



# Travelers' Diarrhea Vaccine Patch

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➤ **INFLUENZA**

Learn more about Iomai's needle-free influenza vaccine programs



➤ **PANDEMIC (AVIAN) FLU**

Learn more about immunostimulant (IS) patches for use with vaccines for pandemic influenza.

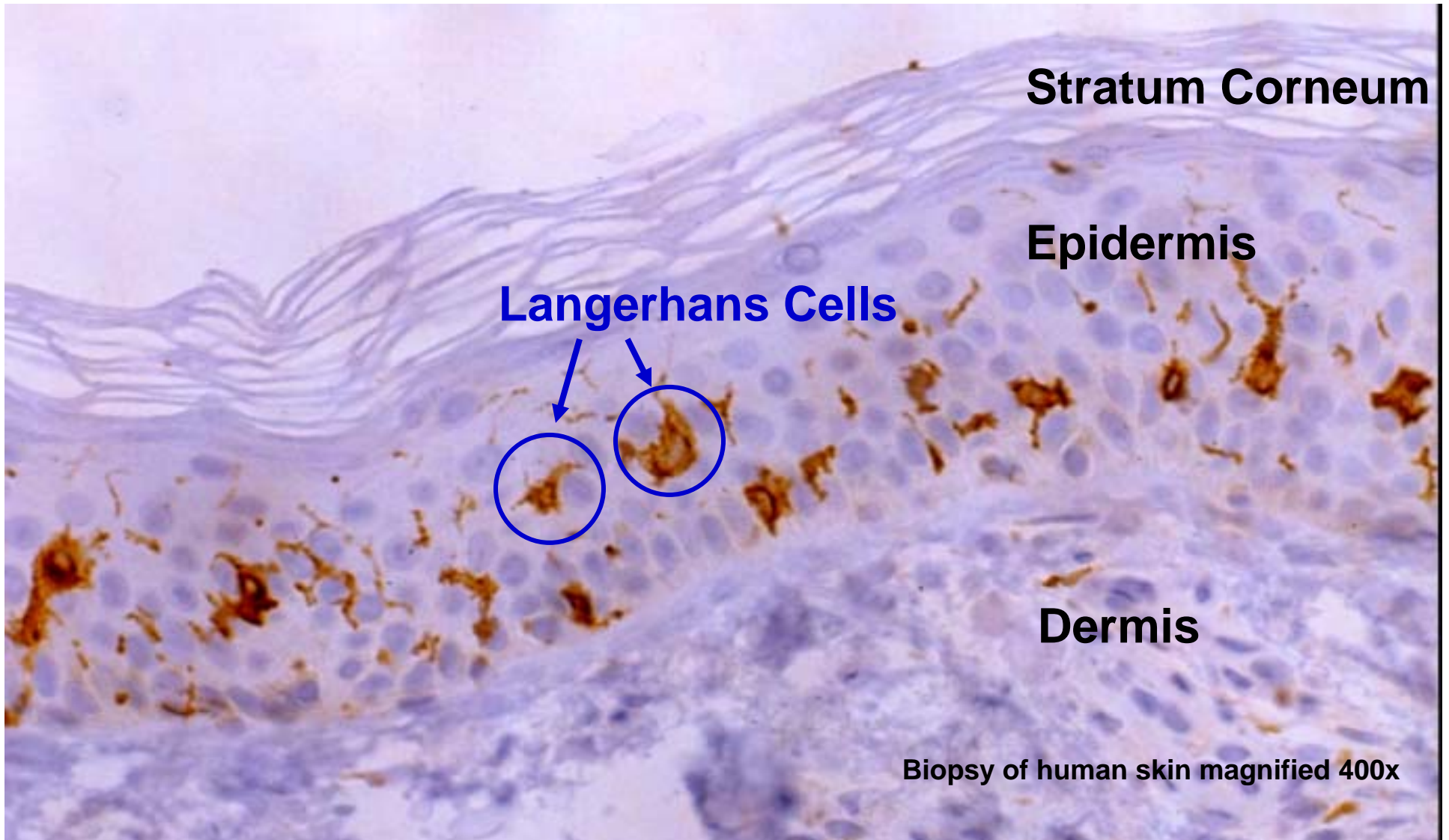


➤ **TRAVELERS' DIARRHEA**

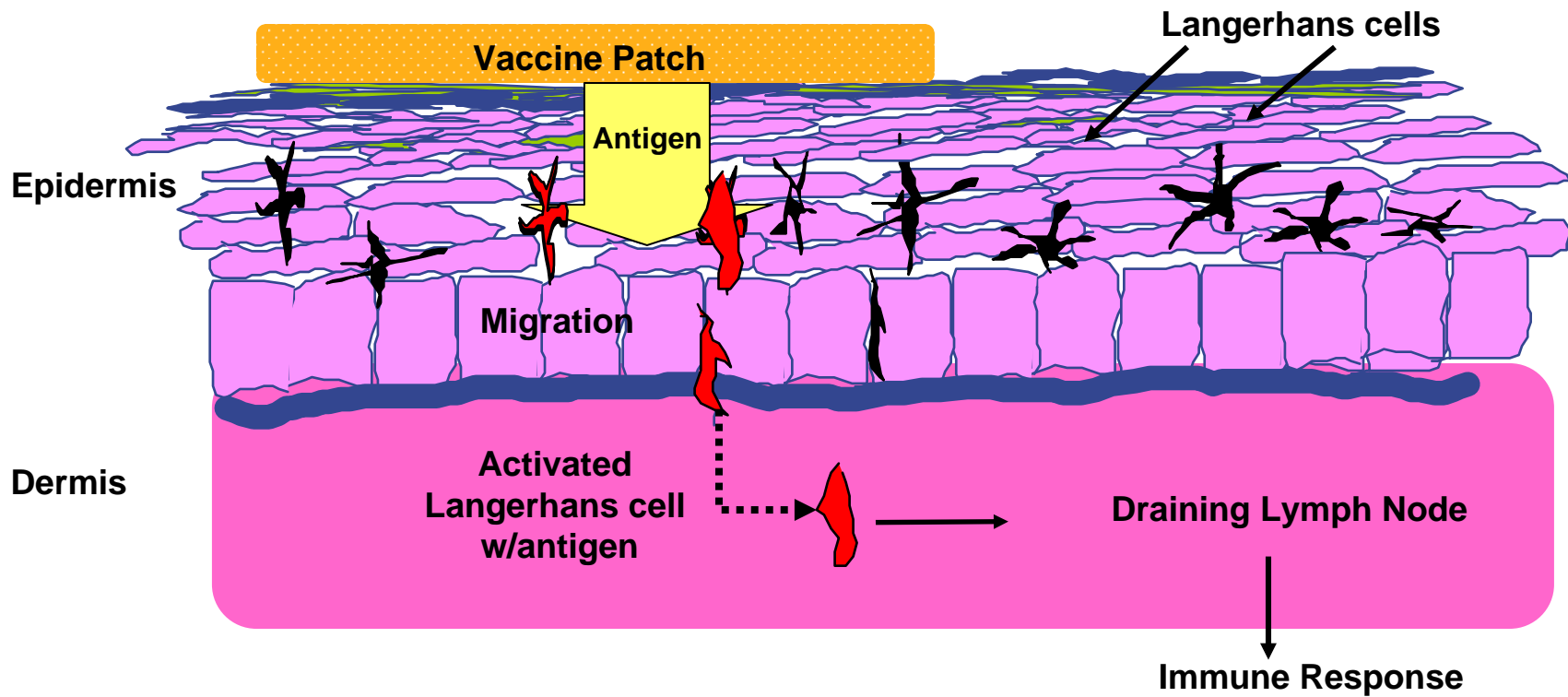
Learn more about the prevention of travelers' diarrhea caused by enterotoxigenic E. coli bacteria (ETEC).

- **Biologic basis for transcutaneous immunization (TCI)**
- **Rationale for toxin-based ETEC vaccine**
- **Patch technology characteristics**
  - **Stability**
  - **Ease of use**
  - **Immunogenicity profile and comparability**
  - **Self application**
- **Current and future clinical efforts**

