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(54) **COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING ANTI-CD38  
ANTIBODIES AND CARFILZOMIB**

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**ABSTRACT**

Disclosed herein are compositions and kits which comprise  
anti-CD38 antibodies and carfilzomib compounds. Also dis-  
closed are methods for treating cancers, such as multiple  
myeloma, in subjects with the compositions and kits.

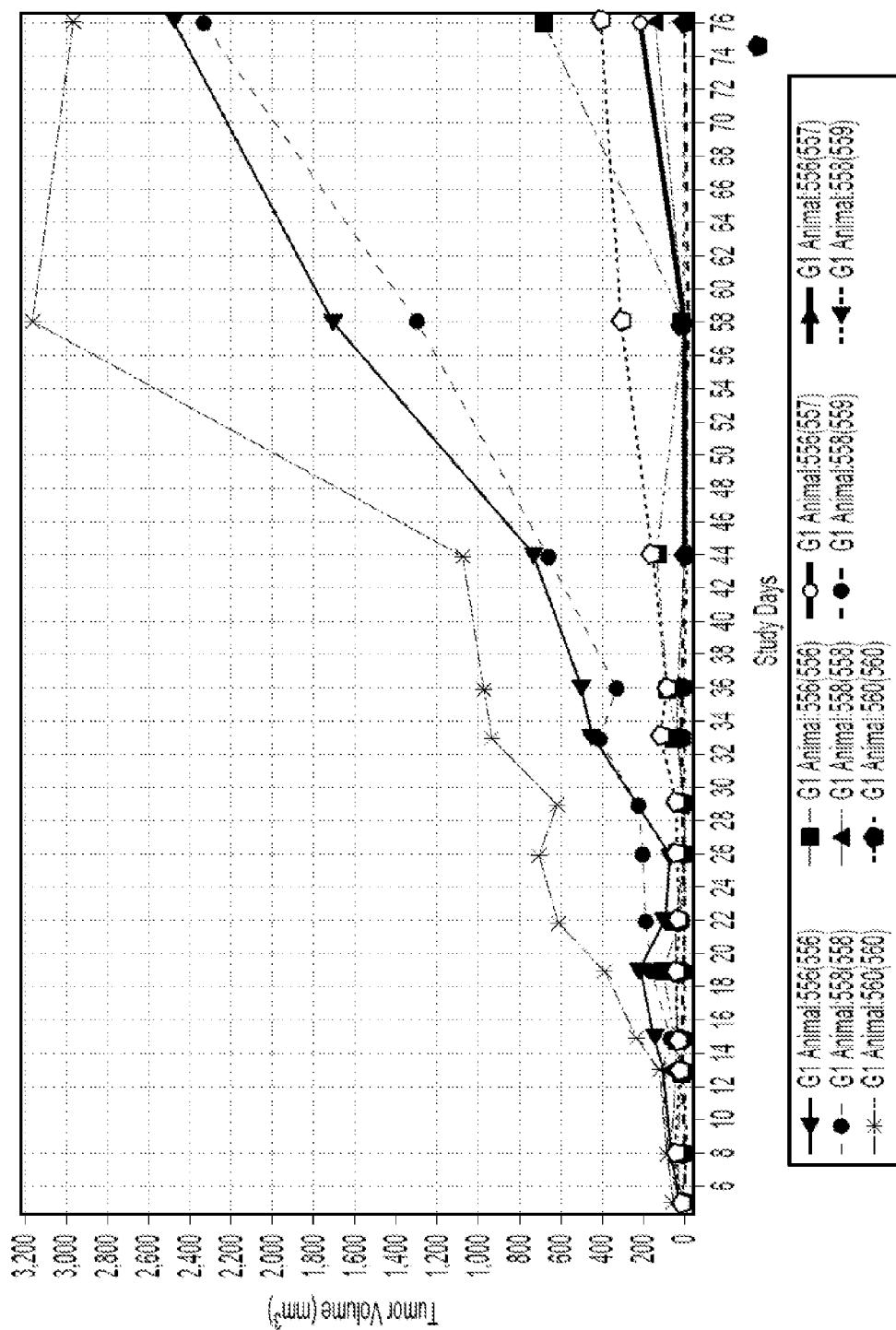


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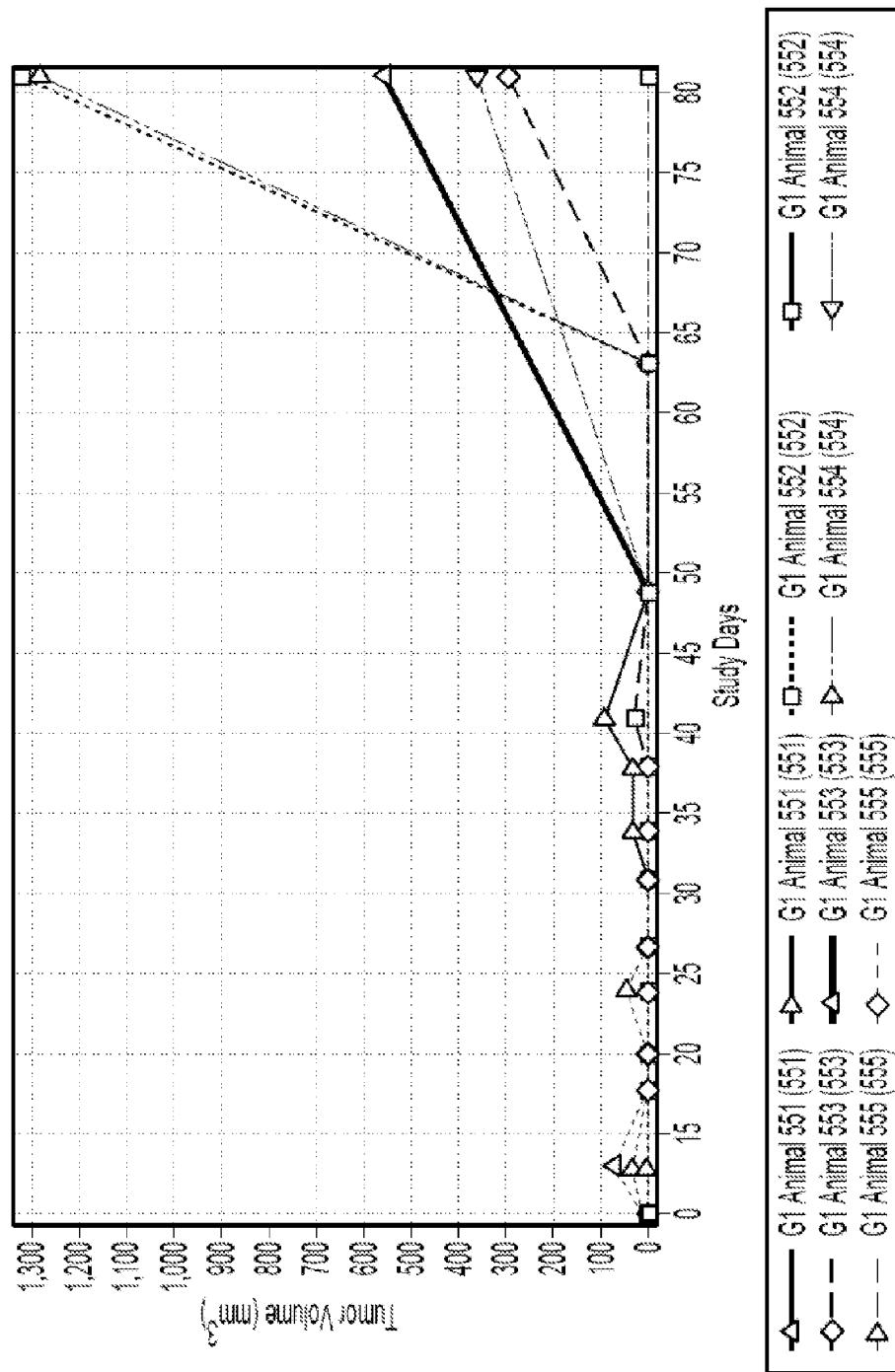


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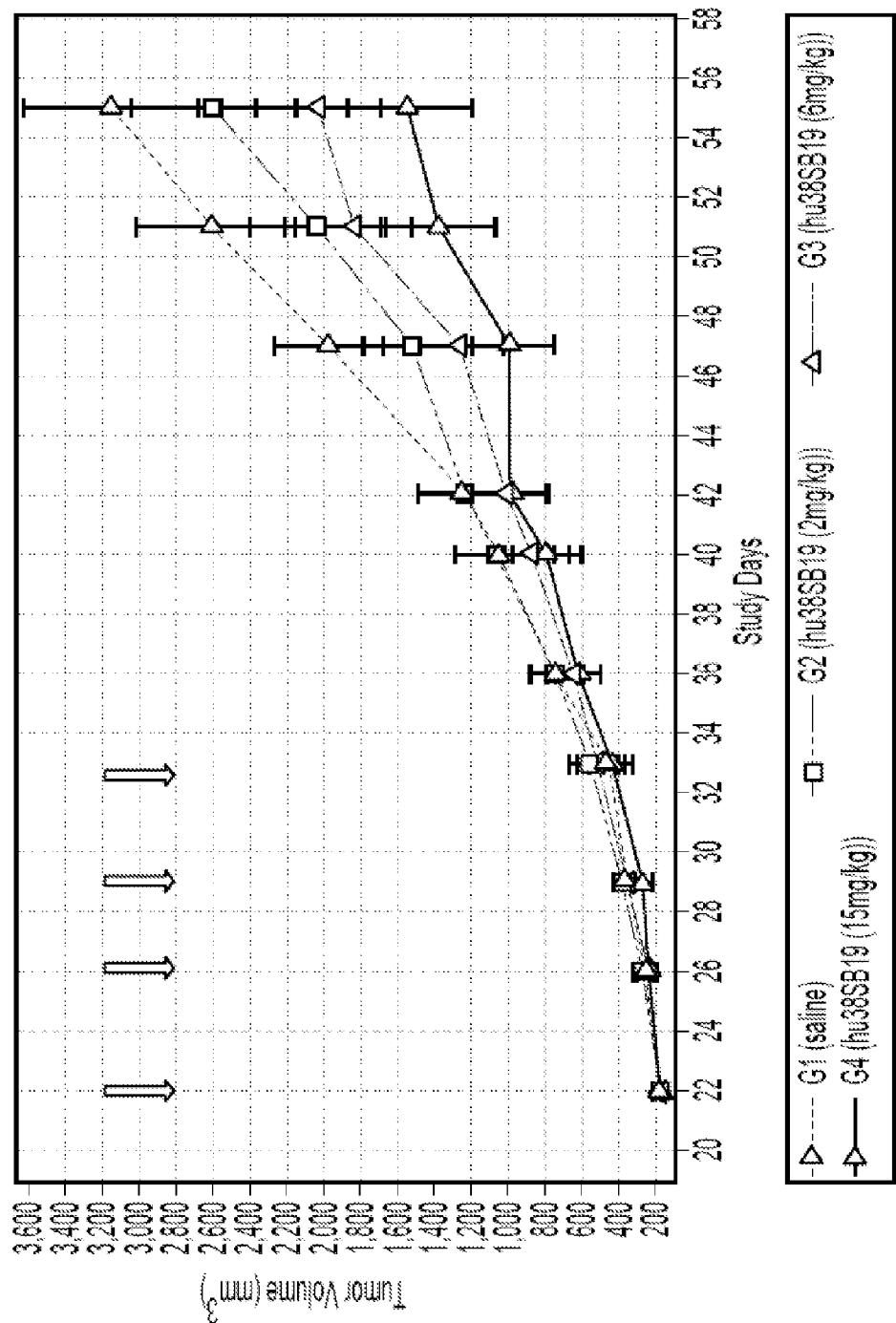


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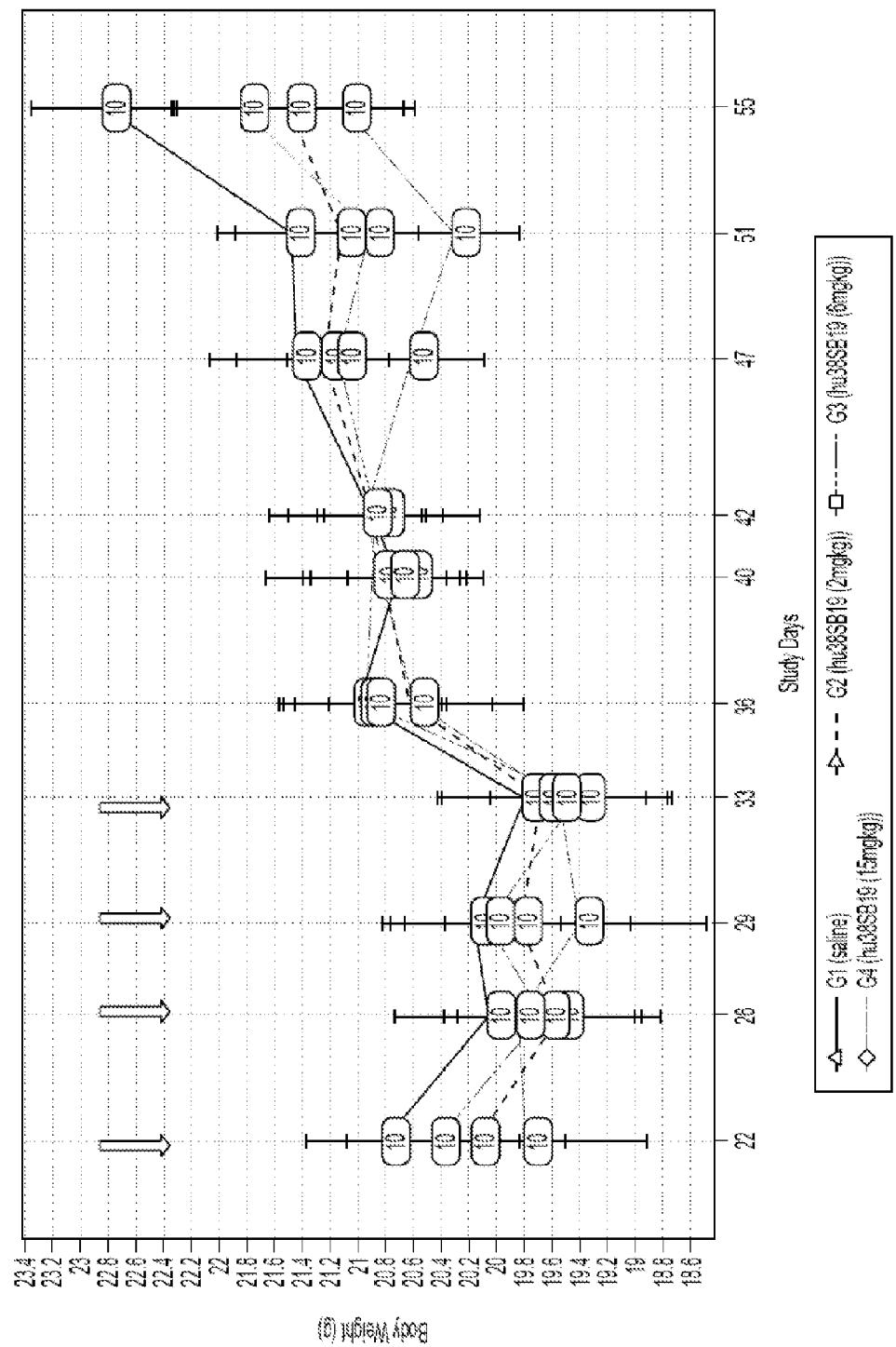


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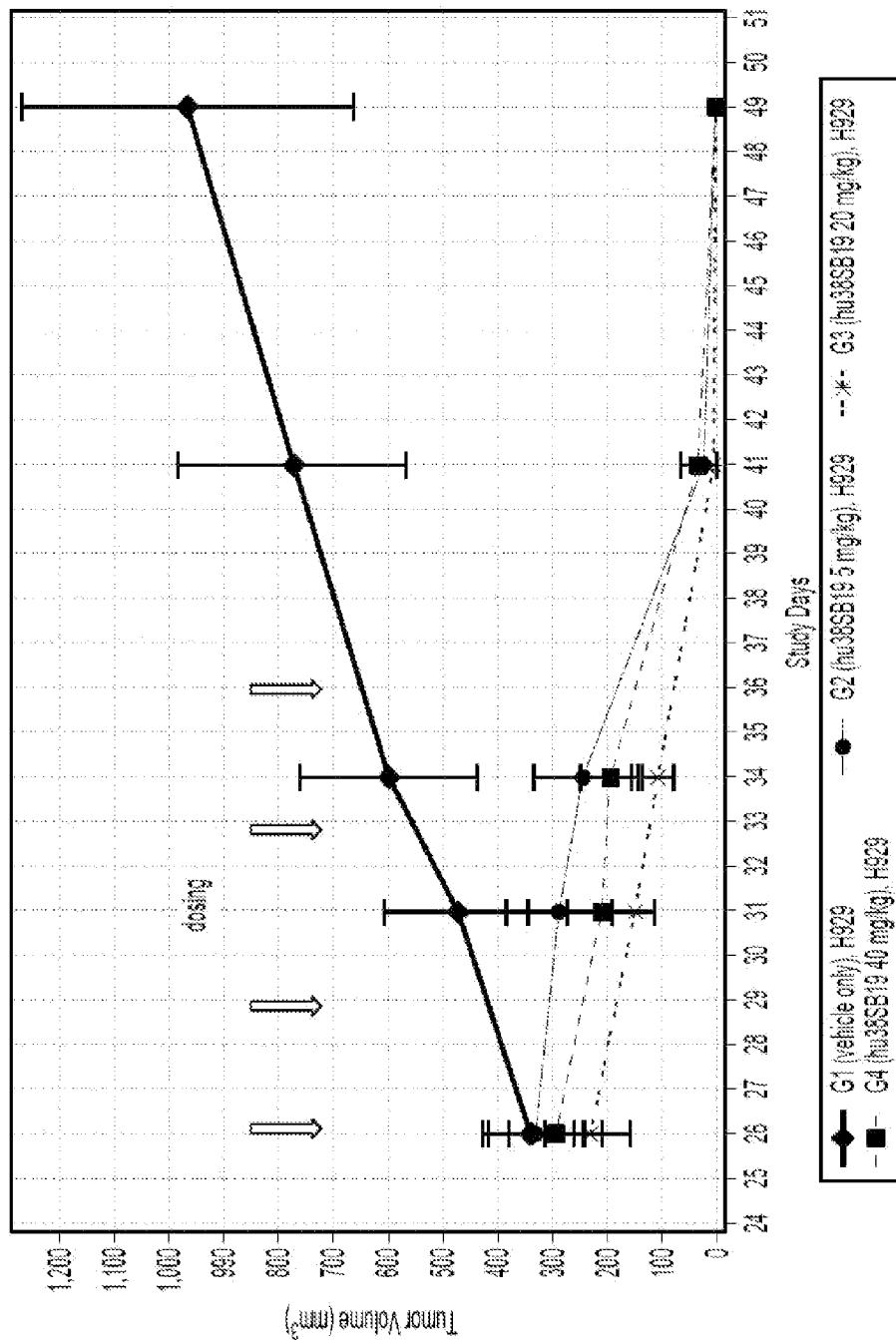


