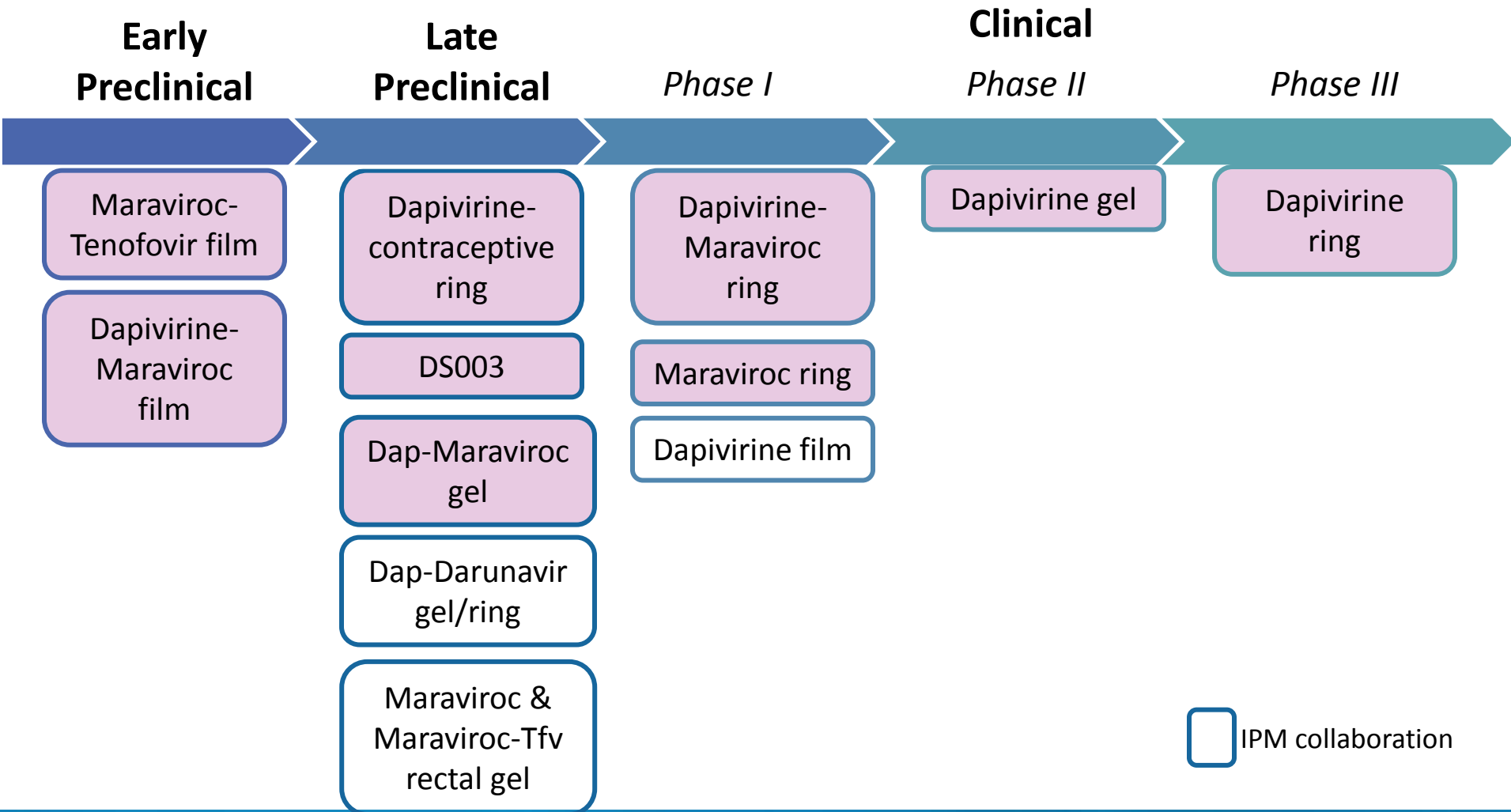
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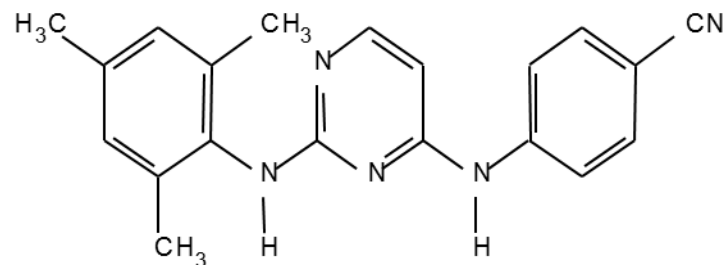
*Developing* HIV Prevention *Products*  
for **Women** *worldwide*

# Summary of IPM Pipeline by Stages



# Dapivirine (TMC120)

- Highly potent ARV: non-nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitor (NNRTI)
- Developed by Janssen R&D Ireland
  - Originally tested as oral therapeutic in 11 clinical studies
- Licensed to IPM in 2004
  - Development as topical microbicide for HIV prevention in developing countries
- 15 Phase I/II safety studies (dapivirine ring or gel)
  - Good safety profile in all studies to date
  - Data on more than 700 study participants before efficacy studies
- Dapivirine Ring Licensure Program started in 2012



# Dapivirine-Levonorgestrel Vaginal Ring

Multi-prevention vaginal ring that provides HIV-prevention and contraception for a minimum of 60 days