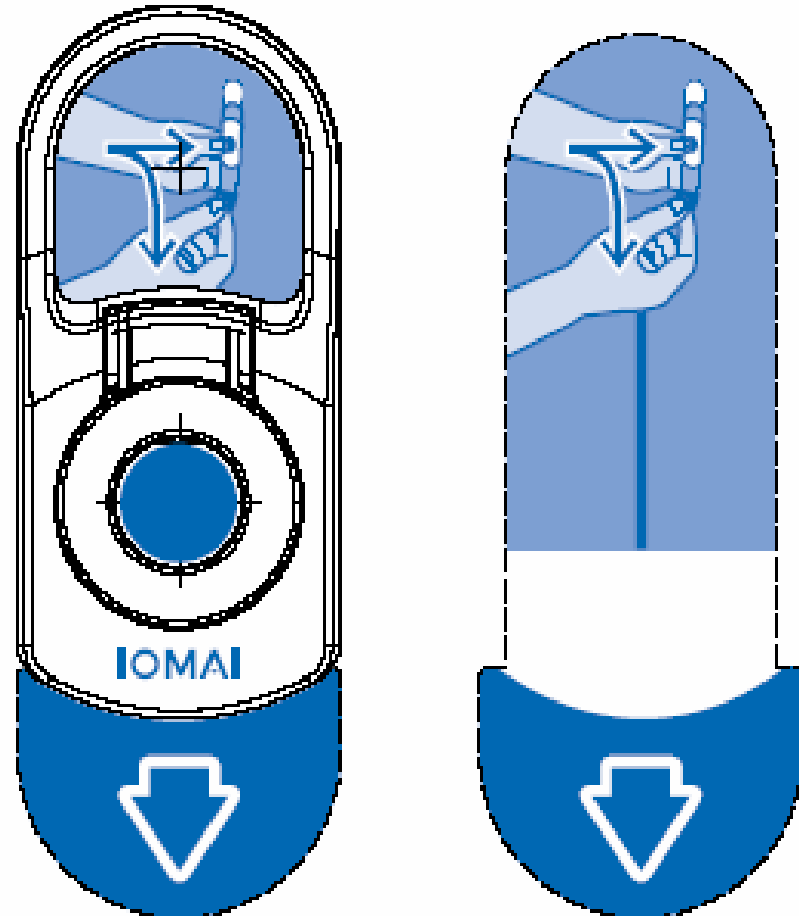
# Biologic Basis for TCI



# TCI: Skin Delivery of Vaccines

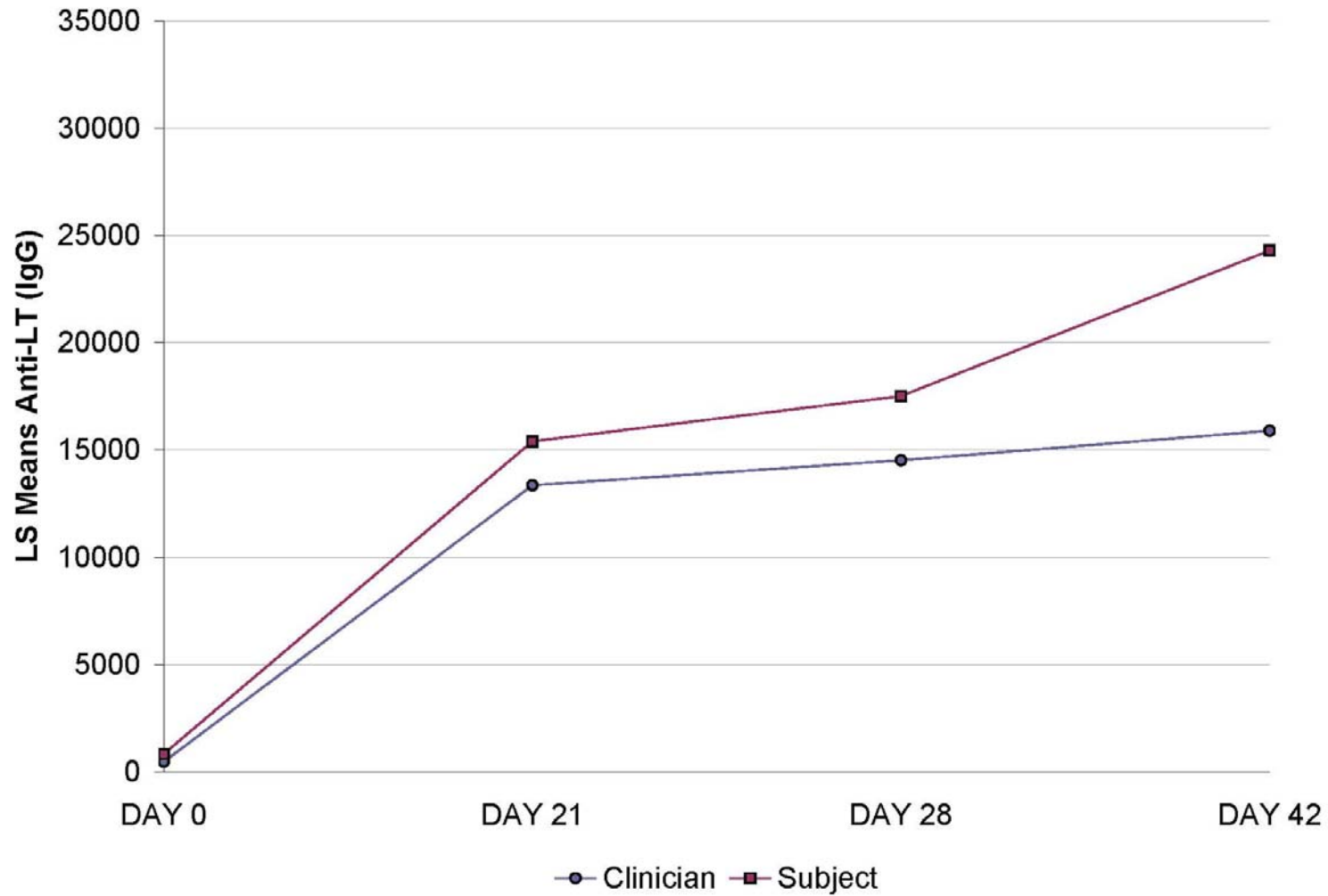


- **Disrupts the stratum corneum**
  - Minimizes physical barrier
  - Enhances water loss that hydrates patch
- **Engineered for consistency**
- **Easy to use**
- **Marks (ink) skin to aid patch**
- **Performance is reproducible between subjects**
- **Simple, non-event for recipients placement**
- **Self-application**