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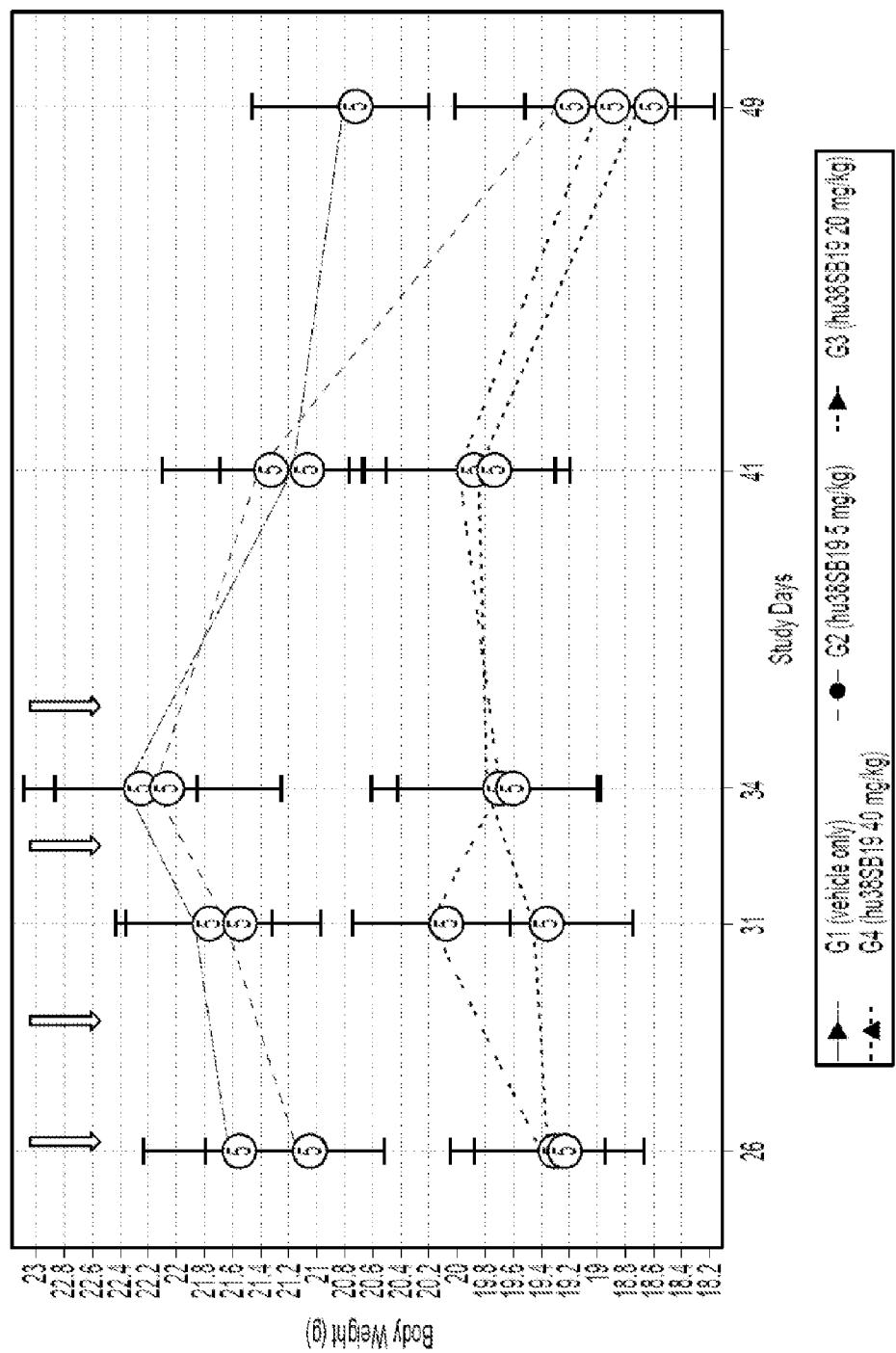


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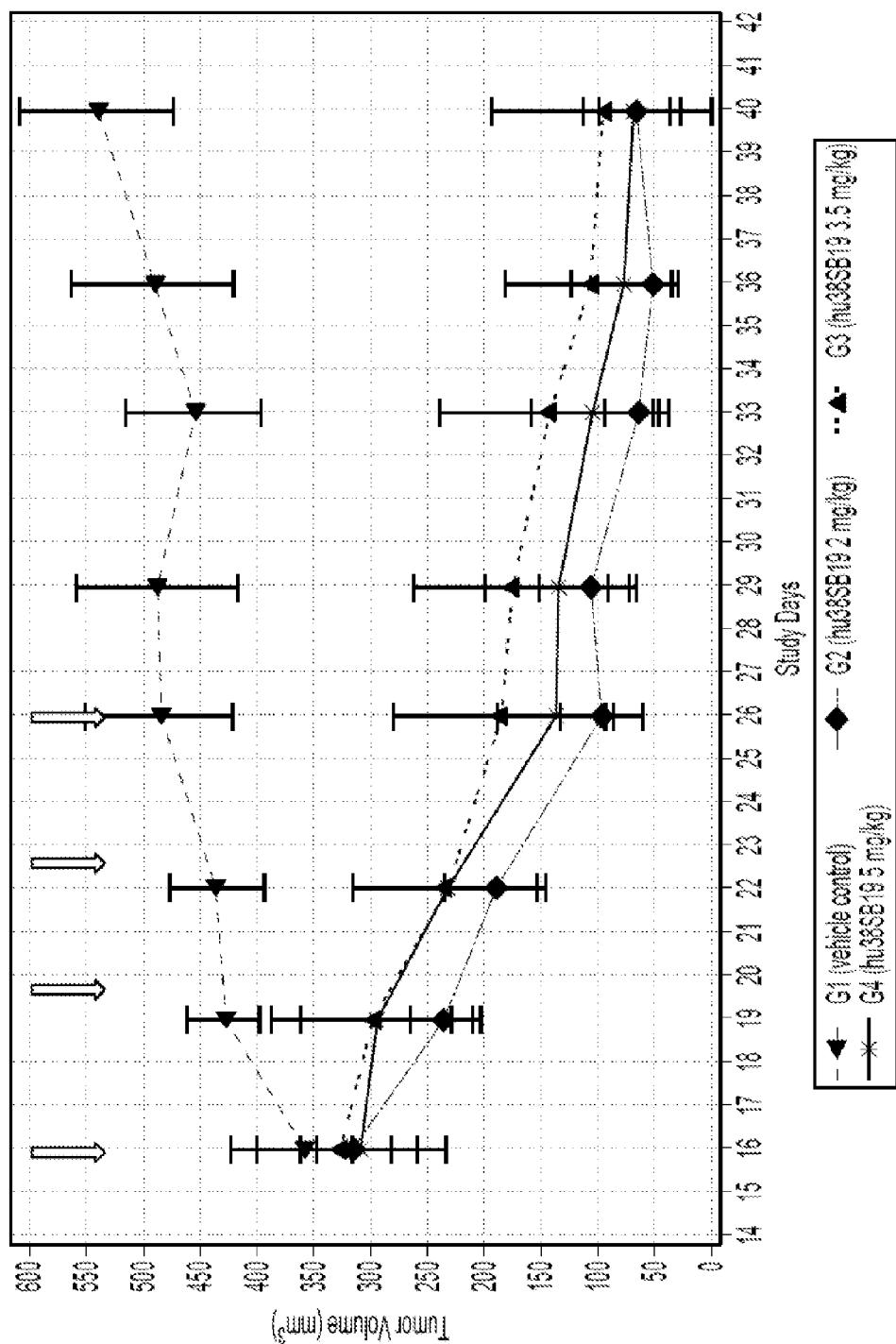


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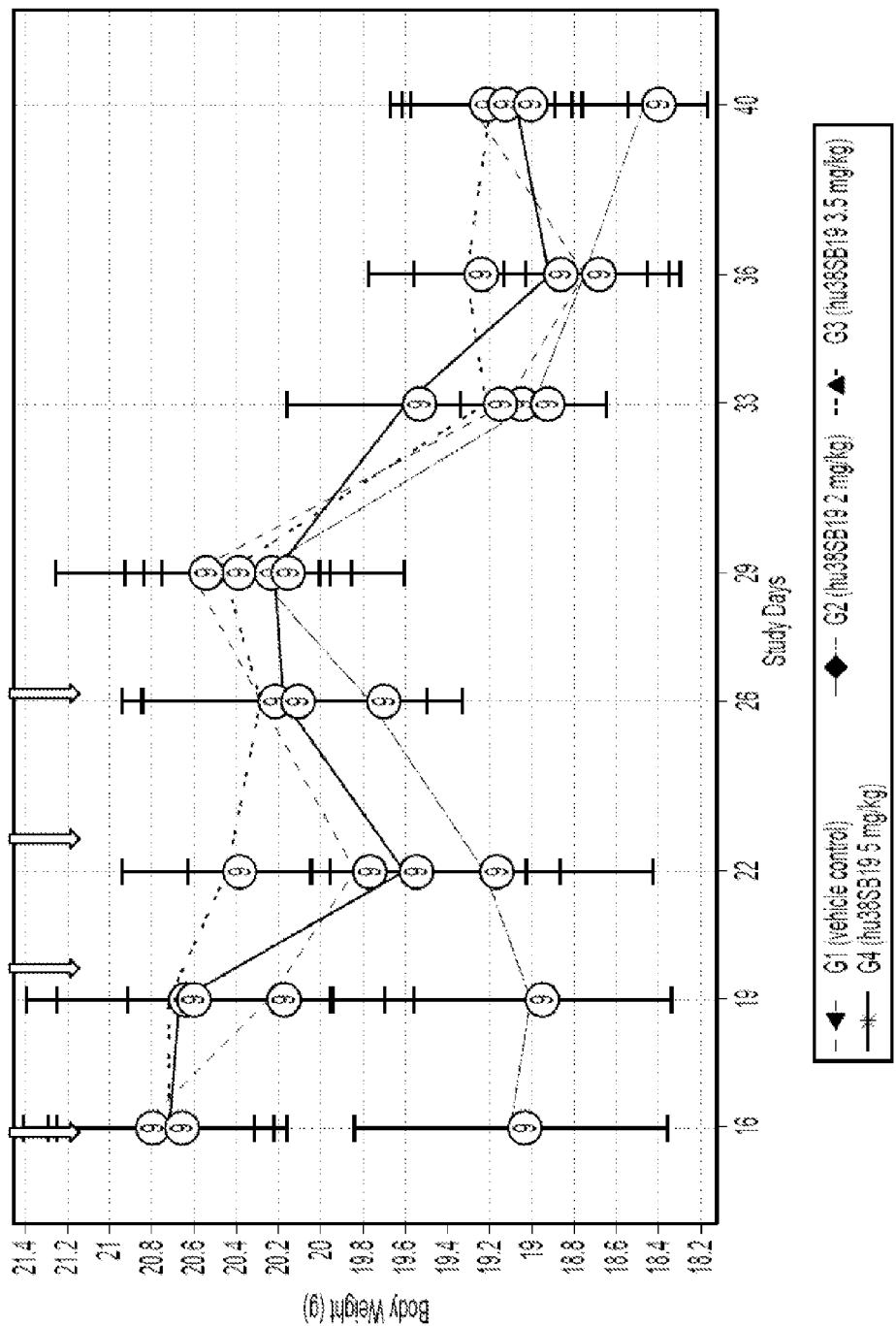