## Key factors

1. Leverage Phase III data from Dapivirine Ring-004 program
2. Incorporate approved and widely used contraceptive



# Current Status

- Levonorgestrel (LNG) selected as hormone component at two levels:
  - 35  $\mu\text{g}$  and 70  $\mu\text{g}$
- Preclinical *in vitro* assessments of drug-drug interaction potential completed
- Analytical methods developed in support of Phase I program
- GMP LNG suppliers identified
- GMP manufacturers identified and audited



# Current Status (cont)

- Matrix ring prototypes selected at loading levels that would achieve target release rates for up to 90 days
  - 200 mg dapivirine with 16 and 32 mg LNG
- Increased release rate of levonorgestrel in the presence of dapivirine
- Currently working on defining particle size appropriate for levonorgestrel



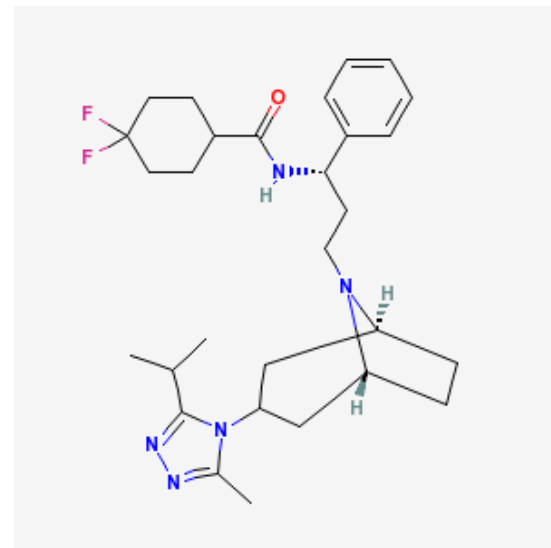
# Timeline for Phase I

Activity	2014				2015			
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
<b>Matrix Ring Program</b>								
non-GMP ring production and 3M stability	█	█						
GMP Manufacturing Transfer & Setup		█	█					
GMP Analytical Transfer & Setup		█	█					
GMP Scale-up & batch manufacture			█					
Preclinical Study with final ring			█	█				
Initial GMP stability (3M & 6M)			█	█				
GMP Manufacture for Phase I				█				
Stability					█	█	█	█
IND					█			
<b>Phase 1</b>						█	█	█



# Maraviroc

- CCR5 blocker with established safety profile as marketed oral therapeutic (Selzentry™)
- Developed by Pfizer
- Licensed to IPM in 2008 for microbicide indication in developing world
- Clinical development:
  - Maraviroc rings alone and in combination with dapivirine
- Preclinical development:
  - Maraviroc gel (rectal use)- Magee Women's Research Institute
  - Maraviroc/tenofovir combination in early preclinical development





# Dapivirine/Maraviroc Ring Trial

- **MTN-013 / IPM 026: Phase 1 PK & safety vaginal ring**
  - 3 US research centers: Fenway, Pittsburgh and UAB
- **Study design:**
  - 4 arms: dapivirine-maraviroc ring, dapivirine ring, maraviroc ring, placebo
  - N = 48 women
  - 28 days on product + 24 days f/u



*First clinical trial of a combination microbicide & first clinical trial of maraviroc for HIV prevention*

# IPM 026/MTN 013 Conclusions



- All vaginal rings were safe, well-tolerated and acceptable
- Pharmacokinetics:
  - Dapivirine detectable in plasma, vaginal fluid & cervical tissue
  - Maraviroc detectable in vaginal fluid but not in plasma (below LLOQ of 0.5 ng/mL) and most cervical tissue samples
- *ex vivo* challenge showed linear correlation between tissue dapivirine levels and protection against HIV
- Residual drug levels in the rings (4-5 mg released for both drugs) consistent with ring use



# Next Steps for Maraviroc

- Maraviroc plasma samples being retested at lower LLOQ to see if maraviroc present (early March)
- If maraviroc present at acceptable levels, pursue higher loading maraviroc ring
  - Stable EVA prototypes developed with up to 300 mg maraviroc loading
- Timing for availability of clinical trial material is approx. 9 months



# DS003 (BMS 793)

- Potent gp120 binding entry inhibitor of HIV-1 infection
  - Licensed from Bristol-Myers Squibb in 2005
  - Targets the virus, not the host cell
  - Mechanism of action not currently in microbicide or treatment
  - Can be developed in combination with other ARVs



# DS003: Ongoing & Planned Activities

- Pre-IND consultation with FDA
- Preparation for GMP manufacturing in 2014
- First in human Phase I clinical trial with DS003 in tablet dosage form
  - Tablet represents fastest route to initial clinical trial
  - Vaginal ring is ultimate target, either alone or in combination with another ARV
  - Early safety and PK data from trial will inform DS003 based ring development
  - Trial targeted early 2015



# Dapivirine - Darunavir Gel and Ring

- Darunavir
  - Protease inhibitor
  - Marketed as Prezista® by Janssen Pharmaceuticals
- Collaborative development under CHAARM (European Consortium)
- Preclinical evaluations of ring PK ongoing in animal models
- Preclinical vaginal irritation studies for gel underway
- Phase I clinical trial for combo gel in 2014 (Univ. of York)



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