# Self vs. Clinician



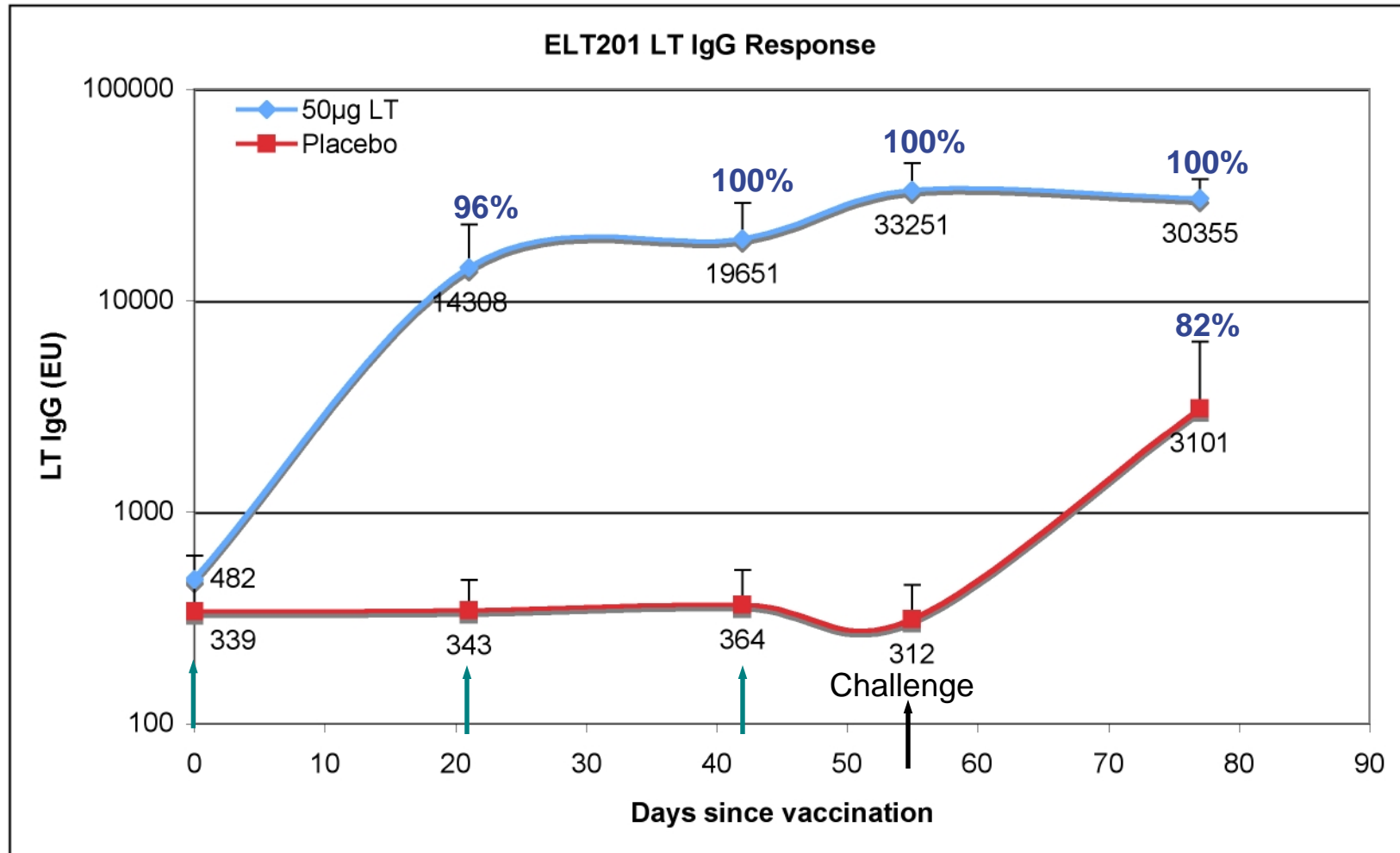
# Safety of TCI on the skin

- **>30 clinical trials using LT in a patch**
  - **Approximately 3500 subjects**
  - **Good safety profile with no associated systemic adverse events**
- **Skin-provides ideal immune environment and high margin of safety**

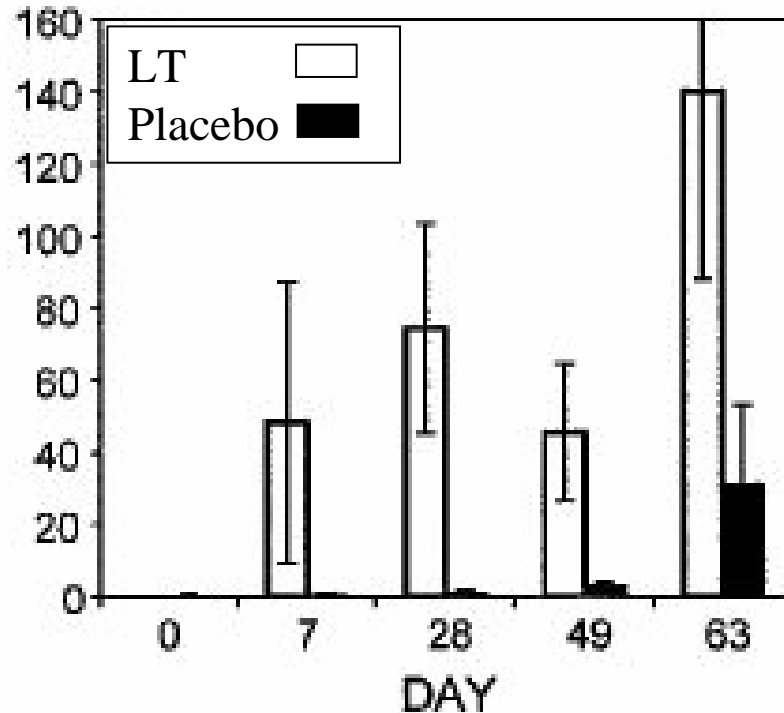
# Rationale for Toxin-Based ETEC Vaccine

- **LT antibodies neutralize toxin effects**
- **Natural Immunity**
- **Immunity in the Experimental Setting**
  - **Active and passive immunity (preclinical)**
  - **Anti-toxin immunity (field)**
    - **Whole Cell/rCTB**
- **TCI LT challenge trial data demonstrated disease modification**  
**(McKenzie et al, Vaccine 2007)**