Fig. 4B

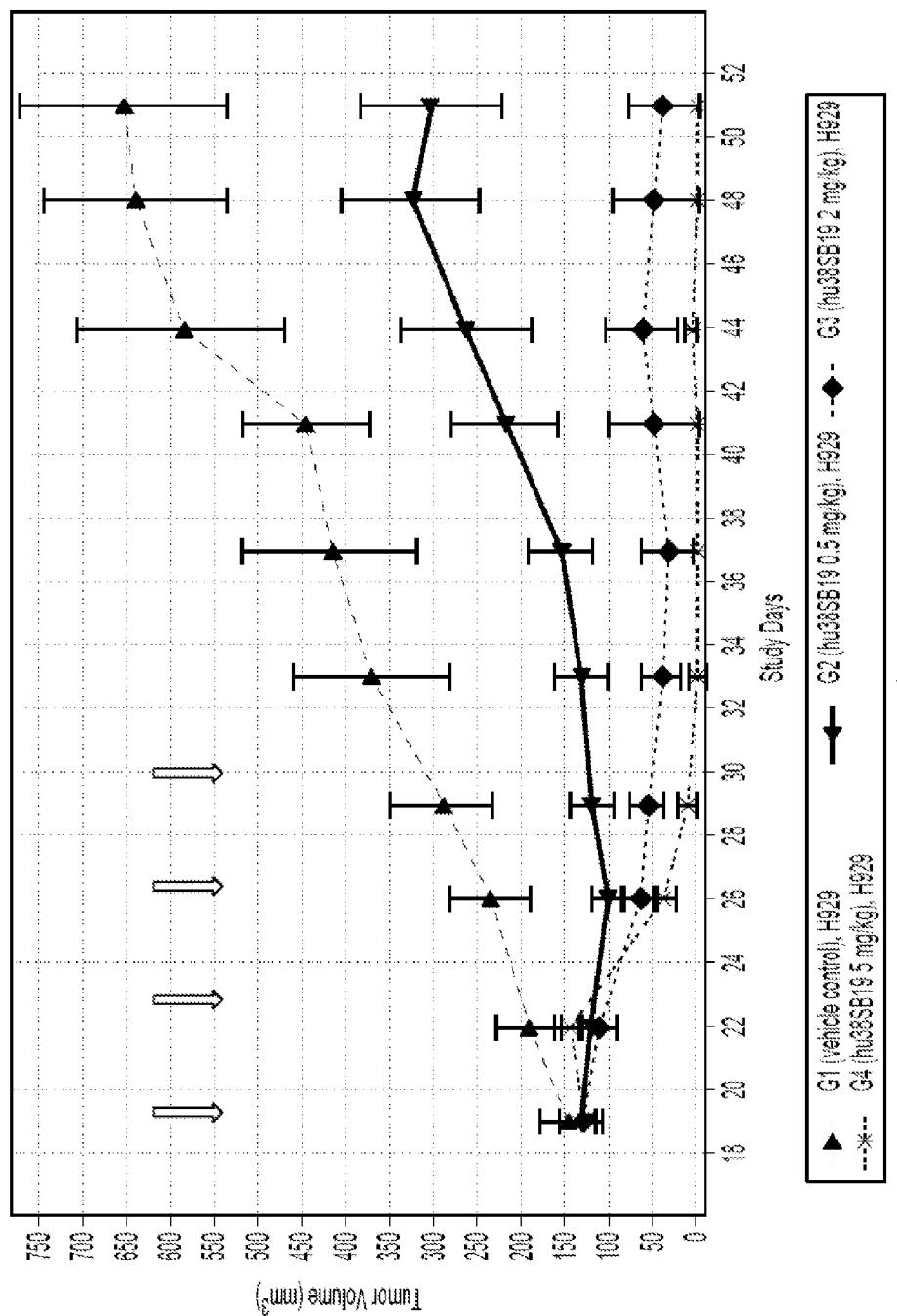


Fig. 5A

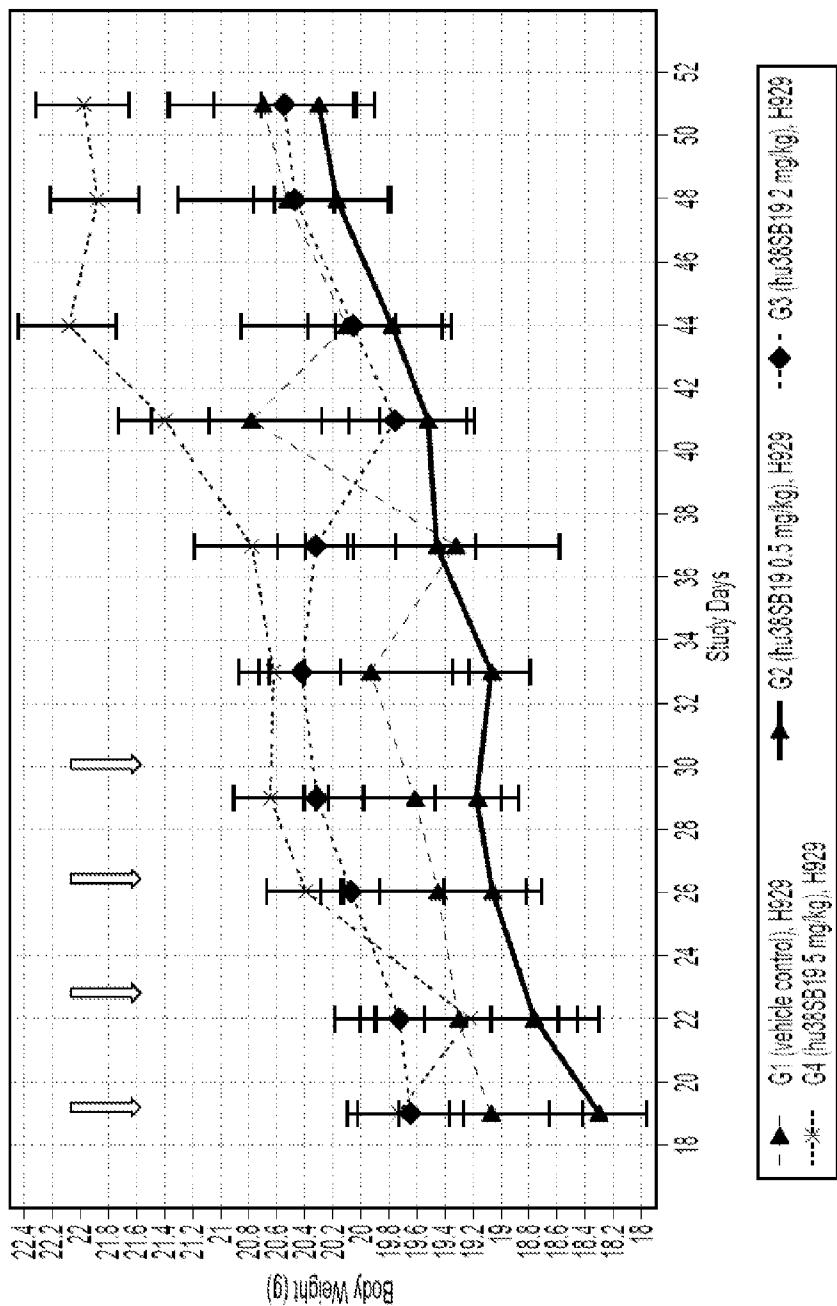


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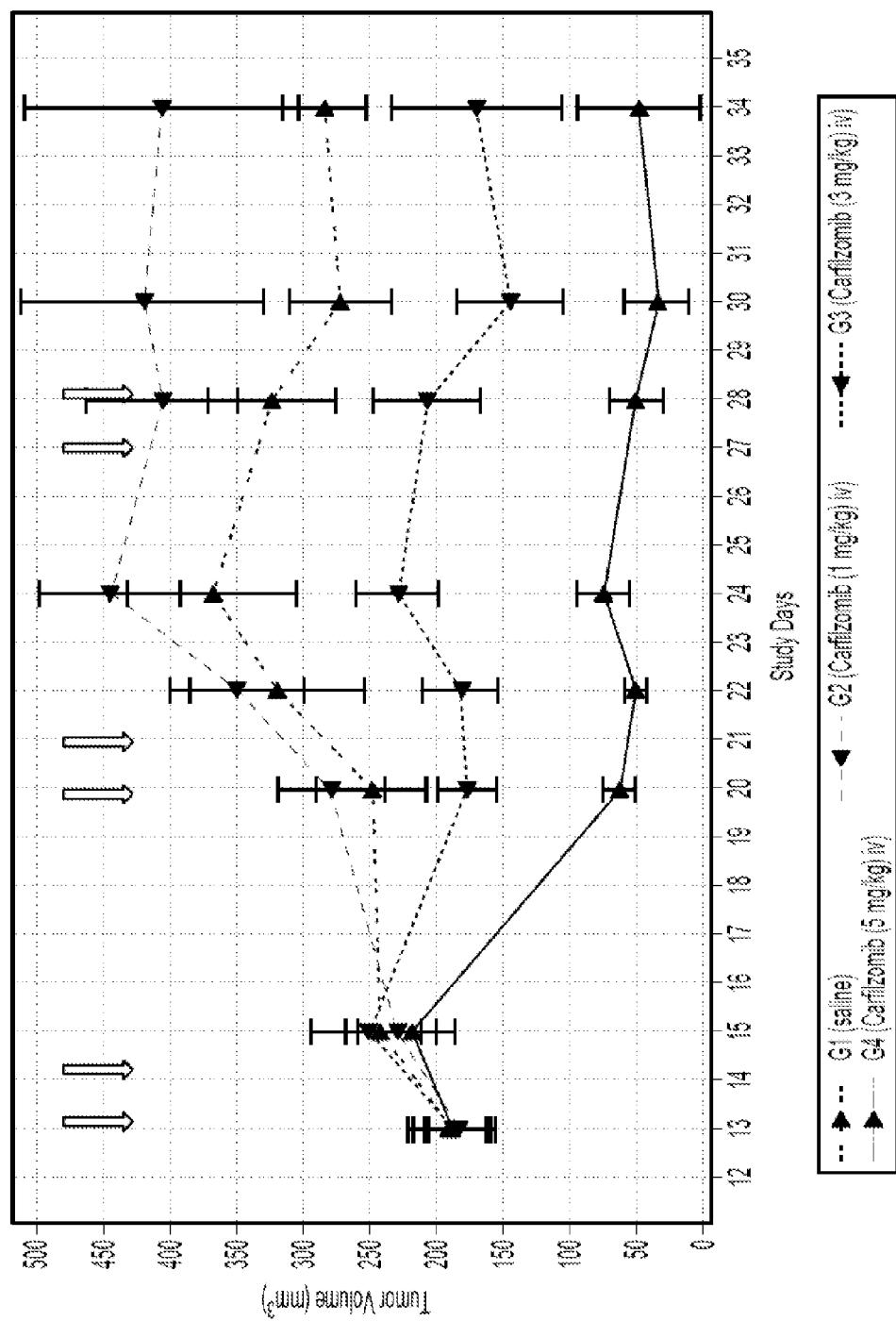


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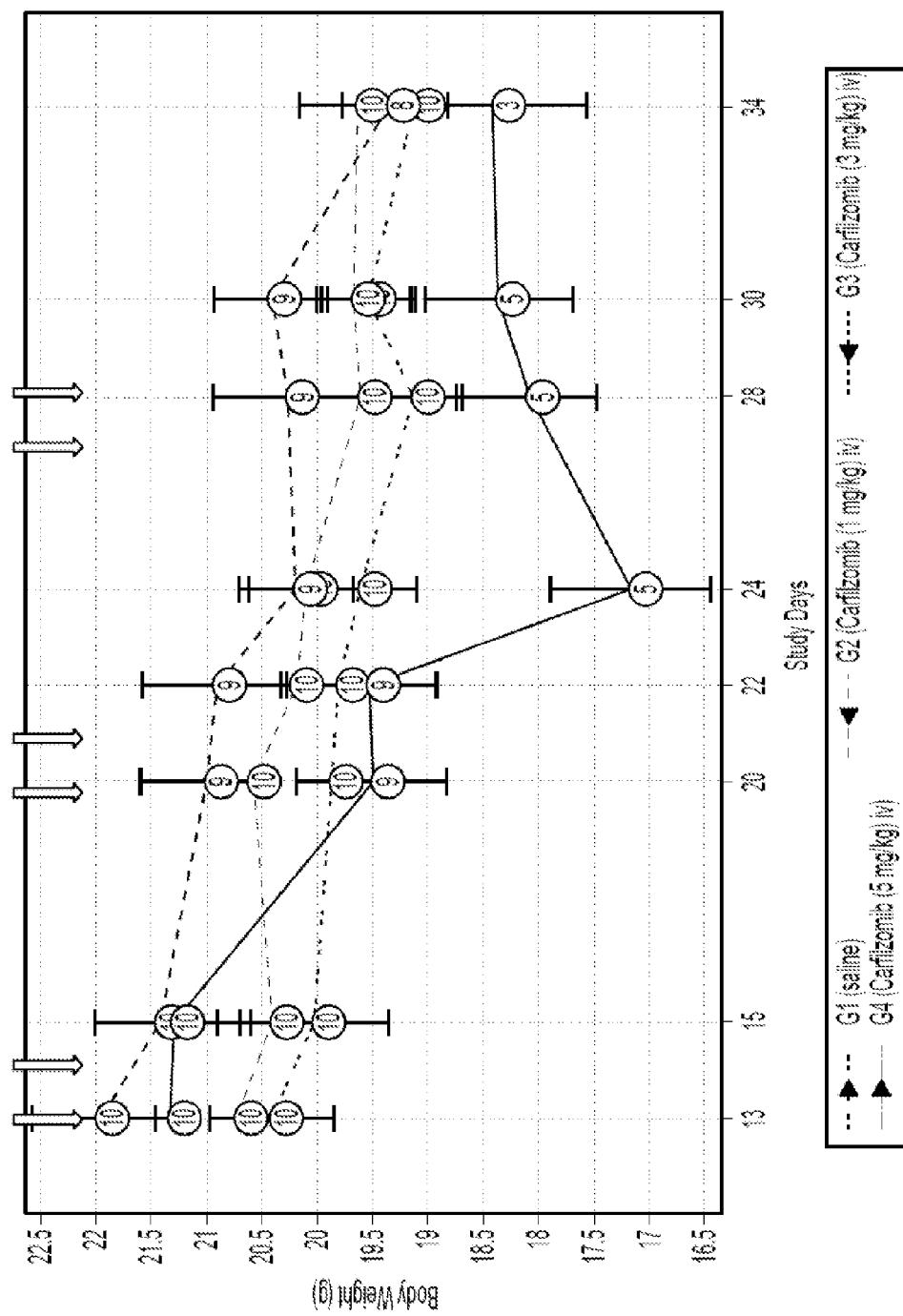


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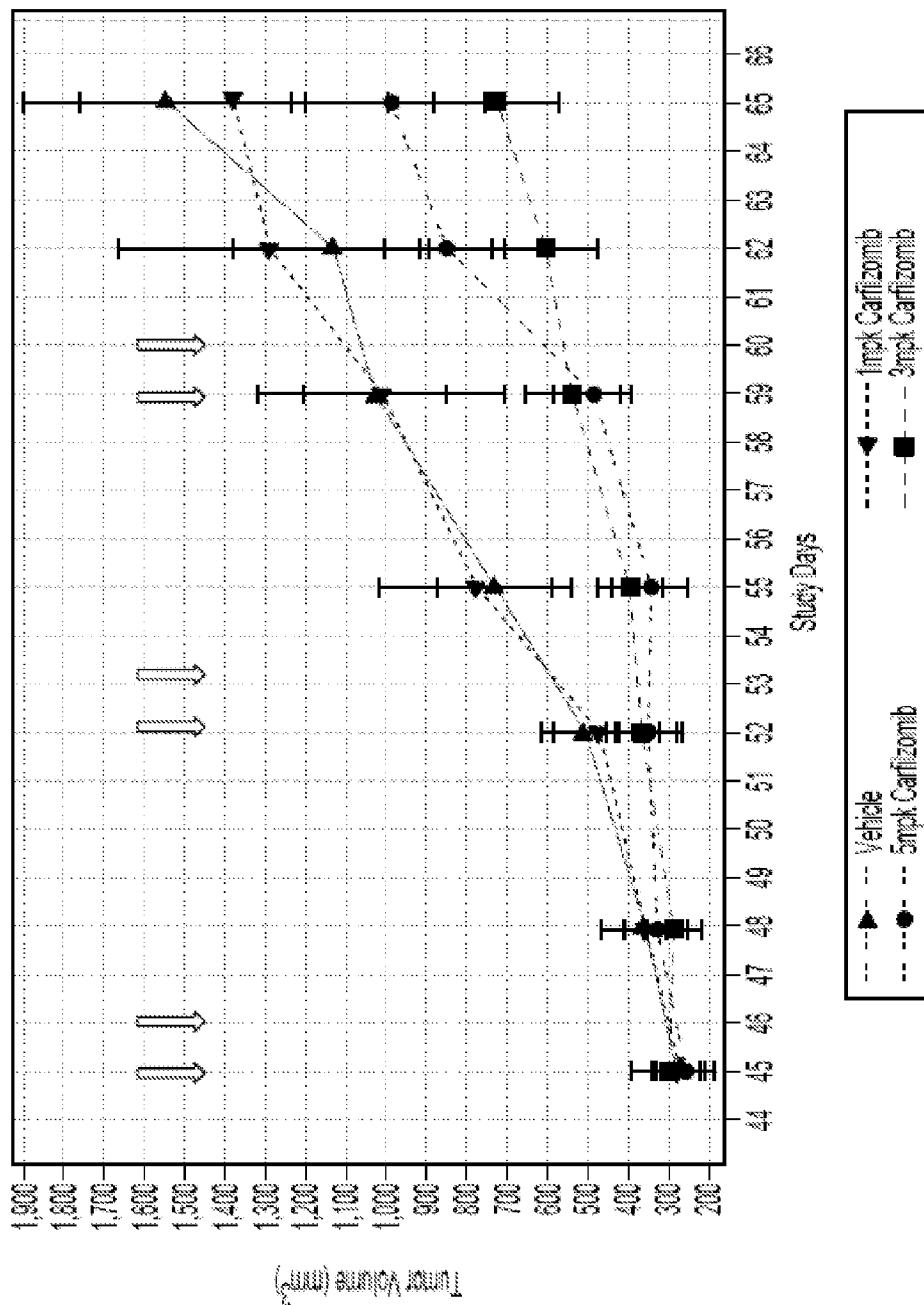


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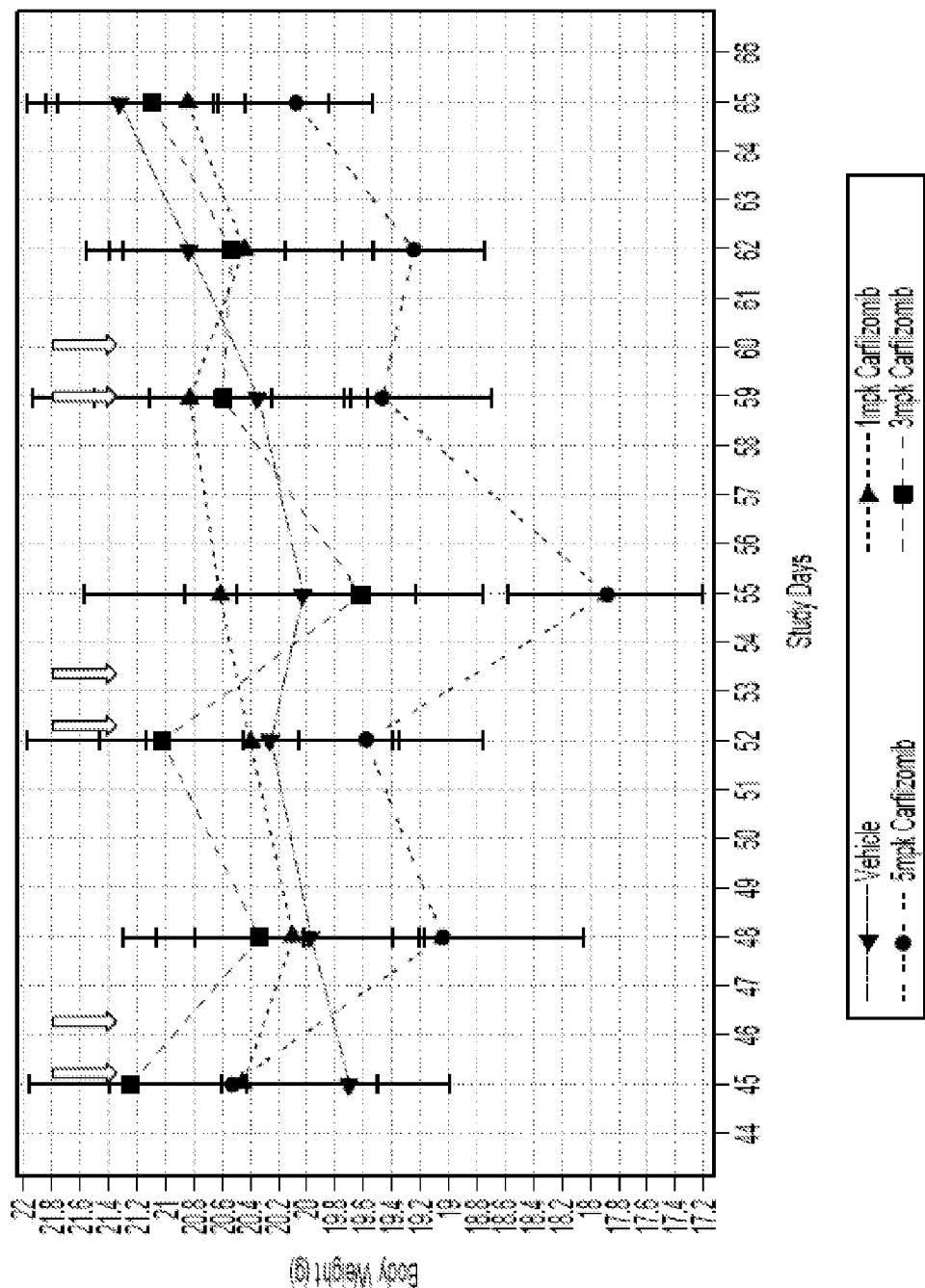


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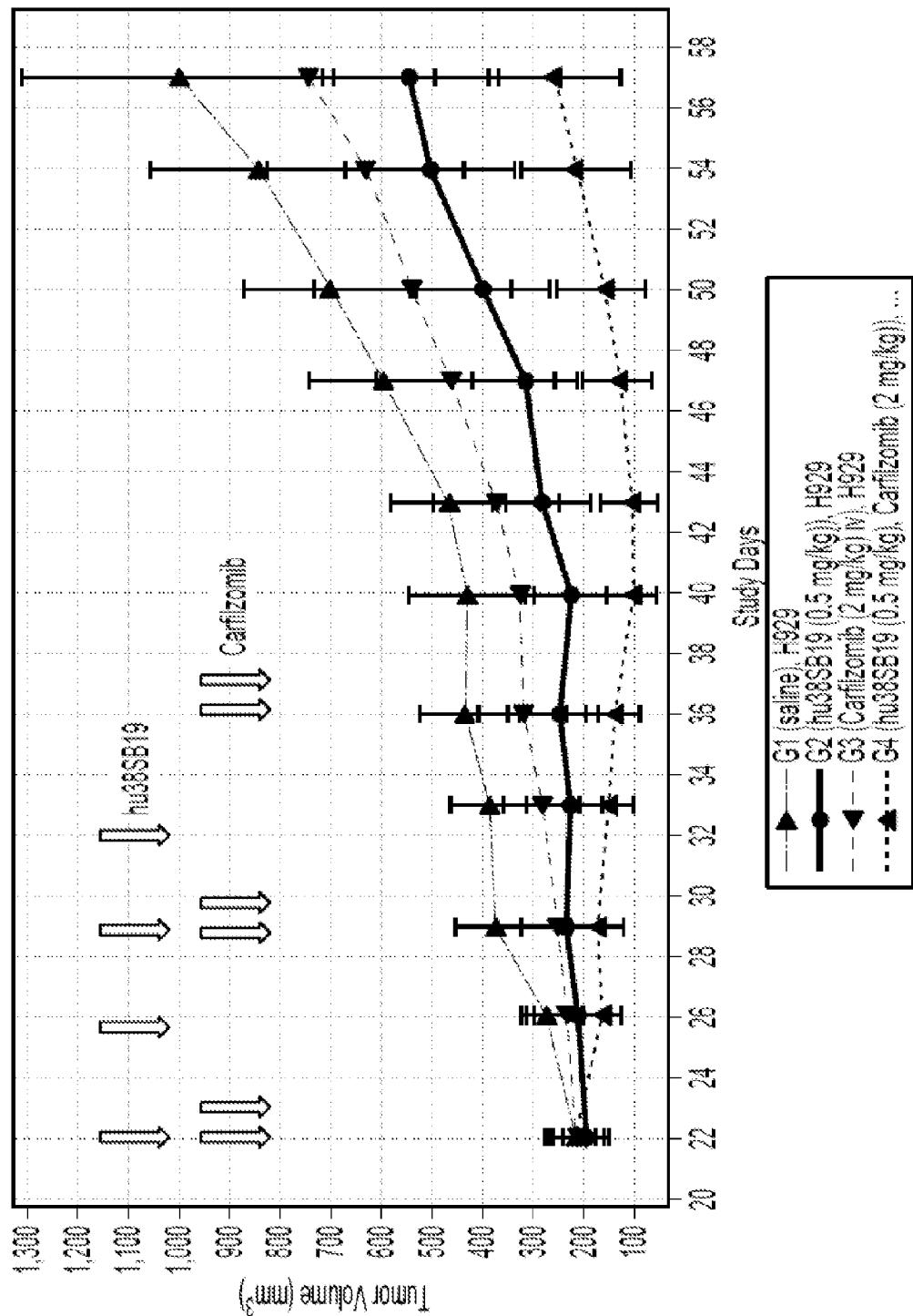


