

Figure S1. Targetable  $\alpha\beta 3$  is expressed in greater amounts on M2 macrophages following incubation with an  $\alpha\beta 3$  integrin specific fluorescent probe (Integrasense 645, PerkinElmer) *in vitro*.

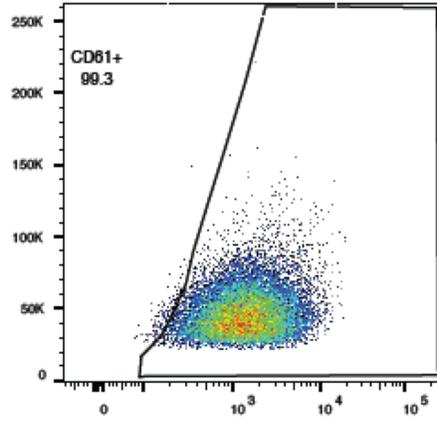


Figure S2. Flow cytometry analysis of  $\beta 3$  integrin expression in the 4T1.GFP.FL breast cancer cell line.

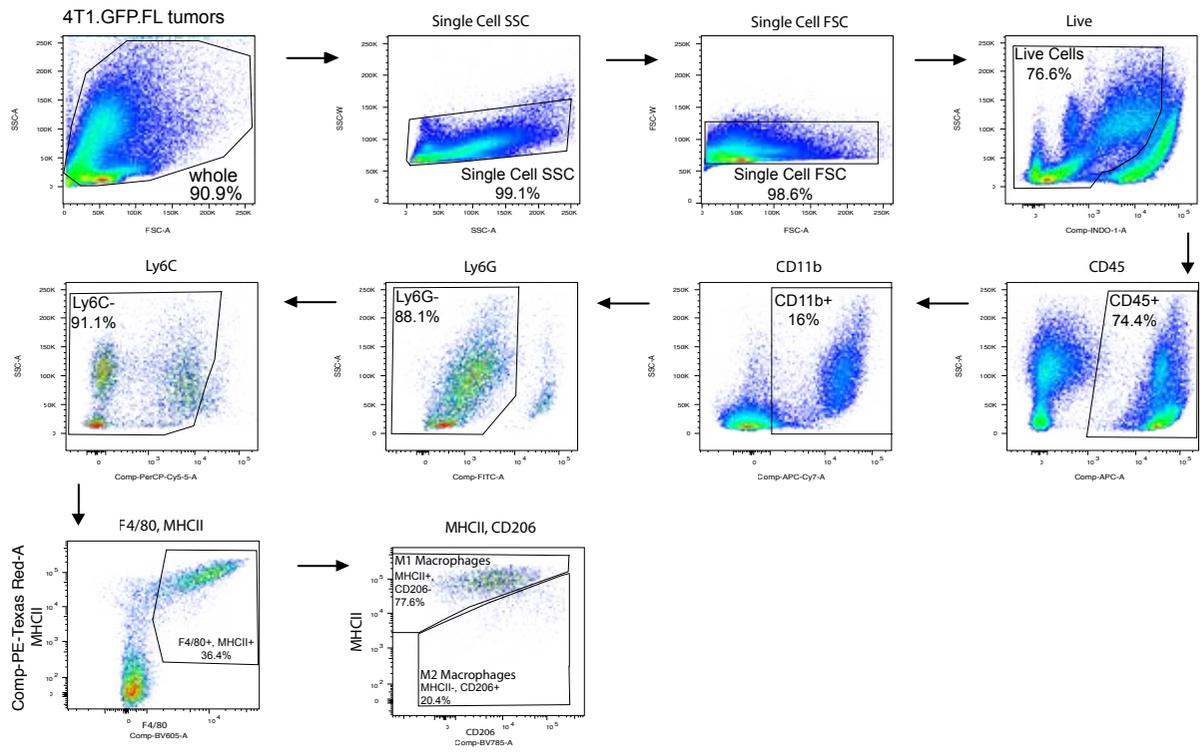
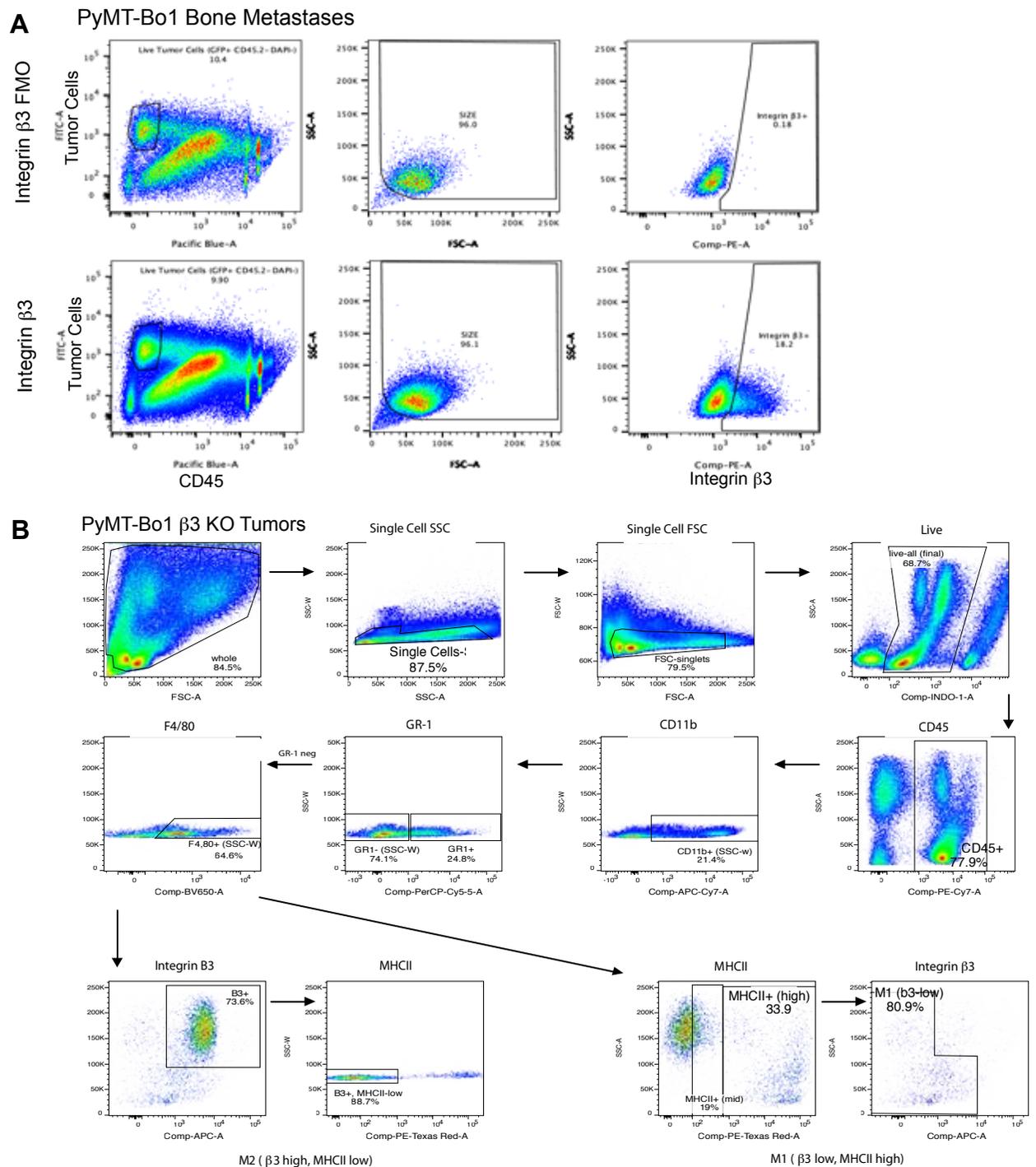


Figure S3. Flow cytometry analysis of immune populations isolated from mammary fat pad tumors established with the murine breast cancer cell line 4T1.GFP.FL.