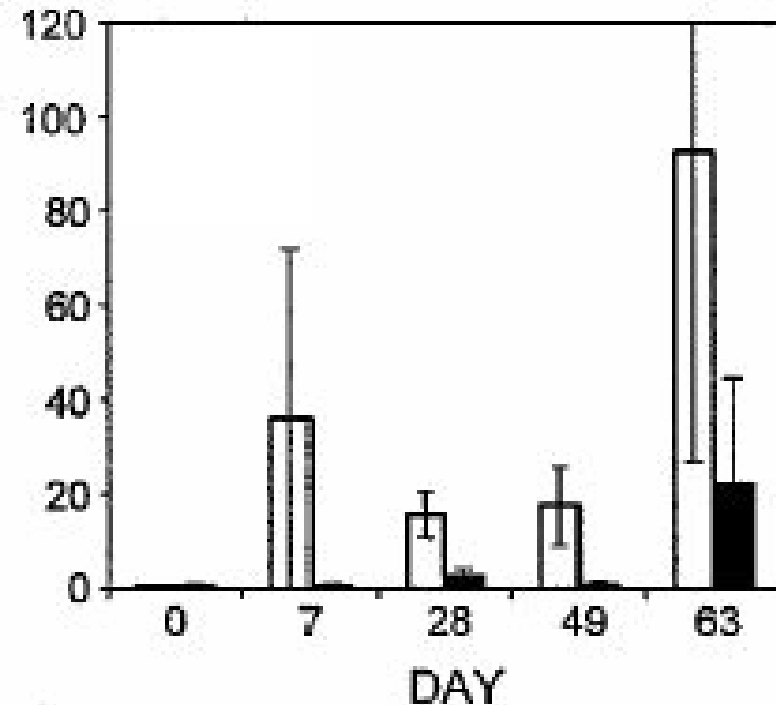
# LT Patch Induces Immunity Superior to Live ETEC Challenge