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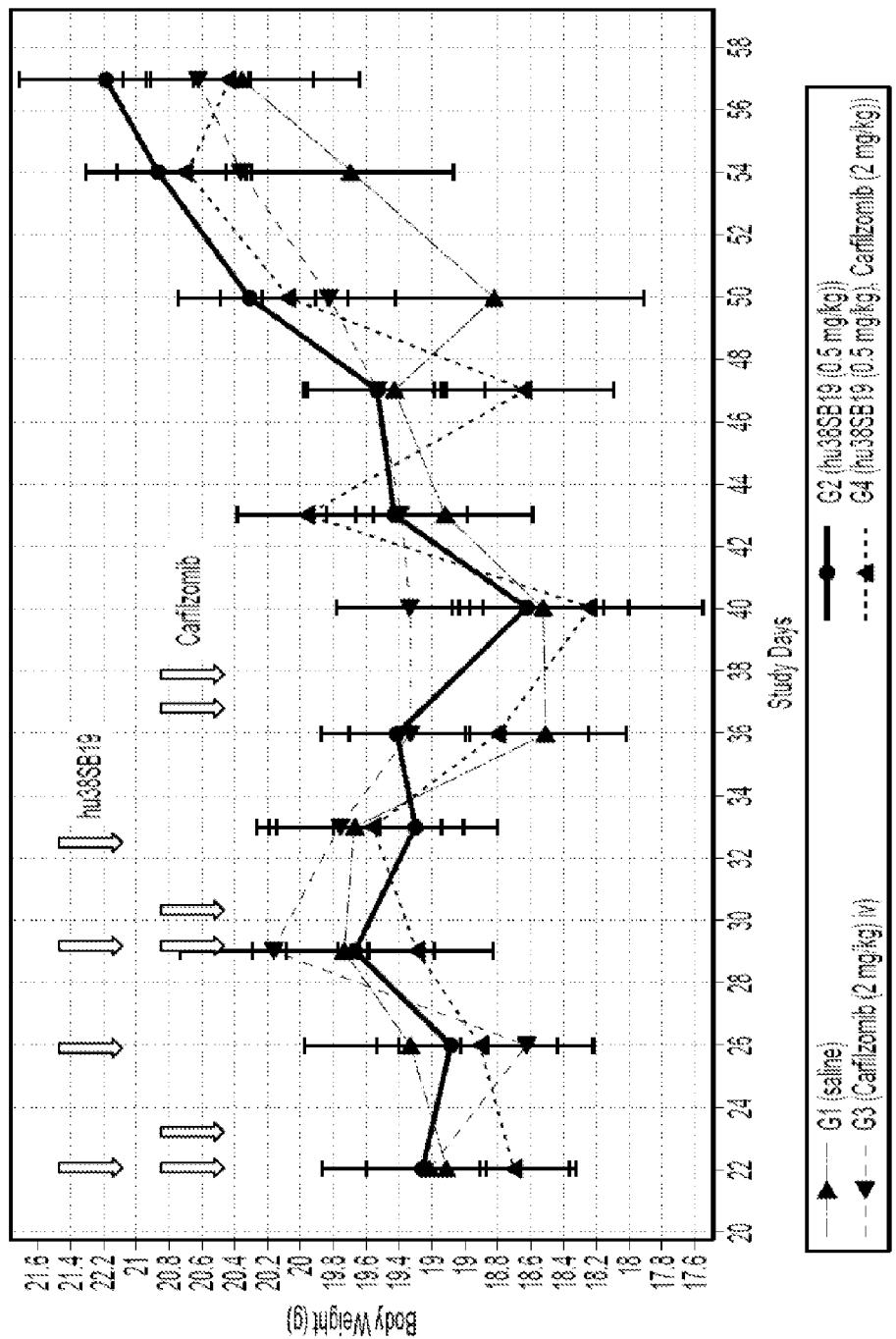


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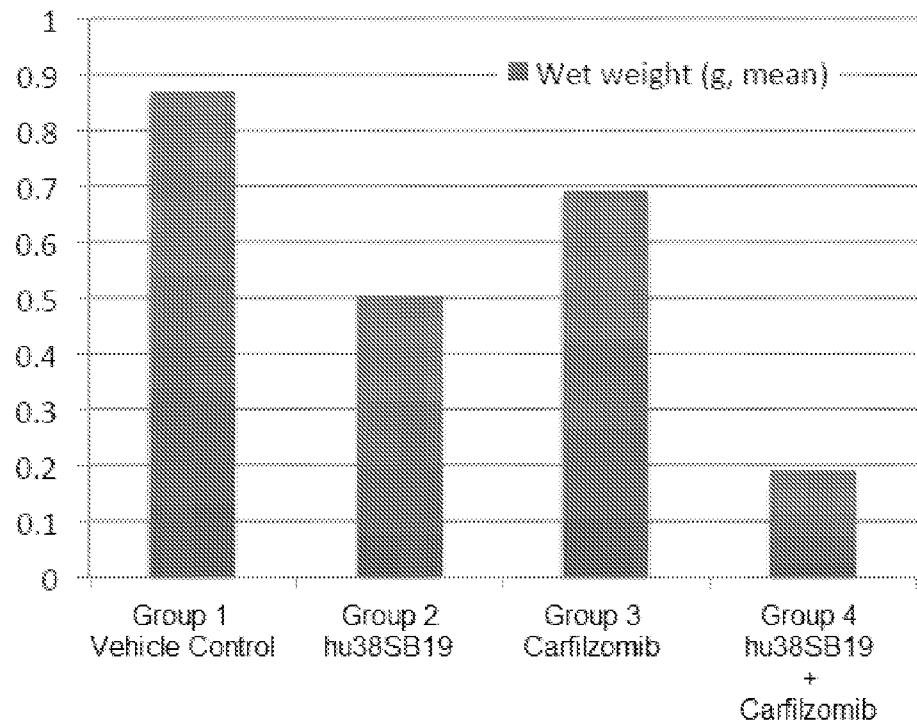


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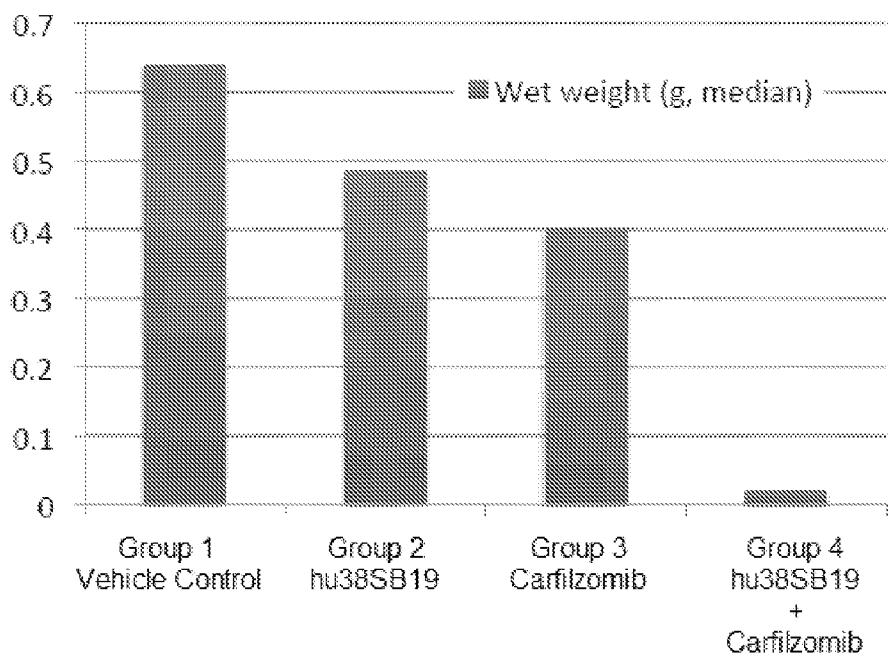


Fig. 9B

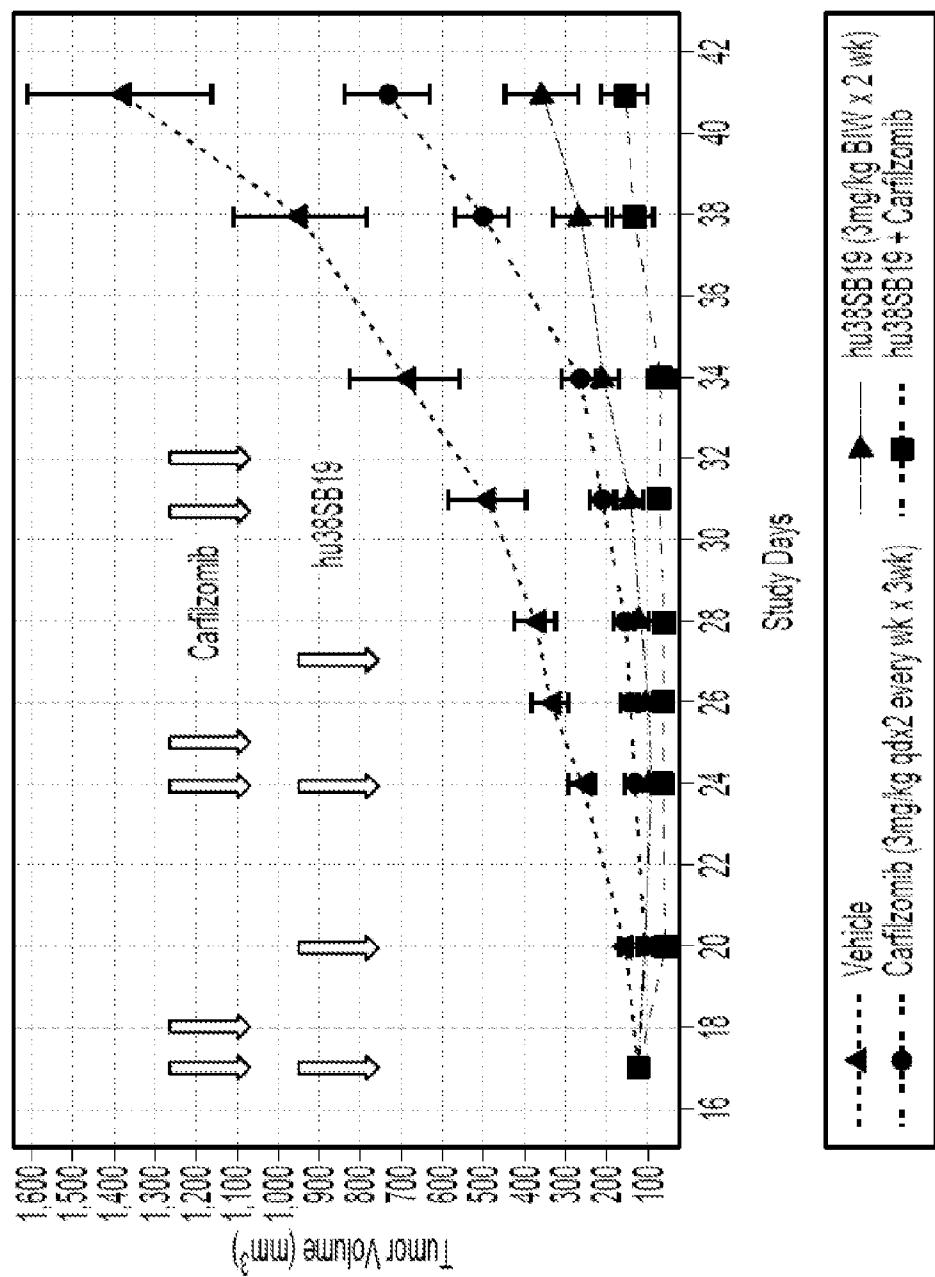


Fig. 10A

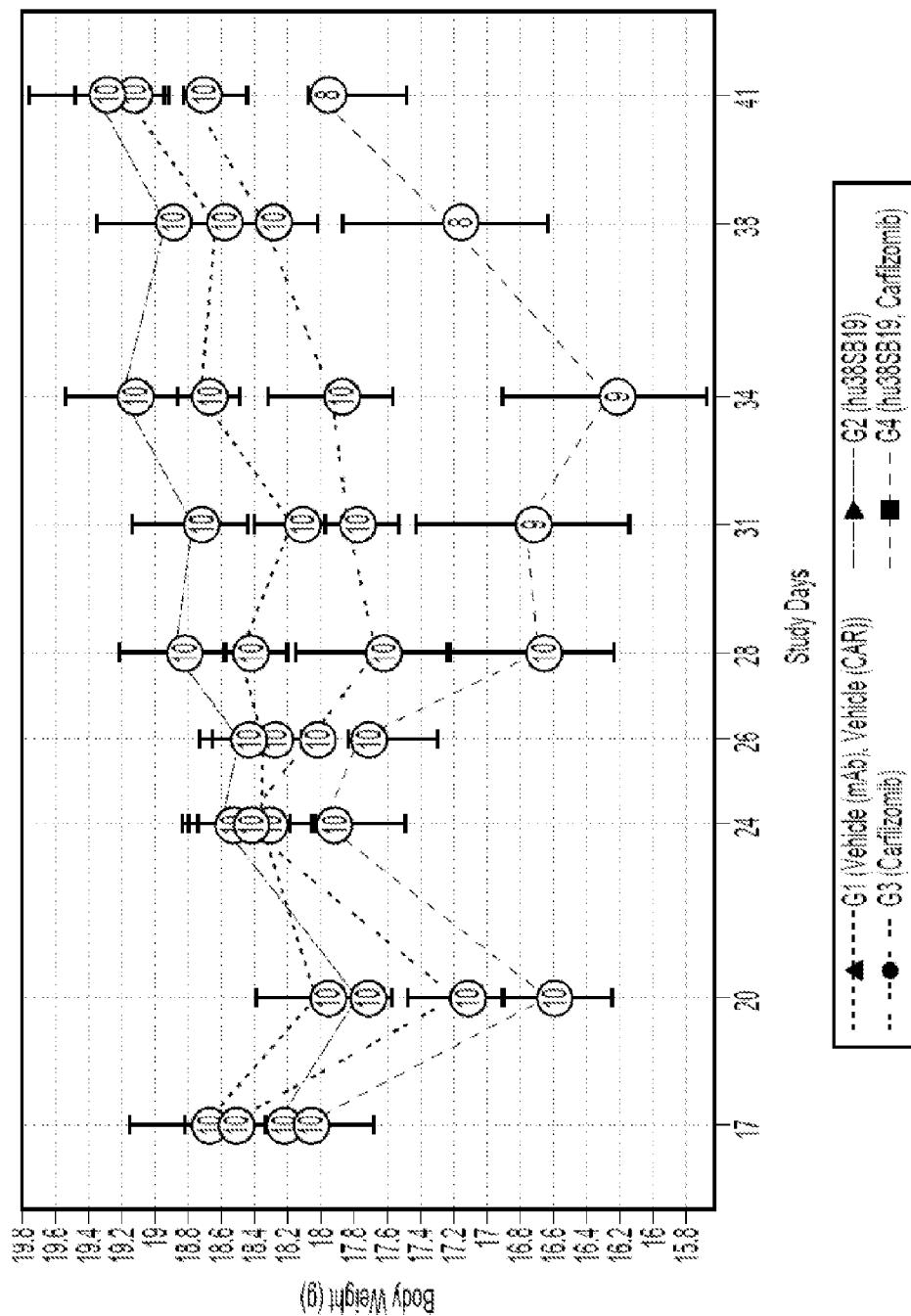
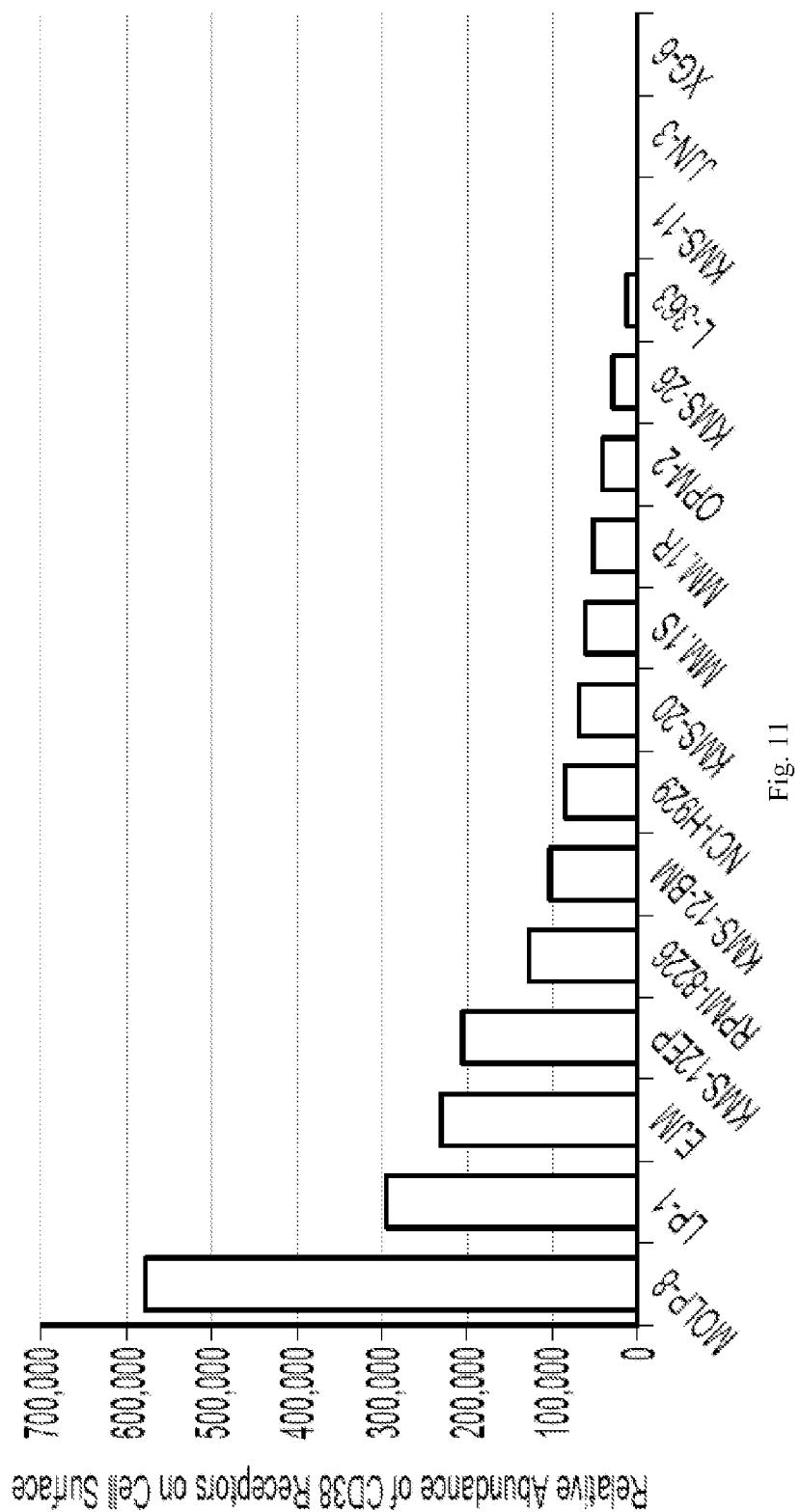