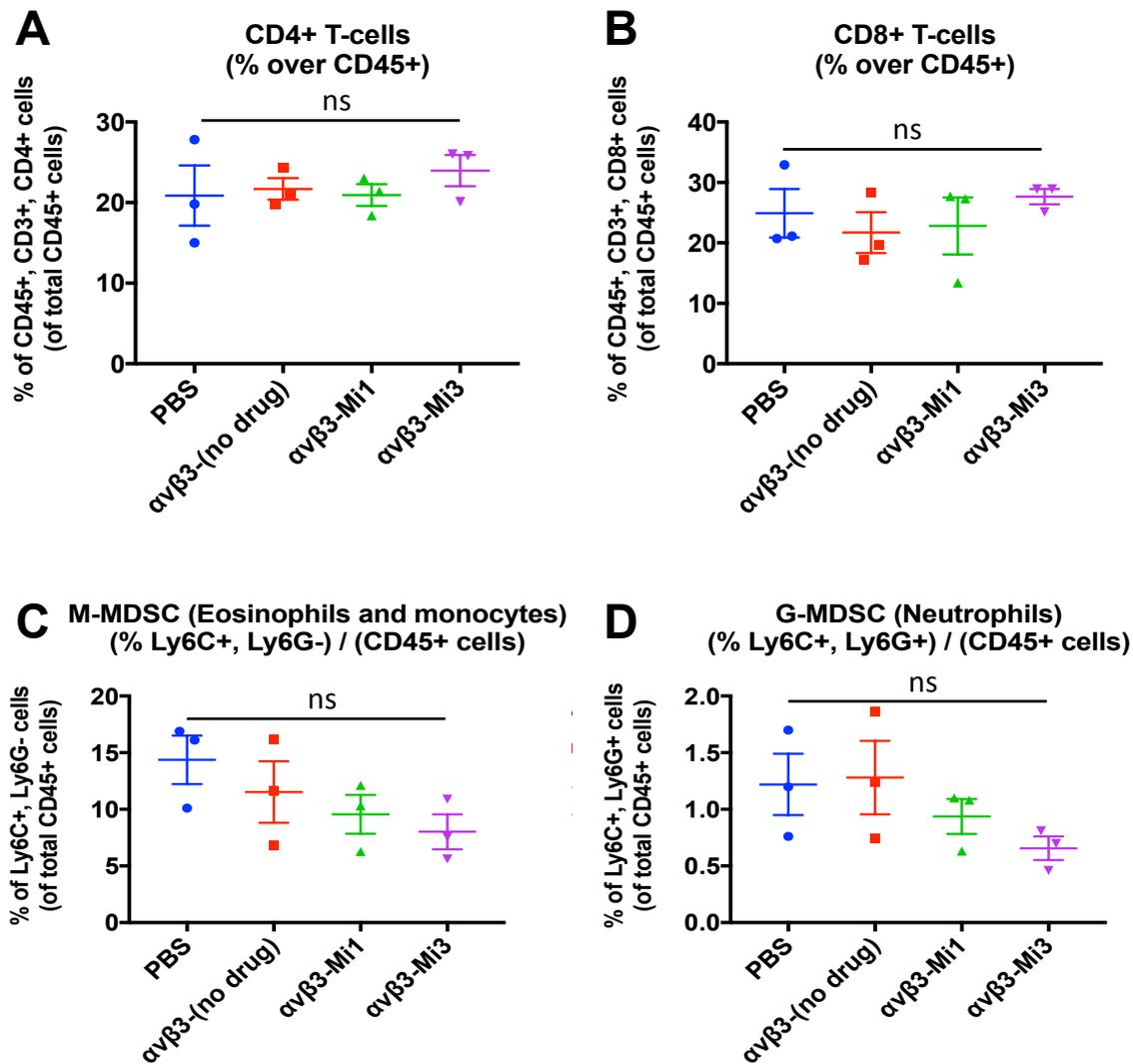


Figure S5.  $\alpha\beta 3$ -MI3-PD NP treated mammary fat pad tumors showed no significant difference in (A) CD4 T cells (B) CD8 T cells (C) M-MDSC or (D) G-MDSC immune cell populations.

| Description   | Gene name | Entrez ID       |
|---------------|-----------|-----------------|
| c-Myc         | MYC       | ENSG00000136997 |
| Max           | MAX       | ENSG00000125952 |
| Cytokeratin 7 | KRT7      | ENSG00000135480 |
| Cd11b         | CD11b     | ENSG00000169896 |
| CSF1 receptor | CSF1R     | ENSG00000182578 |
| CD47          | CD47      | ENSG00000196776 |