# Challenge Trial LT ASCs



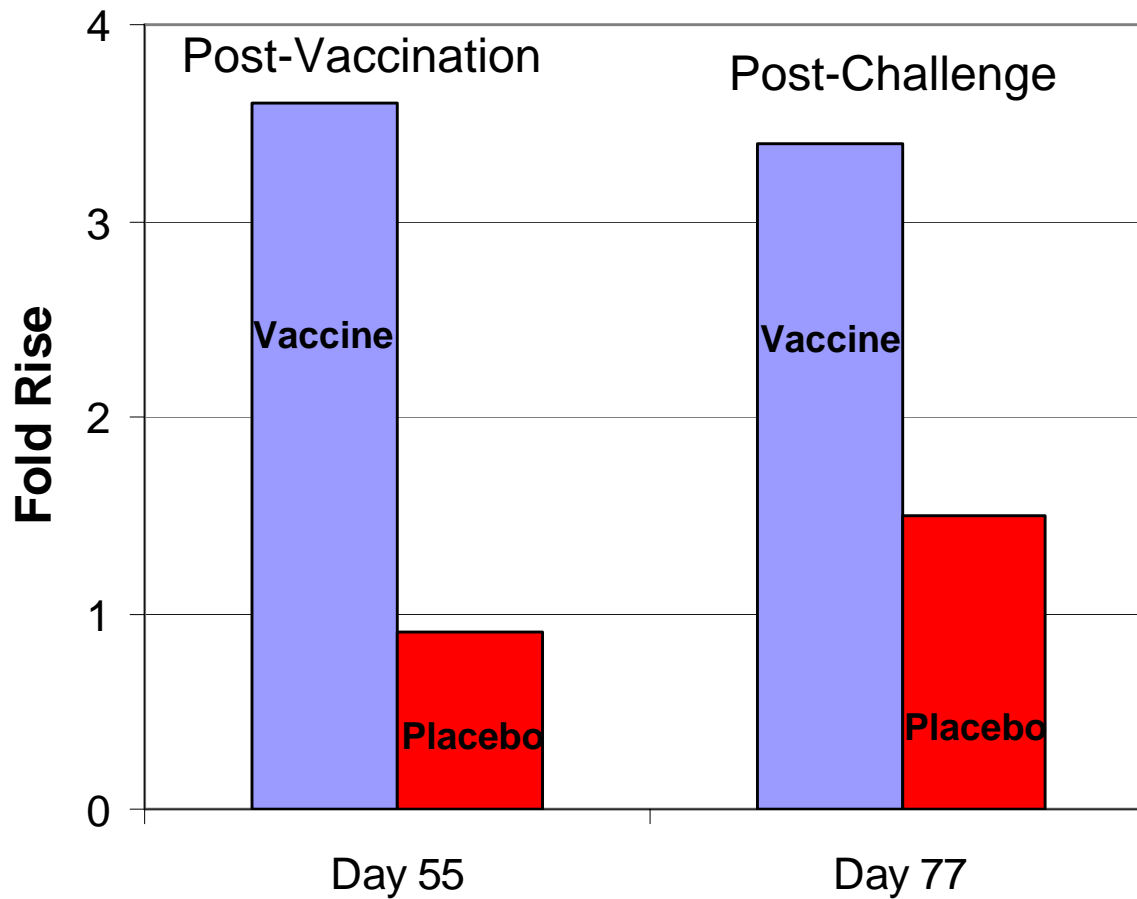
LT IgG ASCs



LT IgA ASCs

- Blood taken 7-10 days post dose or challenge
- Post challenge, the number of ASCs for vaccinees was 8-10 fold higher

## ELT201 Fecal IgA



- **Safety, robust immunogenicity**
- **96% had grade 3-5 stools (diarrhea)**
  - 20/20 placebos and 25/27 vaccinees
- **Vaccine effects:**
  - **Decreased number of loose stools per subject in vaccinees vs placebo**
    - 6.8 (range 2-15) vs 9.7(3-39), p=0.035
  - **Decreased average stool weight per subject in vaccinees vs placebo**
    - 840g (range 389-2033g) vs 1147g (range 506-4508g), p=0.0499
  - **Decreased need for IV fluids**
    - 14% (vaccine) vs. 40% (placebo), p = 0.03
    - Given to subjects who were on course to dehydrating disease