Fig. 10B



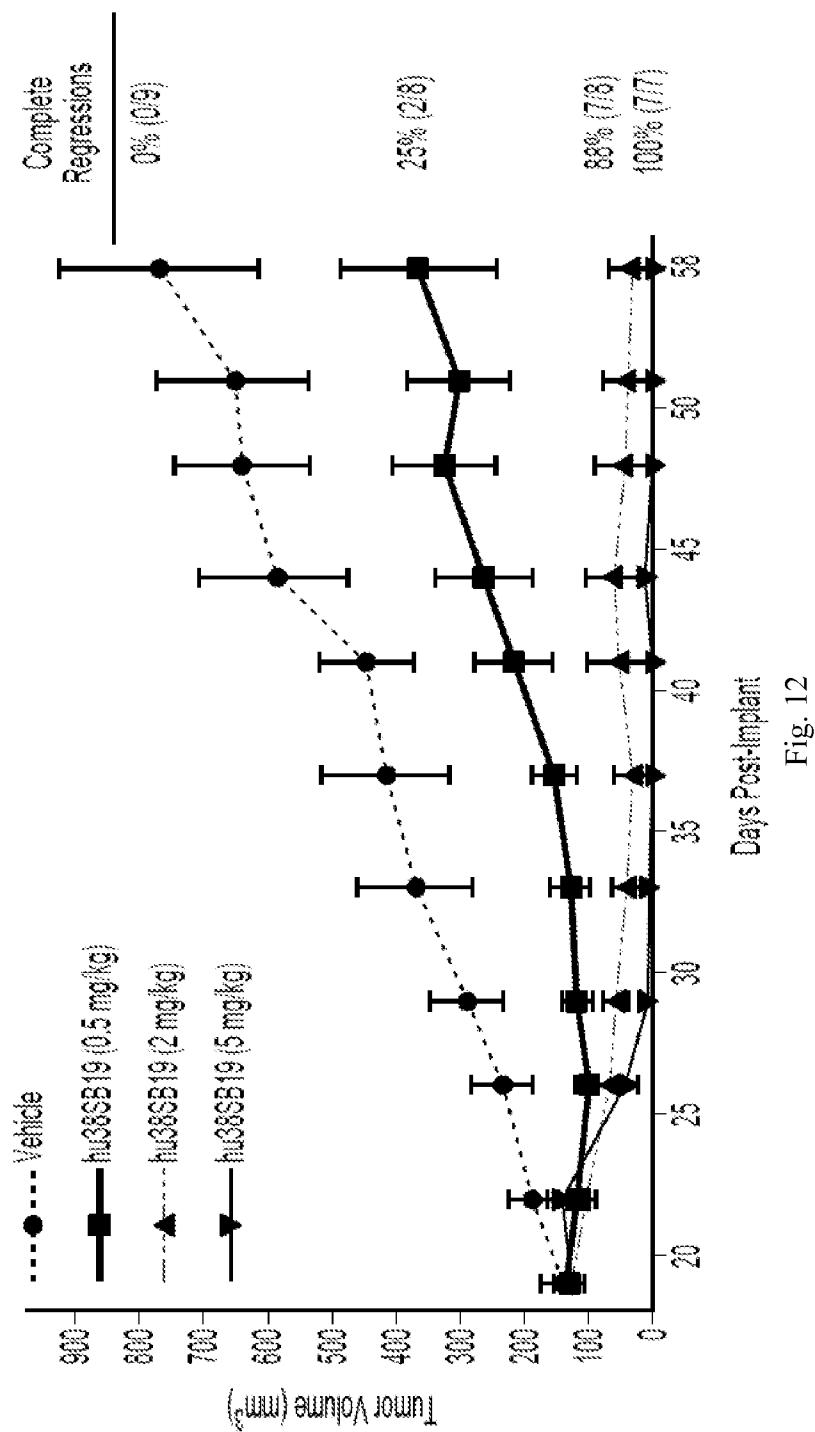


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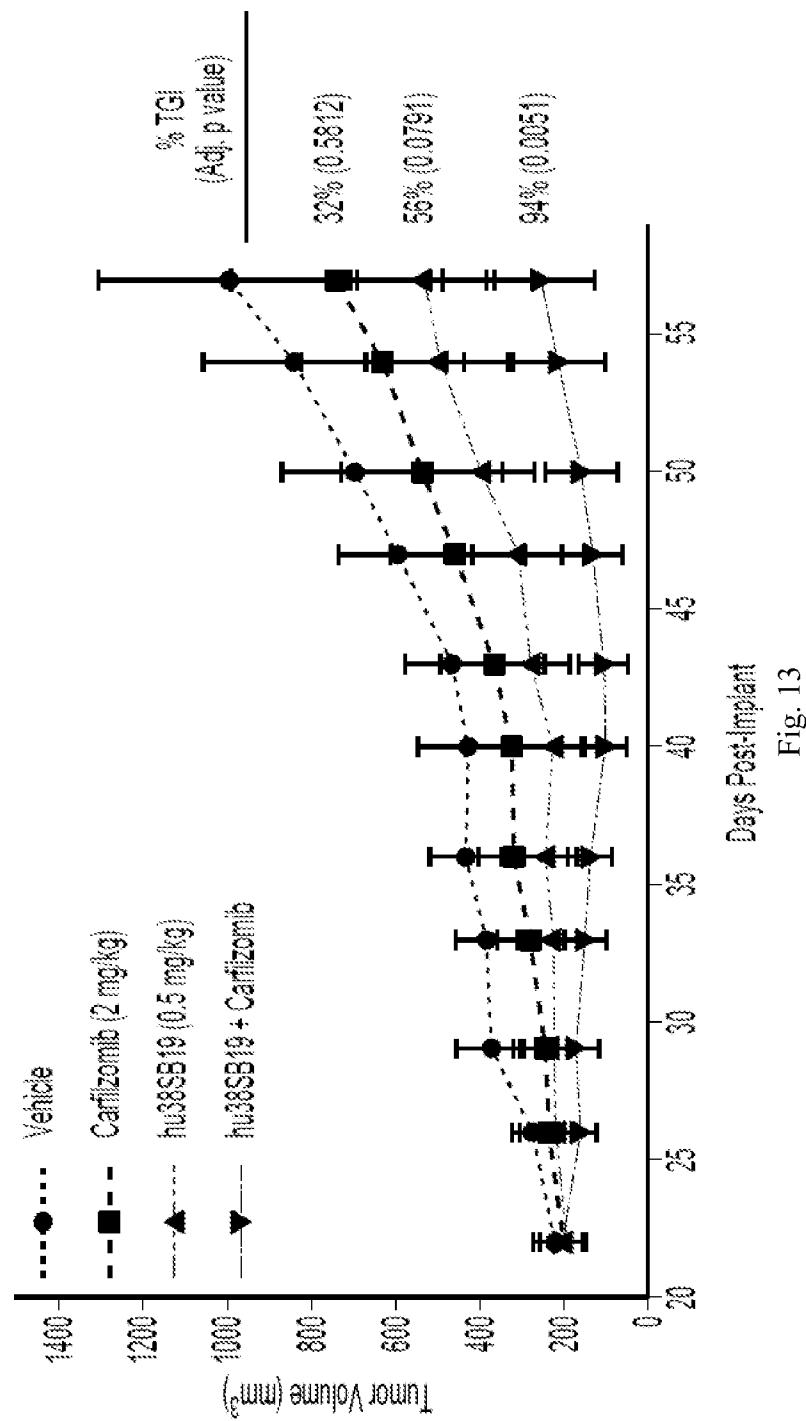


Fig. 13

## COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING ANTI-CD38 ANTIBODIES AND CARFILZOMIB

### CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

[0001] This application claims the benefit of U.S. Application No. 61/778,540, filed 13 Mar. 2013, and U.S. Application No. 61/808,381, filed 4 Apr. 2013, all of which are herein incorporated by reference in their entirety.

### REFERENCE TO A SEQUENCE LISTING SUBMITTED VIA EFS-WEB

[0002] The content of the ASCII text file of the sequence listing named "20140313\_034543\_002WO1\_seq" which is 56.7 kb in size was created on 13 Mar. 2014 and electronically submitted via EFS-Web herewith the application is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.

### BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

[0003] 1. Field of the Invention

[0004] The field of the present invention relates to anti-CD38 antibodies, carfilzomib, and cancer treatments.

[0005] 2. Description of the Related Art

[0006] Multiple myeloma (MM) is a B cell malignancy. In MM, abnormal plasma cells accumulate in the bone marrow where they interfere with the production of normal cells. Current therapy of MM includes administration of proteasome inhibitors such as bortezomib and carfilzomib, immunomodulatory drugs such as lenalidomide and thalidomide, and chemotherapy such as melphalan and prednisone. While these agents have improved survival in multiple myeloma, invariably resistance becomes problematic and patients succumb from their illness. Multiple myeloma thus remains ultimately fatal, with a median survival of approximately 3 to 5 years only.

[0007] CD38 is expressed on malignant plasma cells. CD38 is a 45 kD type II transmembrane glycoprotein with a long C-terminal extracellular domain and a short N-terminal cytoplasmic domain. The CD38 protein is a bifunctional ectoenzyme that can catalyze the conversion of NAD<sup>+</sup> into cyclic ADP-ribose (cADPR) and also hydrolyze cADPR into ADP-ribose. CD38 is up-regulated and has been implicated in many hematopoietic malignancies.

[0008] Thus, some proposed MM treatments include the administration of anti-CD38 antibodies. See, for example, WO 2012/041800; de Weers et al. (2011) *J Immunol* 186: 1840-1848; and Van der Veer et al. (2011) *Haematologica* 96(2):284-290. Unfortunately, like various drugs and chemotherapies, not all antibodies are the same and not all antibodies against the same antigen exhibit the same activities.

[0009] There is thus a need for new and efficacious treatments for extending survival and improving outcome of treatments of multiple myeloma, and more generally of blood cancers.

### DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

[0010] Both the foregoing general description and the following detailed description are exemplary and explanatory only and are intended to provide further explanation of the invention as claimed. The accompanying drawings are included to provide a further understanding of the invention and are incorporated in and constitute part of this specification.

tion, illustrate several embodiments of the invention, and together with the description serve to explain the principles of the invention.

[0011] This invention is further understood by reference to the drawings wherein:

[0012] FIG. 1A shows the growth rate of tumors in xenograft models implanted with NCI-H929 cells (H929 models).

[0013] FIG. 1B shows the growth rate of tumors in xenograft models implanted with RPMI 8226 cells (RPMI models).

[0014] FIG. 2A shows the tumor volume of tumors in RPMI models after treatment with the indicated dose of hu38SB19 at the indicated times (arrows).

[0015] FIG. 2B shows the body weight of the RPMI models after treatment with the indicated dose of hu38SB19 at the indicated times (arrows).

[0016] FIG. 3A shows the tumor volume of tumors in H929 models after treatment with the indicated dose of hu38SB19 at the indicated times (arrows).

[0017] FIG. 3B shows the body weight of the H929 models after treatment with the indicated dose of hu38SB19 at the indicated times (arrows).

[0018] FIG. 4A shows the tumor volume of tumors in H929 models after treatment with the indicated dose of hu38SB19 at the indicated times (arrows).

[0019] FIG. 4B shows the body weight of the H929 models after treatment with the indicated dose of hu38SB19 at the indicated times (arrows).

[0020] FIG. 5A shows the tumor volume of tumors in H929 models after treatment with the indicated dose of hu38SB19 at the indicated times (arrows).

[0021] FIG. 5B shows the body weight of the H929 models after treatment with the indicated dose of hu38SB19 at the indicated times (arrows).

[0022] FIG. 6A shows the tumor volume of tumors in H929 models after treatment with the indicated dose of carfilzomib at the indicated times (arrows).

[0023] FIG. 6B shows the body weight of the H929 models after treatment with the indicated dose of carfilzomib at the indicated times (arrows).

[0024] FIG. 7A shows the tumor volume of tumors in RPMI models after treatment with the indicated dose of carfilzomib at the indicated times (arrows).

[0025] FIG. 7B shows the body weight of the RPMI models after treatment with the indicated dose of carfilzomib at the indicated times (arrows).

[0026] FIG. 8A shows the tumor volume of tumors in H929 models after treatment with the indicated dose of hu38SB19 at the indicated times (top arrows) and the indicated dose of carfilzomib at the indicated times (bottom arrows).

[0027] FIG. 8B shows the body weight of the H929 models after treatment with the indicated dose of hu38SB19 at the indicated times (top arrows) and the indicated dose of carfilzomib at the indicated times (bottom arrows).

[0028] FIG. 9A is a graph showing the mean wet tumor weights of the H929 models after the indicated treatment with carfilzomib and/or hu38SB19 (mAb).

[0029] FIG. 9B is a graph showing the median wet tumor weights of the H929 models after the indicated treatment with carfilzomib and/or hu38SB19 (mAb).

[0030] FIG. 10A shows the tumor volume of tumors in RPMI-8226 models after treatment with the indicated dose of

hu38SB19 at the indicated times (top arrows) and the indicated dose of carfilzomib at the indicated times (bottom arrows).

[0031] FIG. 10B shows the body weight of the RPMI-8226 models after treatment with the indicated dose of hu38SB19 at the indicated times (top arrows) and the indicated dose of carfilzomib at the indicated times (bottom arrows).

[0032] FIG. 11 is a graph showing the cell surface density of CD38 in multiple myeloma cell lines.

[0033] FIG. 12 is a graph showing that hu38SB19, as the sole active ingredient, results in dose-dependent anti-tumor effects and eradication of NCI-H929 hind-flank xenograft tumor growth. Four cumulative doses, given twice weekly at 5 mg/kg were sufficient to eliminate palpable tumors in all mice within the cohort.

[0034] FIG. 13 is a graph showing that low-dose combinations of carfilzomib and hu38SB19 results in near complete tumor growth inhibition of NCI-H929 xenografts.

#### SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

[0035] In some embodiments, the present invention relates to a method of treating a cancer in a subject which comprises administering one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and one or more carfilzomib compounds to the subject. In some embodiments, the cancer is a hematological malignancy. In some embodiments, the cancer is multiple myeloma. In some embodiments, the cancer is a relapsed multiple myeloma or a refractory multiple myeloma. In some embodiments, the one or more carfilzomib compounds is carfilzomib. In some embodiments, the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies are administered in an effective amount, preferably a synergistic amount. In some embodiments, the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and/or the one or more carfilzomib compounds are administered in a therapeutically effective amount. In some embodiments, at least one of the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies is capable of killing a CD38+ cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC). In some embodiments, the antibody is hu38SB19. In some embodiments, at least one of the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies comprises one or more complementarity-determining region having an amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 13, 14, 81, 15, 16, 17, 18, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36. In some embodiments, at least one of the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies is selected from the group consisting of: a) an antibody comprising a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 13, 15 and either SEQ ID NO: 14 or SEQ ID NO: 81, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 16, 17 and 18; b) an antibody comprising a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 25, 26 and 27, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 28, 29 and 30; c) an antibody comprising a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 1, 2 and 3, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 4, 5 and 6; d) an antibody comprising a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 7, 8 and 9, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino

acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 11 and 12; e) an antibody comprising a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 19, 20 and 21, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 22, 23 and 24; and f) an antibody comprising a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 31, 32 and 33, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 34, 35 and 36. In some embodiments, the antibody comprises a heavy chain having a VH variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 66, and a light chain having a VL variable region represented by either SEQ ID NO: 62 or SEQ ID NO: 64. In some embodiments, the antibody comprises a heavy chain having a VH variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 72, and a light chain having a VL variable region represented by either SEQ ID NO: 68 or SEQ ID NO: 70. In some embodiments, the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies are administered intravenously. In some embodiments, the one or more carfilzomib compounds are administered orally. In some embodiments, the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and the one or more carfilzomib compounds are administered sequentially. In some embodiments, the method further comprises administering a dexamethasone compound, preferably dexamethasone, to the subject. In some embodiments, the dexamethasone compound is administered orally. In some embodiments, the dexamethasone compound is administered at a low dose. In some embodiments, the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies, the one or more carfilzomib compounds, and the dexamethasone compound are administered sequentially. In some embodiments, the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and the one or more carfilzomib compounds are administered sequentially.

[0036] In some embodiments, the present invention relates to a composition comprising a) at least one anti-CD38 antibody, preferably the antibody is capable of killing a CD38+ cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC); and b) at least one carfilzomib compound, preferably carfilzomib; and, optionally c) a dexamethasone compound, preferably dexamethasone. In some embodiments, the present invention relates to a composition comprising a) at least one anti-CD38 antibody; and b) at least one carfilzomib compound; and, optionally i) a dexamethasone compound. In some embodiments, the antibody is capable of killing a CD38+ cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC). In some embodiments, the antibody is hu38SB19. In some embodiments, the carfilzomib compound is carfilzomib. In some embodiments, the dexamethasone compound is dexamethasone.

[0037] In some embodiments, the present invention is directed to a kit comprising a) a first composition comprising at least one anti-CD38 antibody, preferably the antibody is capable of killing a CD38+ cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC); and b) a second composition comprising at least one carfilzomib compound, preferably carfilzomib. In some embodiments, the compositions in the kit are packaged for sequential administration to a subject. In some embodiments, the antibody is hu38SB19. In some embodiments, the kit further includes a dexamethasone compound, preferably dexamethasone. In some embodiments,

ments, the carfilzomib compound and the dexamethasone compound are packaged for sequential administration to a subject.

**[0038]** In some embodiments, the present invention is directed to a kit comprising at least one anti-CD38 antibody capable of killing a CD38+ cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC), packaged together with a label having one or more messages that the at least one anti-CD38 antibody shall be administered in combination with carfilzomib, and optionally with dexamethasone. In some embodiments, the antibody is hu38SB19. In some embodiments, the kit further includes a dexamethasone compound, preferably dexamethasone. In some embodiments, the carfilzomib compound and the dexamethasone compound are packaged for sequential administration to a subject.

**[0039]** In some embodiments, the present invention is directed to a combination of: (i) at least one anti-CD38 antibody, preferably the antibody is capable of killing a CD38+ cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC); and (ii) at least one carfilzomib compound, preferably carfilzomib; and, optionally (iii) a dexamethasone compound, preferably dexamethasone. In some embodiments, the present invention relates to a combination comprising a) at least one anti-CD38 antibody; and b) at least one carfilzomib compound; and, optionally i) a dexamethasone compound. In some embodiments, the antibody is capable of killing a CD38+ cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC). In some embodiments, the antibody is hu38SB19. In some embodiments, the carfilzomib compound is carfilzomib. In some embodiments, the dexamethasone compound is dexamethasone. In some embodiments, the combination is for sequential use in the treatment of a hematological malignancy, preferably multiple myeloma.

**[0040]** In some embodiments, the present invention is directed to use of (i) at least one anti-CD38 antibody, preferably the antibody is capable of killing a CD38+ cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC); and (ii) at least one carfilzomib compound, preferably carfilzomib; and, optionally (iii) a dexamethasone compound, preferably dexamethasone, for the treatment of a hematological malignancy, preferably multiple myeloma. In some embodiments, the present invention relates to use of a) at least one anti-CD38 antibody; and b) at least one carfilzomib compound; and, optionally i) a dexamethasone compound, for the treatment of a hematological malignancy, preferably multiple myeloma. In some embodiments, the antibody is capable of killing a CD38+ cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC). In some embodiments, the antibody is hu38SB19. In some embodiments, the carfilzomib compound is carfilzomib. In some embodiments, the dexamethasone compound is dexamethasone.