Table S1. RNA sequencing primers

| <b>Gene</b> | <b>Forward Primer</b> | <b>Reverse Primer</b> |
|-------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| c-Myc       | CCCTAGTGCTGCATGAGGA   | CCTCTTCTCCACAGACACCA  |
| Max         | ACCGAGGTTTCAATCTGCG   | AGTCCCGCAAACCTGTGAAAG |
| Actin       | CTGTATTCCCCTCCATCGTG  | CCTCGTCACCCACATAGGAG  |
| Wnt5a       | TCAGGACCACATGCAGTACAT | TGTCCACTGTGCTGCAGTTC  |
| AKAP12      | TGCAATCTGCTTTGTCTTGG  | GCCAGTGAAGAACATGAGCA  |
| MAOA        | GCCAGGAACGGAAATTTGTA  | TCTCAGGTGGAAGCTCTGGT  |
| MRC1        | GCAAATGGAGCCGTCTGTGC  | CTCGTGGATCTCCGTGACAC  |
| PCSK5       | AGTAGGTTGACTGGGACTGG  | AGATCGCATAGCCAGCAAGT  |

Table S2. Murine RT-PCR Primers

| <b>Target</b>  | <b>Fluorophore</b> | <b>Antibody</b>    |
|----------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| CD45           | PE-Cy7             | Clone: 104         |
| CD11b          | APC-efluor780      | Clone: M1/70       |
| GR1            | PerCP-Cy5.5        | Clone: RB6-8C5     |
| F4/80          | BV650              | Clone: BM8         |
| MHCII          | PE/Dazzle 594      | Clone: M5-114.15.2 |
| CD206          | BV421              | Clone: C068C2      |
| Integrin B3    | AF647              | Clone: 2C9.G2      |
| Tumor Cell     | GFP                |                    |
| Live/Dead Blue | 450/50             |                    |

Table S3. Antibody panel for flow cytometry analysis of cell populations derived from mammary fat pad tumors.

## Supplemental Methods

The present manuscript focuses on the effectiveness of cMYC-MAX dimer antagonism to reduce the influence of tumor promoting M2 macrophages within the TAM population. This brief summary provides the reader access to some of the scientific literature regarding perfluorocarbon nanoparticles (PFC) and the drug delivery mechanism, we term contact-facilitated drug delivery. Note that the references for this section are cited below, separate for those of the paper proper.

The medical history of perfluorocarbon (PFC) and PFC emulsions has an extensive scientific literature dating back to 1966 [1]. PFCs are chemically at ground state and nonreactive [2]. They are neither hydrophilic or lipophilic [2]. PFC particle sizes are therefore very stable, dependent on the surfactants. They do not imbibe water and swell. Over time, the degradation of PFC particles occurs by a process known as Ostwald ripening. Ostwald ripening occurs when components of a discontinuous phase (PFC particles) diffuse through the continuous phase (aqueous media) from smaller to larger droplets. PFC emulsions have long shelf-lives at room temperature, which afforded the use in clinical studies. PFC nanoparticles have high biocompatibility because PFCs are unreactive and unmetabolized in the body [3]. This is due to the dense electron cloud surrounding the C-F bonds. PFC, PFOB (perfluorooctylbromide) in this manuscript, are eliminated, in man, as PFC gas through the lungs. While chemically inert, PFOB and other PFCs have the capacity to dissolve oxygen, which was dramatically demonstrated by liquid-ventilation, i.e., liquid breathing, in rodents in 1966 [1]. Continued research with PFC emulsions (nanoparticles, [NP]) [4-10] led to a seminal clinical demonstration of improved pulmonary function in neonatal infants suffering with respiratory distress syndrome [11]. These fragile neonates received intratracheal PFC NP and experienced improved respiratory function with negligible adverse effects [11]. However, during clinical testing, artificial

lung surfactant replacement technology emerged as a competitive concept and quickly displaced the intratracheal PFC approach.

Sterile PFOB emulsions were produced by Alliance Pharmaceuticals [3, 12, 13] and PFDCO (perfluorodichlorooctane) emulsions and developed by HemaGen/PFC [14]. Both formulations completed GLP safety and stability development and were produced by GMP manufacture for late stage clinical trials in the US and ex-US. These indications included neonates with respiratory distress and acute use as artificial blood substitutes. Unfortunately, the oxygen release profile of PFC nanoparticles did not mimic the hysteresis of hemoglobin dissociation curves exhibited by erythrocytes. Consequently, they failed to provide adequate oxygen delivery to ischemic tissues.