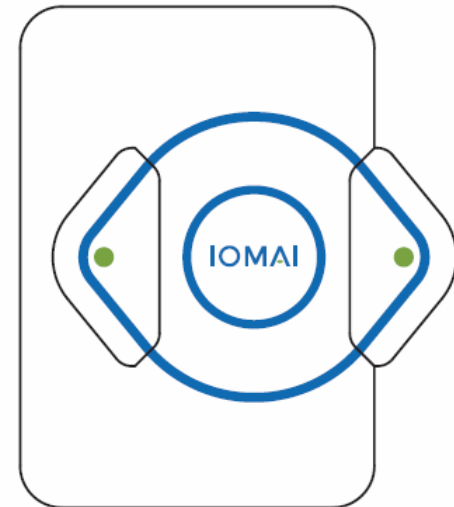


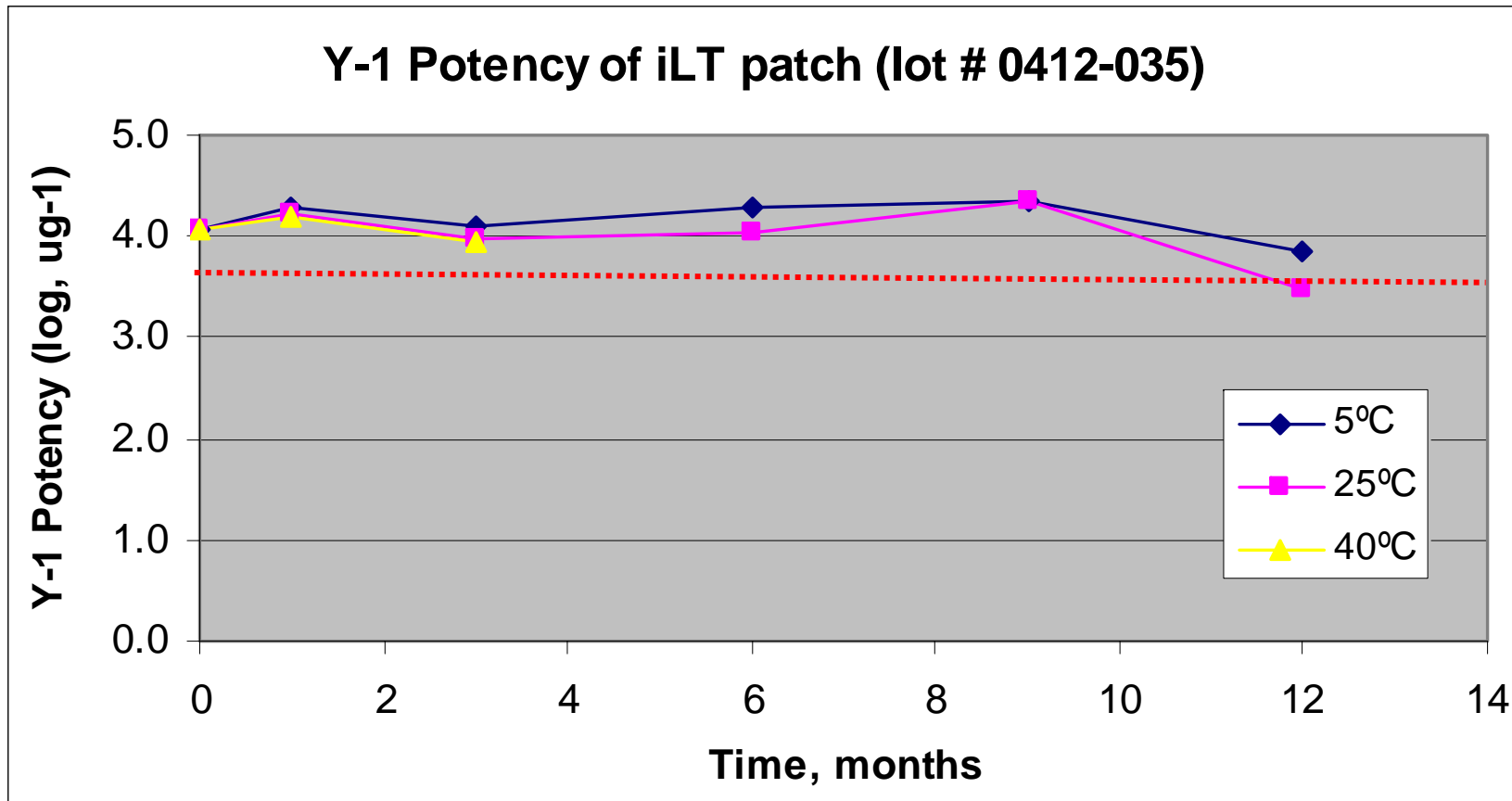
# Patch Technology Characteristics

**Patches**

**Skin Prep System**

- **Simple, reliable application**
- **Dry, stable formulation**
- **Consistent delivery, even at low doses**





**Y-1 potency of GMP 50ug LT patches**

- **Double blind, placebo controlled dose ranging study**
- **>400 subjects enrolled**
  - **Doses 7.5ug – 50ug**
- **Objective: Identify optimal dose for product**
- **Endpoints**
  - **Immunogenicity**
  - **Safety**

# LT IgG Results

	Dose Ranging Trial					Other Comparisons		
	7.5ug	22.5ug	37.5ug	50ug		WC/ rCTB(1)	Challenge(1)	Challenge(2)
<b>GMT (EU)</b>	9617	11667	20246	16549		6741	3245	3101
<b>Fold Rise</b>	19	19	36	32		3	11	9
<b>Sero- conversion</b>	95%	97%	100%	97%		54%	88%	82%

\*Data from three weeks after second vaccination

(1) Glenn et al, Infection and Immunity 2007

(2) McKenzie et al, Vaccine 2006

# Current Clinical Efforts

# Phase 2 Logistics Study

Group	# Subjects	LT dose ( $\mu\text{g}$ )
1	100	37.5
2	200	0

- Objectives:
  - ETEC epidemiology of travelers'
  - Evaluate Ph 3 infrastructure and study logistics
- Vaccinated twice
  - Travel to Mexico and Guatemala a minimum of 5 weeks after first vaccination
- Mexico and Latin American surveillance
  - Co-primary endpoints: placebo incidence of ETEC illness; safety
  - Secondary endpoints: vaccine immunogenicity, comparison of stool testing (DNA hybridization vs PCR)
- Preparation for Phase 3 2008

- **TCl elicits robust immune responses**
- **TCl technology for LT delivery is in an advanced stage**
  - **Ambient temperature stability**
  - **Simple application (self administration possible)**
- **Technology applicable for travelers and endemic pediatric diarrhea**
- **Ready for field testing**



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