**[0041]** In some of the various embodiments of the present invention, the subject to be treated is mammalian. In some of the various embodiments of the present invention, the subject to be treated is a test animal such as a mouse. In some of the various embodiments of the present invention, the subject to be treated is human.

#### DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

**[0042]** The present invention relates to methods of treating a cancer in a subject which comprises administering one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and one or more carfilzomib compounds to the subject. As used herein, "treat" or "treating" means to alleviate symptoms, eliminate the causation of the symptoms either on a temporary or permanent basis, or to prevent or slow the appearance of symptoms of the named disorder or condition. As disclosed herein, the efficacy of a carfilzomib compound is considerably improved when administered in conjunction with one or more anti-CD38 antibodies according to the present invention. In fact, the administration of one or more anti-CD38 antibodies which exhibit (a) the capability of killing a CD38+ cell by apoptosis, (b) antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and (c) complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC) is believed to considerably improve the efficacy of carfilzomib compounds in the treatment of hematological malignancies, including MM, to a degree that is unexpectedly more than other anti-CD38 antibodies which do not exhibit all three (a)-(c) activities. Therefore, in some embodiments, the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies are capable of (a) killing a CD38+ cell by apoptosis, (b) antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and (c) complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC). In some embodiments, the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and/or the one or more carfilzomib compounds are administered in a therapeutically effective amount. As used herein, a "therapeutically effective amount" of a substance refers to an amount of that substance that results in the alleviation of one or more symptoms, elimination of the causation of the symptoms either on a temporary or permanent basis, and/or the prevention or reduction in the appearance of symptoms of the named disorder or condition in the majority of subjects afflicted with and similarly treated for the named disease or disorder.

**[0043]** In some embodiments, the cancer is one in which CD38 is expressed by the malignant cells. In some embodiments, the cancer is a hematological malignancy of the blood, bone marrow, and/or lymph nodes. In some embodiments, the cancer is a blood cancer. Blood cancers include myeloma, lymphoma and leukemia. The blood cancer might, for instance, be selected from the group consisting of multiple myeloma, non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, Hodgkin's lymphoma, hairy cell leukemia, chronic lymphocytic leukemia, chronic myeloid leukemia, acute myeloid leukemia, and acute lymphocytic leukemia. In some embodiments, the cancer is multiple myeloma (MM). In some embodiments, the cancer is a relapse MM or refractory MM. As used herein, relapsed MM refers to clinically active MM after a period of remission and refractory MM refers to progressive or stable disease while being treated or progressive disease within 3 months of the last doses of the prior treatment. See Dimopoulos et al. (2010) Eur J Haematology 88:1-15.

**[0044]** In some embodiments, the subject is mammalian, preferably human. In some embodiments, the subject is an adult human, e.g., at least 18 years. In some embodiments, the subject is in need of treatment for the cancer. In some embodiments, the subject has been diagnosed as having the cancer. In some embodiments, the cancer is in partial or complete remission, however, the one or more carfilzomib compounds and the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies are administered to the subject so as to reduce the likelihood of relapse. In some embodiments, the subject has a Karnofsky performance status equal or superior to 60%. The Karnofsky status runs from

100 to 0, where 100 is "perfect" health and 0 is death (Karnofsky and Burchenal, 1949, "The Clinical Evaluation of Chemotherapeutic Agents in Cancer." In: MacLeod C M (Ed), Evaluation of Chemotherapeutic Agents. Columbia Univ Press). In some embodiments, the subject has undergone at least one or two prior therapies for multiple myeloma, induction therapy being considered one prior therapy. In some embodiments, the subject exhibits evidence that either the cancer progressed while the subject underwent a prior therapy, or that the subject was refractory to the prior therapy.

[0045] In some embodiments, the anti-CD38 antibodies specifically bind CD38. In some embodiments, the anti-CD38 antibodies are raised against CD38 or an epitope thereof. In some embodiments, the anti-CD38 antibodies are monoclonal antibodies. In some embodiments, one or more of the anti-CD38 antibodies according to the present invention are monoclonal antibodies as described in WO 2008/047242, which is herein incorporated by reference in its entirety. In some embodiments, one or more of the anti-CD38 antibodies are monoclonal antibodies 38SB13, 38SB18, 38SB19, 38SB30, 38SB31, and 38SB39 as described in WO 2008/047242, which is herein incorporated by reference in its entirety. In some embodiments, the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies are capable of killing CD38<sup>+</sup> cells by three different cytotoxic mechanisms, induction of apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC).

[0046] The term "antibody" is used herein in the broadest sense and includes monoclonal antibodies (including full length monoclonal antibodies) of any isotype such as IgG, IgM, IgA, IgD and IgE, polyclonal antibodies, multispecific antibodies, chimeric antibodies, and antibody fragments. As used herein, the prefix "anti-" when in conjunction with an antigen, indicates that the given antibody is reactive with the given antigen. An antibody reactive with a specific antigen can be generated by synthetic and/or recombinant methods such as selection of libraries of recombinant antibodies in phage or similar vectors, or by immunizing an animal with the antigen or an antigen-encoding nucleic acid.

[0047] A typical IgG antibody is comprised of two identical heavy chains and two identical light chains that are joined by disulfide bonds. Each heavy and light chain contains a constant region and a variable region. Each variable region contains three segments called "complementarity-determining regions" ("CDRs") or "hypervariable regions", which are primarily responsible for binding an epitope of an antigen. They are usually referred to as CDR1, CDR2, and CDR3, numbered sequentially from the N-terminus. The more highly conserved portions of the variable regions outside of the CDRs are called the "framework regions". As used herein, "V<sub>H</sub>" or "VH" refers to the variable region of an immunoglobulin heavy chain of an antibody, including the heavy chain of an Fv, scFv, dsFv, Fab, Fab' or F(ab')<sub>2</sub> fragment. Reference to "V<sub>L</sub>" or "VL" refers to the variable region of the immunoglobulin light chain of an antibody, including the light chain of an Fv, scFv, dsFv, Fab, Fab' or F(ab')<sub>2</sub> fragment.

[0048] The antibodies according to the present invention may be, e.g., murine, chimeric, and/or humanized antibodies. As used herein, a "chimeric antibody" is an antibody in which the constant region, or a portion thereof, is altered, replaced, or exchanged, so that the variable region is linked to a constant region of a different species, or belonging to another antibody class or subclass. "Chimeric antibody" also refers to an antibody in which the variable region, or a portion thereof,

is altered, replaced, or exchanged, so that the constant region is linked to a variable region of a different species, or belonging to another antibody class or subclass. Methods for producing chimeric antibodies are known in the art. See e.g., Morrison, 1985, Science, 229: 1202; Oi et al., 1986, BioTechniques, 4: 214; Gillies et al., 1989, J. Immunol. Methods, 125: 191-202; U.S. Pat. Nos. 5,807,715; 4,816,567; and 4,816,397, which are incorporated herein by reference in their entireties. The term "humanized antibody", as used herein, refers to a chimeric antibody which contain minimal sequence derived from non-human immunoglobulin. The goal of humanization is a reduction in the immunogenicity of a xenogenic antibody, such as a murine antibody, for introduction into a human, while maintaining the full antigen binding affinity and specificity of the antibody. Humanized antibodies, or antibodies adapted for non-rejection by other mammals, may be produced using several technologies such as resurfacing and CDR grafting. As used herein, the resurfacing technology uses a combination of molecular modelling, statistical analysis and mutagenesis to alter the non-CDR surfaces of antibody variable regions to resemble the surfaces of known antibodies of the target host. The CDR grafting technology involves substituting the complementarity determining regions of, for example, a mouse antibody, into a human framework domain, e.g., see WO 92/22653.

[0049] Humanized chimeric antibodies preferably have constant regions and variable regions other than the complementarity determining regions (CDRs) derived substantially or exclusively from the corresponding human antibody regions and CDRs derived substantially or exclusively from a mammal other than a human.

[0050] Strategies and methods for the resurfacing of antibodies, and other methods for reducing immunogenicity of antibodies within a different host, are disclosed in U.S. Pat. No. 5,639,641, which is hereby incorporated in its entirety by reference. Antibodies can be humanized using a variety of other techniques including CDR-grafting (EP 0 239 400; WO 91/09967; U.S. Pat. Nos. 5,530,101; and 5,585,089), veneering or resurfacing (EP 0 592 106; EP 0 519 596; Padlan E. A., 1991, Molecular Immunology 28(4/5): 489-498; Studnicka G. M. et al., 1994, Protein Engineering, 7(6): 805-814; Roguska M. A. et al., 1994, PNAS, 91: 969-973), chain shuffling (U.S. Pat. No. 5,565,332), and identification of flexible residues (PCT/US2008/074381). Human antibodies can be made by a variety of methods known in the art including phage display methods. See also U.S. Pat. Nos. 4,444,887, 4,716,111, 5,545,806, and 5,814,318; and international patent application publication numbers WO 98/46645, WO 98/50433, WO 98/24893, WO 98/16654, WO 96/34096, WO 96/33735, and WO 91/10741 (said references incorporated by reference in their entireties).

[0051] In some embodiments, one or more of the anti-CD38 antibodies according to the invention are capable of killing a CD38<sup>+</sup> cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC). In some embodiments, one or more of the anti-CD38 antibodies according to the invention are capable of killing said CD38<sup>+</sup> cells by apoptosis even in the absence of stroma cells or stroma-derived cytokines. These activities can be assessed as described in WO 2008/047242, which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.

[0052] In some embodiments according to the invention, one or more anti-CD38 antibodies are selected from the group consisting of 38SB13, 38SB18, 38SB19, 38SB30, 38SB31,

38SB39, and antibodies cross-competing with 38SB13, 38SB18, 38SB19, 38SB30, 38SB31 or 38SB39. The hybridoma cell lines producing the 38SB13, 38SB18, 38SB19, 38SB30, 38SB31, and 38SB39 murine anti-CD38 antibodies have been deposited at the American Type Culture Collection (10801 University Blvd, Manassas, Va., 20110-2209, USA), on 21 Jun. 21 2006, under the deposit numbers PTA-7667, PTA-7669, PTA-7670, PTA-7666, PTA-7668, and PTA-7671, respectively (as described in WO 2008/047242, which is herein incorporated by reference in its entirety).

**[0053]** As disclosed herein, references to SEQ ID NOs refers to the sequences set forth in the Sequence Listing submitted herewith and also as recited in WO 2008/047242, which is herein incorporated by reference in its entirety. In some embodiments, the anti-CD38 antibodies according to the present invention may, for instance, comprise a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences represented by SEQ ID NOs: 1, 2, and 3, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences represented by SEQ ID NOs: 4, 5, and 6. An example of such an antibody is the 38SB13 antibody, which comprises a heavy chain having a  $V_H$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 50, and a light chain having a  $V_L$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 38.

**[0054]** In some embodiments, the anti-CD38 antibodies according to the present invention may, for instance, comprise a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences represented by SEQ ID NOs: 7, 8, and 9, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences represented by SEQ ID NOs: 10, 11, and 12. An example of such an antibody is the 38SB18 antibody, which comprises a heavy chain having a  $V_H$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 52 and a light chain having a  $V_L$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 40.

**[0055]** In some embodiments, the anti-CD38 antibodies according to the present invention may, for instance, comprise a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences represented by SEQ ID NO: 13, SEQ ID NO: 15 and either SEQ ID NO: 14 or SEQ ID NO: 81, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences represented by SEQ ID NOs: 16, 17, and 18. An example of such an antibody is the 38SB19 antibody, which comprises a heavy chain having a  $V_H$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 54 and a light chain having a  $V_L$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 42. Specific examples of humanized versions of 38SB19 (hu38SB19) include antibodies comprising a heavy chain having a  $V_H$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 66, and a light chain having a  $V_L$  variable region represented by either SEQ ID NO: 62 or SEQ ID NO: 64. hu38SB19 is a humanized anti-CD38 antibody currently undergoing clinical evaluation in CD38-positive hematologic malignancies, including multiple myeloma. Previous and current studies demonstrate that the anti-myeloma activity associated with this agent involve mechanisms of ADCC, and CDC, as well as novel, direct apoptotic and anti-ADP-ribosyl cyclase activity. See Marie-Cécile Wetzel, Céline Nicolazzi, François Vallée, et al. hu38SB19: characterization of a potent phase I humanized anti-CD38 antibody for the treatment of multiple myeloma and other hematologic malignancies. AACR Annual Meeting 2013, Abstract #4735.

**[0056]** In some embodiments, the anti-CD38 antibodies according to the present invention may, for instance, comprise a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having

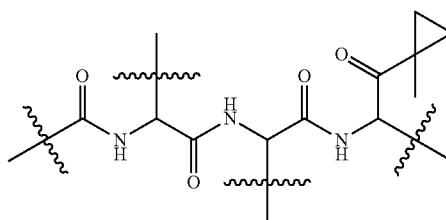
amino acid sequences represented by SEQ ID NOs: 19, 20, and 21, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences represented by SEQ ID NOs: 22, 23, and 24. An example of such an antibody is the 38SB30 antibody, which comprises a heavy chain having a  $V_H$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 56 and a light chain having a  $V_L$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 44.

**[0057]** In some embodiments, the anti-CD38 antibodies according to the present invention may, for instance, comprise a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences represented by SEQ ID NOs: 25, 26, and 27, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences represented by SEQ ID NOs: 28, 29, and 30. An example of such an antibody is the 38SB31 antibody, which comprises a heavy chain having a  $V_H$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 58 and a light chain having a  $V_L$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 46. Specific examples of humanized versions of 38SB31 (hu38SB31) include antibodies comprising a heavy chain having a  $V_H$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 72, and a light chain having a  $V_L$  variable region represented by either SEQ ID NO: 68 or SEQ ID NO: 70.

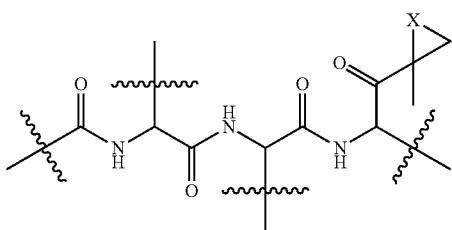
**[0058]** In some embodiments, the anti-CD38 antibodies according to the present invention may, for instance, comprise a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences represented by SEQ ID NOs: 31, 32 and 33, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences represented by SEQ ID NOs: 34, 35, and 36. An example of such an antibody is the 38SB39 antibody, which comprises a heavy chain having a  $V_H$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 60 and a light chain having a  $V_L$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 48.

**[0059]** In some embodiments, the anti-CD38 antibodies according to the invention are humanized antibodies consisting of two identical heavy chains and of two identical light chains, wherein each chain consists of one constant region and of one variable region.

**[0060]** As used herein, a “carfilzomib compound” refers to carfilzomib (S)-4-Methyl-N-((S)-1-(((S)-4-methyl-1-((R)-2-methyloxiran-2-yl)-1-oxopentan-2-yl)amino)-1-oxo-3-phenylpropan-2-yl)-2-((S)-2-(2-morpholinoacetamido)-4-phenylbutanamido)pentanamide and carfilzomib derivatives. As used herein, “carfilzomib derivatives” refers to compounds which have 2-acetamido-N-((1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-1-oxopropan-2-yl)amino)-1-oxopropan-2-yl)propanamide, i.e.,



which may or may not be substituted, as part of its structural formula. In some embodiments, carfilzomib derivatives include compounds which have the following structure, which may or may not be substituted, as part of its structural backbone:



wherein X is selected from O, NH, and N—C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl, preferably O. Examples of “carfilzomib derivatives” according to the present invention include those as set forth in U.S. Pat. Nos. 7,232,818; 7,417,042; 7,491,704; 7,737,112; 8,129,346; 8,207,125; 8,207,126; 8,207,127; and 8,207,297.

**[0061]** In some embodiments, the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies are administered in an effective amount. As used herein, an effective amount of the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies is an amount which results in an additive or a synergistic effect with the one or more carfilzomib compounds. As used herein, a “synergistic amount” is one that results in a synergistic effect. As used herein, a “synergistic effect” refers to the effect of the combination of the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and the one or more carfilzomib compounds which is more than their expected additive effect. In some embodiments, the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies are administered before, during, and/or after the administration of the one or more carfilzomib compounds. In some embodiments, the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and the one or more carfilzomib compounds are co-administered in the form of a single composition, e.g., as a mixture.

**[0062]** Thus, in some embodiments, the present invention is directed to compositions comprising a mixture of at least one anti-CD38 antibody and at least one carfilzomib compound. In some embodiments, the mixture comprises the at least one anti-CD38 antibody in an amount that results in an additive or a synergistic effect with the at least one carfilzomib compound in a subject when both are administered. In some embodiments, the at least one anti-CD38 antibody in the mixture is one which is capable of killing a CD38<sup>+</sup> cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC); and at least one carfilzomib compound.

**[0063]** For the purposes of the present invention, the methods and compositions of the present invention are not exclusively limited to those which are obtained by physical association of the anti-CD38 antibodies and the carfilzomib compound, but also to those which permit a separate administration, which can be simultaneous or spaced out over a period of time. Thus, in some embodiments, the present invention is directed to a first composition comprising the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies, and a second composition comprising one or more carfilzomib compounds. In some embodiments, the at least one anti-CD38 antibody is one which is capable of killing a CD38<sup>+</sup> cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC); and at least one carfilzomib compound. In some embodiments, the amount of the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies provided in the first composition is one that results in an additive or a synergistic effect with the at least one carfilzomib compound in the second composition in a subject when both are administered.

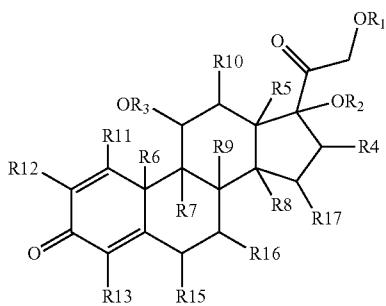
**[0064]** In some embodiments, the first and second compositions may be packaged in a kit. Thus, in some embodiments, the present invention is directed to kits which comprise a first composition comprising the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies, and a second composition comprising one or more carfilzomib compounds. In some embodiments, the first and second composition may be mixed together before administering to a subject. In some embodiments, the first and second compositions, may be administered either simultaneously or sequentially (i.e., spaced out over a period of time) so as to obtain the maximum efficacy, additivity, synergy, or a combination thereof of the combination. In some embodiments, the present invention is directed to kits comprising at least one anti-CD38 antibody packaged together with a label having one or more messages that the anti-CD38 antibody shall or might be administered in combination with carfilzomib and optionally with dexamethasone. The kits according to the present invention may further comprise one or more messages that the antibody shall or might be administered to a subject suffering from a blood cancer such as multiple myeloma (e.g., relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma). In some embodiments, the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies in the kits of the present invention are those which are capable of killing a CD38<sup>+</sup> cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC).