Over the last 25 years, PFC NPs have been extensively explored in both preclinical and clinical realms. Initial applications involved IV administration of the vascular-constrained PFC NP for blood pool imaging (MR, ultrasound, CT), reticuloendothelial (RES) organ imaging, gastrointestinal imaging [15-22], inflammation imaging [15-22] and cell tracking [23]. Lanza, Wickline, et al were the first to functionalize PFC nanoparticles for molecular imaging and later drug delivery (i.e., so-called theranostics) for many pathologies [24-34]. Kereos, Inc., co-founded by the Lanza/Wickline lab, translated two  $\alpha v \beta 3$ -PFC pharmaceutical candidates to the clinic: one in Australia (Dr. Hodsman, Melbourne, VIC, PRO-KI02-06-0308-0162.00, 2008) and the other in the US (IND# 108320, Dr. Rich, Washington University Medical School). These GMP particles underwent extensive CMC characterization as well as formal GLP stability, toxicology and efficacy in multiple species. The PFC nanoparticles studied in the present manuscript are the same as those that developed for the clinic. However, in the present manuscript a very small amount (5 mol%) of Sn2 prodrug is included in the phospholipid membrane.

The spherical appearance of targeted PFC nanoparticles has been presented with scanning electron microscopy (SEM) bound to fibrin-rich thrombus [35] to upregulated tissue factor on proliferating vascular smooth muscle cells [36], and to various cell types showing the hemifusion mechanism of CFDD. A TEM photomicrograph of  $\alpha\beta3$ -PFOB-MYC-PD NP, as used in this manuscript, was previously reported in 2015 by Pan et al. [37].

The concept of contact facilitated drug delivery (CFDD) has been a cornerstone of our drug delivery efforts since 2002 [38]. We have reviewed the concept in detail and published several papers demonstrating how the mechanism bypasses the endosomal pathway [39-43] by fusing with the outer leaflet of the target cell. These studies were demonstrated with fluorescent phosphatidylethanolamine membrane biomarkers, fusogenic cytolytic peptides, and phosphatidylcholine Sn 2 cyanine dyes and doxorubicin prodrugs and have imaging data examples using fluorescent microscopy, confocal fluorescent microscopy, fluorescent life-time imaging, single molecule super high resolution microscopy and electron microscopy (SEM) are presented.

As mentioned previously, the systemic clearance of PFC nanoparticles is via the reticuloendothelial system with eventual elimination by exhalation in man. The accumulation of PFC in the spleen and livers of patients and animal models was known since systemic studies were performed [3, 14, 44]. At very high doses used for artificial blood, the particles elicited flu-like symptoms due to cytokine release from engorged phagocytes, which was sometimes ameliorated with adjunctive steroids or nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory medications in patients. Phagocytosis by macrophages leads to enzymatic metabolism of surfactant components. However, the subset of particles that home to the  $\alpha\beta3$ -integrin presented by the M2-like macrophages undergo rapid irreversible membrane fusion and direct translocation of the prodrug into the cells, by passing the phagocytic pathway.

The development of the Sn 2 prodrugs in the context of CFDD in our lab occurred when pharmacokinetic studies tracking fumagillin and other drugs relative to the PFC core and the

$\alpha\beta$ 3-homing ligand in circulation using HPLC-MS/MS showed inadequate retention of the dissolved drugs [45]. After extensive testing of different prodrug concepts, a Sn 2 approach was adopted to embed and protect the drugs in the lipid membrane during circulation and to release the drug into the cytosol after targeting and membrane hemifusion.

Prior research on Sn2 lipids was first conceived by David Thompson and further developed by Thomas Andressen et al in the context of liposomes as reviewed in Pan et al [46]. The use of this prodrug approach failed with liposomes, which required polyethylene glycol coatings to extend circulatory half-life. It was effective for nonpegylated PFC nanoparticles for two reasons. The first was that natural phospholipid membrane are resistant to water, including liposomes, unless they are pegylated. Pegylation creates a water corona around the particle that wicks into the membrane, allowing enzymes access to the glycerol ester bonds. This initiates rapid premature drug release. The second, specifically for PFC particles, is the fact, demonstrated by computational simulation of the particle self-assembly process, which indicated that the perfluorocarbon core penetrates between the phospholipids to the particle-water interface [47]. Water is immiscible with PFC; almost nothing is miscible in PFC. We have previously demonstrated that the Sn2-lipase labile prodrugs (docetaxel) are stable in PFOB particles using dissolution with HPLC [48]. Only after the PFC nanoparticle is "cracked" with isopropyl alcohol in the presence of plasma or excess phospholipase enzyme can the prodrug be metabolized.

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