**[0065]** In some embodiments, the compositions of the present invention are pharmaceutical compositions. As used herein, the term “pharmaceutical composition” refers to a composition comprising at least one active principle (e.g., an anti-CD38 antibody or a carfilzomib compound) and at least one pharmaceutically acceptable carrier. Pharmaceutically acceptable carriers are well known to the skilled in the art, and usually depend on the chosen route of administration. Pharmaceutical compositions according to the present invention may be provided in any form or formulation that is suitable for the chosen route of administration, such as e.g., a solution in case of an intravenous route of administration, e.g., capsules, pills or tablets in case of an oral route of administration, etc.

**[0066]** The dosage regimen of the active principles and of the pharmaceutical composition described herein can be chosen by prescribing physicians, based on their knowledge of the art, including information published by regulatory authorities. For example, carfilzomib is typically administered intravenously. According to the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), carfilzomib might be administered intravenously, e.g., over 2 to 10 minutes, on two consecutive days each week for three weeks (Days 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, and 16), followed by a 12-day rest period (Days 17 to 28). In some embodiments, the recommended Cycle 1 dose is 20 mg/m<sup>2</sup>/day and, if tolerated, the doses of Cycle 2 and subsequent cycles are increased to 27 mg/m<sup>2</sup>/day. In some embodiments, patients are hydrated prior to and/or following administration. Since, however, co-administration of the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and the one or more carfilzomib compounds results in an additive or a synergistic effect, the dosing of the carfilzomib compound may be adjusted accordingly, e.g., the dose changed and/or the dosing schedule modified. Of course, prescribing physicians might reconsider which dose and schedule to use depending on the condition and disease status of the patient and based upon clinical and laboratory findings.

**[0067]** As the FDA recommends pre-medication with dexamethasone prior to all Cycle 1 doses, during the first cycle of

dose escalation, and if infusion reaction symptoms develop or reappear, the methods and compositions of the present invention may further include dexamethasone, which is member of the glucocorticoid class of steroid drugs, and acts as an anti-inflammatory and immunosuppressant. Thus, in some embodiments, the treatment methods of the present invention further comprise administering a dexamethasone compound to the subject being treated with the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and the one or more carfilzomib compounds. Similarly, the compositions and kits of the present invention which comprise the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and/or the one or more carfilzomib compounds may further comprise a dexamethasone compound. As used herein, a “dexamethasone compound” refers to dexamethasone ((8S,9R,10S,11S,13S,14S,16R,17R)-9-Fluoro-11,17-dihydroxy-17-(2-hydroxyacetyl)-10,13,16-trimethyl-6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17-dodecahydro-3H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren-3-one) and dexamethasone derivatives. As used herein, a “dexamethasone derivative” refers to a compound having the following structural formula:



wherein R1-R17 are each independently H, a halogen, an alkyl, an alkoxy, amino, or an alkylamine. In some preferred embodiments, R1-R3 are H. In some preferred embodiments, R4-R6 are methyl. In some preferred embodiments, R7 is a halogen, preferably fluorine. In some preferred embodiments, R8 is H. In some preferred embodiments, R1-R3 are H, R4-R6 are methyl, R7 is a halogen, preferably fluorine, and R8 is H.

[0068] In some embodiments, the dexamethasone compound may be administered orally. In some embodiments, the dexamethasone compound may be administered at the same or a lower dose than the dose recommended for dexamethasone by the EMA.

[0069] The compositions of the present invention may be used as a medicament and/or for use in the manufacture of a medicament. In some embodiments, the compositions of the present invention may be used as a medicament and/or for use in the manufacture of a medicament for use in the treatment of a cancer such as a hematological malignancy of the blood, bone marrow, and/or lymph nodes, preferably a blood cancer.

[0070] Several documents are cited throughout the text of this specification. Each of the documents herein (including any journal article or abstract, published or unpublished patent application, issued patent, manufacturer's specifications, instructions, etc.) are hereby incorporated by reference. However, there is no admission that any document cited herein is indeed prior art in respect of the present invention.

[0071] The following examples are intended to illustrate but not to limit the invention.

## EXAMPLES

[0072] hu38SB19 was provided in solution at 5 mg/ml, stored at 4° C. It was diluted into sterile saline in preparation for dosing, stored at 4° C. and used within 10 days of dilution.

[0073] Carfilzomib (PR-171) was obtained from Chemie Tek (CT-CARF 98). Carfilzomib was formulated in an aqueous solution of 10% (w/v) sulfobutylether-h-cyclodextrin (Cydex) and 10 mmol/L sodium citrate (pH 3.5), 2 mg/ml stock prepared and frozen at -80° C., diluted daily with vehicle before injection. Carfilzomib was administered weekly qd×2×3 wk (iv).

### Example 1

#### Effect of the Administration of Both Anti-CD38 Antibody and Carfilzomib in a Mice Model of MM

[0074] These studies under this Example were done under approval of the UCSF IACUC.

[0075] The subcutaneous multiple myeloma (MM) xenograft mouse models were established using NCI-H929 or RPMI-8226 cell lines. Specifically, 5-6 week old female Balb/c Scid mice were obtained from Jackson Lab. Mice were housed for 7-10 days prior to implantation. Mice were housed in a dedicated room in the UCSF Mt Zion Animal Barrier Facility. NCI-H929 and RPMI-8226 cells were obtained from the German Collection of Microorganisms and Cell Cultures, DSMZ, (Deutsche Sammlung von Mikroorganismen und Zellkulturen), and grown in sterile suspension culture in T225 flasks as follows: NCI-H929: RPMI1640+20% FBS+4 mM L-glutamine+1 mM sodium pyruvate+50 μM mercaptoethanol. RPMI-8226: RPMI1640+10% FBS+4 mM L-glutamine.

[0076] At the time of implantation, mice were shaved on the right flank and shoulder region and anesthetized with ip avertin. MM cells suspended in serum free RPMI 1640 media diluted 1:1 with Matrigel (BD) at a concentration of 1×10<sup>8</sup> cells per ml were injected sc into the right flank in 100 μL volume (1×10<sup>7</sup> cells) using a 1 ml syringe and 25 g needle. Mice were monitored twice weekly for the appearance of tumors and once tumors were visible, measurements were collected twice weekly for body weight and tumor volume. Electronic balance and calipers were used and data was collected directly into a study management program (Study Director). When the mean tumor volume reached about 150-200 mm<sup>3</sup>, the mice were distributed into treatment groups of 8-10 mice per groups and dosing was begun.

[0077] The dosing schedule was hu38SB19 was 2×/wk×2 wk (iv, lateral tail vein) and carfilzomib was weekly qd×2×3 wk (iv, lateral tail vein) (once per day, two days a week for three weeks). Dose levels for use in combination studies are as follows:

Cell Type	Carfilzomib	hu38SB19
NCI-H929	2 mpk	0.5 mpk
RPMI 8226	2.5 mpk	15 mpk

mpk = mg per kg body weight

[0078] Data were collected using electronic balance and calipers using a study management application called Study-Log (Study Director). Graphs are taken directly from the application. The experimental results are provided in FIGS. 1A-10B.

**[0079]** Based on the single agent results of hu38SB19 and carfilzomib in RPMI-8226 and NCI-H929 multiple myeloma xenograft models, the H929 model appears to be a more sensitive model to both agents while the RPMI model seems to be more resistant to the treatments even at the highest doses tested (FIGS. 1A-7B). Therefore in the combination studies, a suboptimal dose for each agent was chosen to evaluate the activity of the combination treatment (carfilzomib+ hu38SB19) in the H929 model while higher doses of carfilzomib and hu38SB19 were tested in the RPMI model.

**[0080]** Antitumor activity was determined according to NCI standards based on the ratio of the median tumor volume change of the treated/median tumor volume change of the control $\times 100$  (% $\Delta T/\Delta C$ ). Low numerical values for  $\Delta T/\Delta C$  describe stronger anti-tumor activity. Anti-tumor activity is defined as  $T/C < 40\%$  at minimum.  $\Delta T/\Delta C < 10\%$  is considered high anti-tumor activity.

**[0081]** In the H929 model, hu38SB19 alone at 0.5 mg/kg/injection (twice a week for 2 weeks) was inactive with a % $\Delta T/\Delta C$  of 74%. Treatment with carfilzomib alone at 2 mg/kg (twice a week for three weeks) was inactive (68% $\Delta T/\Delta C$ ). The combination of hu38SB19 (0.5 mg/kg/injection) and carfilzomib (2 mg/kg/injection) had much higher activity (tumor regression) with % $\Delta T/\Delta C$  of -11% (FIG. 8). The results are summarized in Table 1.

TABLE 1

Anti-tumor efficacy of hu38SB19 in combination with carfilzomib against NCI-H929 multiple myeloma model					
Agent	Dose in mg/kg (total dose)	Schedule of Administration	% $\Delta T/\Delta C$ (D69)	Activity	
		IV route			
PBS	—	2x/wk x 2 wk (IV)			
hu38SB19	0.5 (2)	2x/wk x 2 wk (IV)	74	Inactive	
Carfilzomib	2 (12)	2x/wk x 3 wk (IV)	68	Inactive	
hu38SB19 + Carfilzomib	0.5 (2) + 2 (12)	2x/wk x 2 wk (IV) + 2x/wk x 3 wk (IV)	-11	Highly Active	

%  $\Delta T/\Delta C$  Median tumor volume change of the treated/Median tumor volume change of the control  $\times 100$ ,

IV = intravenous,

wk = week,

PBS: phosphate buffered saline

**[0082]** As shown in FIGS. 10A-10B, similar results were obtained in the RPMI-8226 xenograft models. In particular, on Day 41, carfilzomib (3 mg/kg qd $\times 2$  every wk $\times 3$  wk) resulted in 0/10 complete regressions; hu38SB19 (3 mg/kg BIW $\times 2$  wk) resulted in 2/10 complete regressions. Thus, the additive expectation based on extrapolation for the combination of carfilzomib and hu38SB19 would be expected to be 2/10 complete regressions. However, the combination of carfilzomib and hu38SB19 surprisingly resulted in 5/8 complete regressions which is more than 3 times the expected result.

**[0083]** In both the NCI-H929 and RPMI-8226 xenograft models, the combination treatment inhibited tumor growth to a much greater extent than a single agent alone, indicating the combination of hu38SB19 and carfilzomib blocked tumor cell growth through potential synergistic mechanisms. Carfilzomib is a second generation proteasome inhibitor which was recently approved to treat relapsed and refractory multiple myeloma patients. Inhibition of proteasome activity by carfilzomib results in a build-up of polyubiquinated proteins, which may cause cell cycle arrest, apoptosis, and inhibition of

tumor growth. Hu38SB19 has demonstrated multiple mechanisms of action including ADCC, CDC, and direct apoptosis induction.

**[0084]** It has been reported that some CD38 antibodies such as Daratumumab is able to induce apoptosis only after cross-linking with a secondary antibody without much direct effect by itself. However, in preclinical studies, hu38SB19 demonstrated potent direct pro-apoptotic activity on tumor cells without cross-linking. Thus, this unique property of hu38SB19 may also lead to greater tumor cell killing when in combination with carfilzomib compared to other CD38 antibodies combined with carfilzomib.

## Example 2

### Effect of the Administration of Both Anti-CD38 Antibody and Carfilzomib in Humans

**[0085]** A clinical study for evaluating the effects of a treatment with hu38SB19 combined with carfilzomib in patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma may be performed as described below.

**[0086]** The goals of the study may include:

**[0087]** To determine the efficacy and the maximum tolerated dose;

**[0088]** To evaluate the safety, including immunogenicity, of hu38SB19 in combination with carfilzomib in relapse or refractory multiple myeloma. The severity, frequency and incidence of all toxicities is assessed;

**[0089]** To evaluate the pharmacokinetics (PK) of hu38SB19 when administered in combination with carfilzomib and the PK of carfilzomib in combination with hu38SB19, and optionally dexamethasone.

**[0090]** To assess the relationship between clinical (adverse event and/or tumor response) effects and pharmacologic parameters (PK/pharmacodynamics), and/or biologic (correlative laboratory) results;

**[0091]** Estimate the activity (response rate) using International Myeloma Working Group defined response criteria of hu38SB19 plus carfilzomib, and optionally dexamethasone; and

**[0092]** To describe overall survival, progression free survival (PFS) and time to disease progression in patients treated with this combination.

**[0093]** Patients with relapsed multiple myeloma who have received at least two prior treatments (including bortezomib and thalidomide and/or lenalidomide) and whose disease has a less than or equal to 25% response to the most recent therapy or has disease progression during or within 60 days of the most recent therapy are enrolled. Patients excluded from the trial are those having total bilirubin levels  $\geq 2\times$  upper limit of normal (ULN); creatinine clearance rates  $< 30$  mL/min; New York Heart Association Class III to IV congestive heart failure; symptomatic cardiac ischemia; myocardial infarction within the last 6 months; peripheral neuropathy Grade 3 or 4, or peripheral neuropathy Grade 2 with pain; active infections requiring treatment; and pleural effusion.

**[0094]** Carfilzomib is administered intravenously over 2 to 10 minutes on two consecutive days each week for three weeks, followed by a 12-day rest period (28-day treatment cycle), until disease progression, unacceptable toxicity, or for a maximum of 12 cycles. Patients receive 20 mg/m<sup>2</sup> at each dose in Cycle 1, and 27 mg/m<sup>2</sup> in subsequent cycles. To reduce the incidence and severity of fever, rigors, chills, dyspnea, myalgia, and arthralgia, dexamethasone 4 mg by mouth

or by intravenous infusion may be administered prior to all carfilzomib doses during the first cycle and prior to all carfilzomib doses during the first dose-escalation (27 mg/m<sup>2</sup>) cycle. Dexamethasone premedication (4 mg orally or intravenously) may be reinstated if these symptoms reappeared during subsequent cycles. Doses of hu38SB19 may be administered on the same days the carfilzomib doses are administered and/or on different days. When administered on the same days, hu38SB19 and carfilzomib may be administered at the same time as one composition or as two separate compositions.

[0095] The study duration for an individual patient includes a screening period for inclusion of up to 21 days, and at least 4 weeks of treatment in the absence of severe adverse reaction, dose limiting toxicity or disease progression plus up to 60 days post-treatment follow up. The total duration of the study may be up to one year.

[0096] The following parameters may be measured during and/or at the end of the study:

- [0097] Number of patients with adverse events when treated with hu38SB19 in combination with carfilzomib;
- [0098] Assessment of partial response, complete response, progression free survival, and survival;
- [0099] Assessment of the following PK parameters: area under curve (AUC), maximum concentration (Cmax) and plasma half-life (T 1/2);
- [0100] Number of CD38 receptors occupied by hu38SB19; and
- [0101] Number of anti-SAR antibodies in response to hu38SB19.

### Example 3

#### Efficacy of Anti-CD38 Antibody in In Vivo Tumor Models of Multiple Myeloma as a Single-Agent or in Combination with and Carfilzomib

##### A. Materials and Methods

[0102] CD38 Density: CD38 density was determined using anti-CD38-PE Quantibrite (BD Biosciences; Cat.342371) per the manufacturer's recommended protocols.

[0103] Reagents & Compounds: hu38SB19 was provided by Sanofi Oncology in solution at 5 mg/ml and stored at 4° C. hu38SB19 was diluted into sterile saline in preparation for dosing and used within 10 days of dilution. hu38SB19 was administered twice weekly×2 wk IV. Carfilzomib (PR-171) was obtained from Chemie Tek (CT-CARF 98). Carfilzomib was formulated in an aqueous solution of 10% (w/v) sulfobutylether-h-cyclodextrin (Cydex) and 10 mmol/L sodium citrate (pH 3.5), 2 mg/ml stock prepared and frozen at -80° C., diluted daily with vehicle before injection. Carfilzomib was administered weekly qdx2×3 wk (iv).

[0104] Test Animals: 5-6 week old female Balb/c Scid mice were obtained from Jackson Lab. Mice were housed for 7-10 days prior to implantation of multiple myeloma (MM) cell lines. Mice were housed in a dedicated room in the UCSF Mt. Zion Animal Barrier Facility.

[0105] Xenograft Model: At the time of implantation, mice were shaved on the right flank and shoulder. MM cells were suspended in serum free RPMI 1640 media diluted 1:1 with

Matrigel (BD) at a concentration of 1×10<sup>8</sup> cells per ml were injected sc into the right flank in 100 ul volume (1×10<sup>7</sup> cells) using a 1 ml syringe and 25 g needle. Mice were monitored twice weekly for the appearance of tumors and once tumors were visible, measurements were collected twice weekly for body weight and tumor volume. Electronic balance and calipers were used and data was collected directly into a study management program (Study Director). When the mean tumor volume reached approximately 150-200 mm<sup>3</sup>, mice were distributed into treatment groups of 8-10 mice per group and dosing was initiated.

##### B. Summary and Conclusions

[0106] hu38SB19 is a humanized anti-CD38 antibody whose anti-myeloma effects incorporate mechanisms of ADCC, CDC, and direct apoptosis. FIG. 11 shows the cell surface density of CD38 in multiple myeloma cell lines. See Kim D, Park CY, Medeiros B C, Weissman I L. CD19-CD45 low/-CD38 high/CD138+ plasma cells enrich for human tumorigenic myeloma cells. *Leukemia*. 2012 December, 26(12):2530-7. CD38-positive multiple myeloma plasma cells demonstrate variable CD38 cell surface densities. All cell lines, with the exception of XG-6, are reported as CD38-positive. See Bataille R, Jégo G, Robillard N, et al. The phenotype of normal, reactive and malignant plasma cells. Identification of "many and multiple myelomas" and of new targets for myeloma therapy. *Haematologica*. 2006 September, 91(9):1234-40. Binding of hu38SB19 to CD38 also impinges on the ADPRC enzymatic activity of CD38. In vivo, hu38SB19 demonstrates potent anti-tumor effects in multiple myeloma xenografts, a disease largely characterized by neoplastic plasma cells expressing CD38. FIG. 12 shows that single-agent administration of hu38SB19 results in dose-dependent inhibition of tumor growth in an NCI-H929 hind-flank model. The magnitude and significance of tumor growth inhibition at the end of the study increased with increased doses of hu38SB19. FIG. 13 shows that a combined regimen of hu38SB19 and carfilzomib results in significant tumor growth inhibition in an NCI-H929 xenograft model that is not robustly sensitive to single-agent therapy with carfilzomib. These data demonstrate that single-agent hu38SB19 inhibits growth of NCI-H929 tumors and combines with sub-efficacious doses of carfilzomib to produce significant inhibition of tumor growth. Taken together, these data support further evaluation of hu38SB19, both as a single-agent and in combination with standard-of-care treatment regimens, as a potential therapy for the treatment of multiple myeloma.

[0107] To the extent necessary to understand or complete the disclosure of the present invention, all publications, patents, and patent applications mentioned herein are expressly incorporated by reference therein to the same extent as though each were individually so incorporated.

[0108] Having thus described exemplary embodiments of the present invention, it should be noted by those skilled in the art that the within disclosures are exemplary only and that various other alternatives, adaptations, and modifications may be made within the scope of the present invention. Accordingly, the present invention is not limited to the specific embodiments as illustrated herein, but is only limited by the following claims.

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gtt gcc tgg tat caa cac aaa cca gga caa tcc cct aaa ata atg att	144
Val Ala Trp Tyr Gln His Lys Pro Gly Gln Ser Pro Lys Ile Met Ile	
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Tyr Ser Ala Ser Ser Arg Tyr Ser Gly Val Pro Asp Arg Phe Thr Gly	
50 55 60	
agt gga tct ggg aca ctt ttc act ctc acc atc aac aat gtg cag tct	240
Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Leu Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Asn Asn Val Gln Ser	
65 70 75 80	
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Glu Asp Leu Ala Glu Tyr Phe Cys Gln Gln Tyr Asn Ser Tyr Pro Leu	
85 90 95	
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<210> SEQ ID NO 48

<211> LENGTH: 108

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Val Ala Trp Tyr Gln His Lys Pro Gly Gln Ser Pro Lys Ile Met Ile	
35 40 45	
Tyr Ser Ala Ser Ser Arg Tyr Ser Gly Val Pro Asp Arg Phe Thr Gly	
50 55 60	
Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Leu Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Asn Asn Val Gln Ser	
65 70 75 80	
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<222> LOCATION: (1) .. (342)

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1 5 10 15	
aca gtc aag atc tcc tgc aag gct tct ggg tat acc ctc aca agc tac	96
Thr Val Lys Ile Ser Cys Lys Ala Ser Gly Tyr Thr Leu Thr Ser Tyr	
20 25 30	

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gga atg aac tgg gtg aag cag cag gct cca gga aag ggt tta aag tgg atg	144
Gly Met Asn Trp Val Lys Gln Ala Pro Gly Lys Gly Leu Lys Trp Met	
35 40 45	
ggc tgg ata aac acc tac act gga gaa cca aca tat gct gat gac ttt	192
Gly Trp Ile Asn Thr Tyr Thr Gly Glu Pro Thr Tyr Ala Asp Asp Phe	
50 55 60	
aag gga cgt ttt gcc ttc tct ttg gaa acc tct gcc agc act gcc ttt	240
Lys Gly Arg Phe Ala Phe Ser Leu Glu Thr Ser Ala Ser Thr Ala Phe	
65 70 75 80	
ttg cag atc aac aac ctc aaa aat gag gac acg gct aca tat ttc tgt	288
Leu Gln Ile Asn Asn Leu Lys Asn Glu Asp Thr Ala Thr Tyr Phe Cys	
85 90 95	
gta aga cgc ggg ttt gct tac tgg ggc caa ggg act ctg gtc act gtc	336
Val Arg Arg Gly Phe Ala Tyr Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr Leu Val Thr Val	
100 105 110	
tct gca	342
Ser Ala	

&lt;210&gt; SEQ ID NO 50

&lt;211&gt; LENGTH: 114

&lt;212&gt; TYPE: PRT

&lt;213&gt; ORGANISM: Mus sp.

&lt;400&gt; SEQUENCE: 50

Gln Ile Gln Leu Val Gln Ser Gly Pro Glu Leu Lys Lys Pro Gly Glu	
1 5 10 15	
Thr Val Lys Ile Ser Cys Lys Ala Ser Gly Tyr Thr Leu Thr Ser Tyr	
20 25 30	
Gly Met Asn Trp Val Lys Gln Ala Pro Gly Lys Gly Leu Lys Trp Met	
35 40 45	
Gly Trp Ile Asn Thr Tyr Thr Gly Glu Pro Thr Tyr Ala Asp Asp Phe	
50 55 60	
Lys Gly Arg Phe Ala Phe Ser Leu Glu Thr Ser Ala Ser Thr Ala Phe	
65 70 75 80	
Leu Gln Ile Asn Asn Leu Lys Asn Glu Asp Thr Ala Thr Tyr Phe Cys	
85 90 95	
Val Arg Arg Gly Phe Ala Tyr Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr Leu Val Thr Val	
100 105 110	
Ser Ala	

&lt;210&gt; SEQ ID NO 51

&lt;211&gt; LENGTH: 342

&lt;212&gt; TYPE: DNA

&lt;213&gt; ORGANISM: Mus sp.

&lt;220&gt; FEATURE:

&lt;221&gt; NAME/KEY: CDS

&lt;222&gt; LOCATION: (1)..(342)

&lt;400&gt; SEQUENCE: 51

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Gln Ile Gln Leu Val Gln Ser Gly Pro Glu Leu Lys Lys Pro Gly Glu	
1 5 10 15	
aca gtc aag atc tcc tgc aag gct tct ggg tat acc ttc aca aac tct	96
Thr Val Lys Ile Ser Cys Lys Ala Ser Gly Tyr Thr Phe Thr Asn Ser	
20 25 30	
gga atg aac tgg gtg aag cag gct cca gga aag ggt tta aag tgg atg	144
Gly Met Asn Trp Val Lys Gln Ala Pro Gly Lys Gly Leu Lys Trp Met	

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35	40	45	
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Gly Trp Ile Asn Thr Tyr Thr Gly Glu Pro Thr Tyr Ala Asp Asp Phe			
50	55	60	
aag gga ccg ttt gcc ttc tct ttg gaa acc tct gcc agc tct gcc tat			240
Lys Gly Arg Phe Ala Phe Ser Leu Glu Thr Ser Ala Ser Ser Ala Tyr			
65	70	75	80
ttg cag atc agt aac ctc aaa aat gag gac acg gct aca tat ttc tgt			288
Leu Gln Ile Ser Asn Leu Lys Asn Glu Asp Thr Ala Thr Tyr Phe Cys			
85	90	95	
gca aga agg ggt ttt gtt tac tgg ggc caa ggg act ctg gta act gtc			336
Ala Arg Arg Gly Phe Val Tyr Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr Leu Val Thr Val			
100	105	110	
tct gca			342
Ser Ala			

&lt;210&gt; SEQ ID NO 52

&lt;211&gt; LENGTH: 114

&lt;212&gt; TYPE: PRT

&lt;213&gt; ORGANISM: Mus sp.

&lt;400&gt; SEQUENCE: 52

Gln Ile Gln Leu Val Gln Ser Gly Pro Glu Leu Lys Lys Pro Gly Glu			
1	5	10	15
Thr Val Lys Ile Ser Cys Lys Ala Ser Gly Tyr Thr Phe Thr Asn Ser			
20	25	30	
Gly Met Asn Trp Val Lys Gln Ala Pro Gly Lys Gly Leu Lys Trp Met			
35	40	45	
Gly Trp Ile Asn Thr Tyr Thr Gly Glu Pro Thr Tyr Ala Asp Asp Phe			
50	55	60	
Lys Gly Arg Phe Ala Phe Ser Leu Glu Thr Ser Ala Ser Ser Ala Tyr			
65	70	75	80
Leu Gln Ile Ser Asn Leu Lys Asn Glu Asp Thr Ala Thr Tyr Phe Cys			
85	90	95	
Ala Arg Arg Gly Phe Val Tyr Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr Leu Val Thr Val			
100	105	110	
Ser Ala			

&lt;210&gt; SEQ ID NO 53

&lt;211&gt; LENGTH: 360

&lt;212&gt; TYPE: DNA

&lt;213&gt; ORGANISM: Mus sp.

&lt;220&gt; FEATURE:

&lt;221&gt; NAME/KEY: CDS

&lt;222&gt; LOCATION: (1)..(360)

&lt;400&gt; SEQUENCE: 53

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Gln Val Gln Leu Gln Gln Ser Gly Ala Glu Leu Ala Arg Pro Gly Thr			
1	5	10	15
tca gtg aag ttg tcc tgt aag gct tct ggc tac acc ttt act gac tac		96	
Ser Val Lys Leu Ser Cys Lys Ala Ser Gly Tyr Thr Phe Thr Asp Tyr			
20	25	30	
tgg atg cag tgg gta aaa cag agg cct gga cag ggt ctg gag tgg att		144	
Trp Met Gln Trp Val Lys Gln Arg Pro Gly Gln Gly Leu Glu Trp Ile			
35	40	45	
ggg act att tat cct gga gat ggt gat act ggg tac gct cag aag ttc		192	

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Gly Thr Ile Tyr Pro Gly Asp Gly Asp Thr Gly Tyr Ala Gln Lys Phe			
50	55	60	
aag ggc aag gcc aca ttg act gcg gat aaa tcc tcc aaa aca gtc tac			240
Lys Gly Lys Ala Thr Leu Thr Ala Asp Lys Ser Ser Lys Thr Val Tyr			
65	70	75	80
atg cac ctc agc agt ttg gct tct gag gac tct gcg gtc tat tac tgt			288
Met His Leu Ser Ser Leu Ala Ser Glu Asp Ser Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys			
85	90	95	
gca aga ggg gat tac tac ggt agt aat tct ttg gac tat tgg ggt caa			336
Ala Arg Gly Asp Tyr Tyr Gly Ser Asn Ser Leu Asp Tyr Trp Gly Gln			
100	105	110	
gga acc tca gtc acc gtc tcc tca			360
Gly Thr Ser Val Thr Val Ser Ser			
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<210> SEQ ID NO 54

<211> LENGTH: 120

<212> TYPE: PRT

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1	5	10	15

Ser Val Lys Leu Ser Cys Lys Ala Ser Gly Tyr Thr Phe Thr Asp Tyr			
20	25	30	

Trp Met Gln Trp Val Lys Gln Arg Pro Gly Gln Gly Leu Glu Trp Ile			
35	40	45	

Gly Thr Ile Tyr Pro Gly Asp Gly Asp Thr Gly Tyr Ala Gln Lys Phe			
50	55	60	

Lys Gly Lys Ala Thr Leu Thr Ala Asp Lys Ser Ser Lys Thr Val Tyr			
65	70	75	80

Met His Leu Ser Ser Leu Ala Ser Glu Asp Ser Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys			
85	90	95	

Ala Arg Gly Asp Tyr Tyr Gly Ser Asn Ser Leu Asp Tyr Trp Gly Gln			
100	105	110	

Gly Thr Ser Val Thr Val Ser Ser			
115	120		

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<221> NAME/KEY: CDS

<222> LOCATION: (1)..(357)

<400> SEQUENCE: 55

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Gln Val Gln Leu Gln Gln Ser Gly Pro Glu Leu Val Arg Pro Gly Ala			
1	5	10	15

tca gtg aag att tcc tgc aaa act tct ggc tac gca ttc agt ggc tcc			96
Ser Val Lys Ile Ser Cys Lys Thr Ser Gly Tyr Ala Phe Ser Gly Ser			
20	25	30	

tgg atg aac tgg gtg aag cag agg cct gga cag ggt cta gag tgg att			144
Trp Met Asn Trp Val Lys Gln Arg Pro Gly Gln Gly Leu Glu Trp Ile			
35	40	45	

gga cgg att tat ccg gga gat gga gat atc att tac aat ggg aat ttc			192
Gly Arg Ile Tyr Pro Gly Asp Ile Ile Tyr Asn Gly Asn Phe			

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50	55	60	
agg gac aag gtc aca ctg tct gca gac aaa tcc tcc aac aca gcc tac			240
Arg Asp Lys Val Thr Leu Ser Ala Asp Lys Ser Ser Asn Thr Ala Tyr			
65	70	75	80
atg cag ctc agc agc ctg acc tct gtg gac tct gcg gtc tat ttt tgt			288
Met Gln Leu Ser Ser Leu Thr Ser Val Asp Ser Ala Val Tyr Phe Cys			
85	90	95	
tcg aga tgg ggg aca ttt acg ccg agt ttt gac tat tgg ggc caa ggc			336
Ser Arg Trp Gly Thr Phe Thr Pro Ser Phe Asp Tyr Trp Gly Gln Gly			
100	105	110	
acc act ctc aca gtc tcc tca			357
Thr Thr Leu Thr Val Ser Ser			
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<211> LENGTH: 119			
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1	5	10	15
Ser Val Lys Ile Ser Cys Lys Thr Ser Gly Tyr Ala Phe Ser Gly Ser			
20	25	30	
Trp Met Asn Trp Val Lys Gln Arg Pro Gly Gln Gly Leu Glu Trp Ile			
35	40	45	
Gly Arg Ile Tyr Pro Gly Asp Gly Asp Ile Ile Tyr Asn Gly Asn Phe			
50	55	60	
Arg Asp Lys Val Thr Leu Ser Ala Asp Lys Ser Ser Asn Thr Ala Tyr			
65	70	75	80
Met Gln Leu Ser Ser Leu Thr Ser Val Asp Ser Ala Val Tyr Phe Cys			
85	90	95	
Ser Arg Trp Gly Thr Phe Thr Pro Ser Phe Asp Tyr Trp Gly Gln Gly			
100	105	110	
Thr Thr Leu Thr Val Ser Ser			
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Asp Val Lys Leu Val Glu Ser Gly Gly Leu Val Lys Pro Gly Gly			
1	5	10	15
tcc ctg aaa ctc tcc tgt gaa gcc tct gga ttc act ttc agt agc tat			96
Ser Leu Lys Leu Ser Cys Glu Ala Ser Gly Phe Thr Phe Ser Ser Tyr			
20	25	30	
acc ctg tct tgg gtt cgc cag act ccg gag acg agg ctg gag tgg gtc			144
Thr Leu Ser Trp Val Arg Gln Thr Pro Glu Thr Arg Leu Glu Trp Val			
35	40	45	
gca acc att agt att ggt ggt cgc tac acc tat tat cca gac agt gtg			192
Ala Thr Ile Ser Ile Gly Gly Arg Tyr Thr Tyr Tyr Pro Asp Ser Val			
50	55	60	

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gag ggc cga ttc acc atc tcc aga gac aat gcc aag aac acc ctg tac 240  
 Glu Gly Arg Phe Thr Ile Ser Arg Asp Asn Ala Lys Asn Thr Leu Tyr  
 65 70 75 80  
  
 ctg caa atg aac agt ctg aag tct gag gac aca gcc atg tat tac tgt 288  
 Leu Gln Met Asn Ser Leu Lys Ser Glu Asp Thr Ala Met Tyr Tyr Cys  
 85 90 95  
  
 aca aga gat ttt aat ggt tac tct gac ttc tgg ggc caa ggc acc act 336  
 Thr Arg Asp Phe Asn Gly Tyr Ser Asp Phe Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr Thr  
 100 105 110  
  
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 Leu Thr Val Ser Ser  
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 Ser Leu Lys Leu Ser Cys Glu Ala Ser Gly Phe Thr Phe Ser Ser Tyr  
 20 25 30  
  
 Thr Leu Ser Trp Val Arg Gln Thr Pro Glu Thr Arg Leu Glu Trp Val  
 35 40 45  
  
 Ala Thr Ile Ser Ile Gly Gly Arg Tyr Thr Tyr Pro Asp Ser Val  
 50 55 60  
  
 Glu Gly Arg Phe Thr Ile Ser Arg Asp Asn Ala Lys Asn Thr Leu Tyr  
 65 70 75 80  
  
 Leu Gln Met Asn Ser Leu Lys Ser Glu Asp Thr Ala Met Tyr Tyr Cys  
 85 90 95  
  
 Thr Arg Asp Phe Asn Gly Tyr Ser Asp Phe Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr Thr  
 100 105 110  
  
 Leu Thr Val Ser Ser  
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 Asn Val Gln Leu Val Glu Ser Gly Gly Leu Val Gln Pro Gly Gly  
 1 5 10 15  
  
 tcc cgg aaa ctc tcc tgt gca gcc tct gga ttc act ttc agt aac ttt 96  
 Ser Arg Lys Leu Ser Cys Ala Ala Ser Gly Phe Thr Phe Ser Asn Phe  
 20 25 30  
  
 gga atg cac tgg gtt cgt cag gct cca gag aag ggt ctg gag tgg gtc 144  
 Gly Met His Trp Val Arg Gln Ala Pro Glu Lys Gly Leu Glu Trp Val  
 35 40 45  
  
 gca tac att cgt agt ggc agt ggt acc atc tac tat tca gac aca gtg 192  
 Ala Tyr Ile Arg Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Ile Tyr Tyr Ser Asp Thr Val  
 50 55 60

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aag ggc cga ttc acc atc tcc aga gac aat ccc aag aac acc ctg ttc 240  
 Lys Gly Arg Phe Thr Ile Ser Arg Asp Asn Pro Lys Asn Thr Leu Phe  
 65 70 75 80

ctg caa atg acc agt cta agg tct gag gac acg gcc atg tat tac tgt 288  
 Leu Gln Met Thr Ser Leu Arg Ser Glu Asp Thr Ala Met Tyr Tyr Cys  
 85 90 95

gca aga tcc tac tat gat ttc ggg gcc tgg ttt gct tac tgg ggc caa 336  
 Ala Arg Ser Tyr Tyr Asp Phe Gly Ala Trp Phe Ala Tyr Trp Gly Gln  
 100 105 110

ggg act ctg gtc act gtc tct gca 360  
 Gly Thr Leu Val Thr Val Ser Ala  
 115 120

<210> SEQ ID NO 60

<211> LENGTH: 120

<212> TYPE: PRT

<213> ORGANISM: Mus sp.

<400> SEQUENCE: 60

Asn Val Gln Leu Val Glu Ser Gly Gly Leu Val Gln Pro Gly Gly  
 1 5 10 15

Ser Arg Lys Leu Ser Cys Ala Ala Ser Gly Phe Thr Phe Ser Asn Phe  
 20 25 30

Gly Met His Trp Val Arg Gln Ala Pro Glu Lys Gly Leu Glu Trp Val  
 35 40 45

Ala Tyr Ile Arg Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Ile Tyr Tyr Ser Asp Thr Val  
 50 55 60

Lys Gly Arg Phe Thr Ile Ser Arg Asp Asn Pro Lys Asn Thr Leu Phe  
 65 70 75 80

Leu Gln Met Thr Ser Leu Arg Ser Glu Asp Thr Ala Met Tyr Tyr Cys  
 85 90 95

Ala Arg Ser Tyr Tyr Asp Phe Gly Ala Trp Phe Ala Tyr Trp Gly Gln  
 100 105 110

Gly Thr Leu Val Thr Val Ser Ala  
 115 120

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 Asp Ile Val Met Thr Gln Ser His Leu Ser Met Ser Thr Ser Leu Gly  
 1 5 10 15

gat cct gtg tca atc act tgc aag gcc tca cag gat gtg agc acc gtc 96  
 Asp Pro Val Ser Ile Thr Cys Lys Ala Ser Gln Asp Val Ser Thr Val  
 20 25 30

gtt gct tgg tat cag cag aag ccc ggg caa tca ccc aga cgt ctc atc 144  
 Val Ala Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Gln Ser Pro Arg Arg Leu Ile  
 35 40 45

tac tca gca tca tac cgt tac atc ggg gtg cct gac cga ttt act ggc 192  
 Tyr Ser Ala Ser Tyr Arg Tyr Ile Gly Val Pro Asp Arg Phe Thr Gly  
 50 55 60

tct ggc gct ggc aca gat ttc acc ttt aca att agt tcc gtc cag gcc 240

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Ser Gly Ala Gly Thr Asp Phe Thr Phe Thr Ile Ser Ser Val Gln Ala  
 65 70 75 80

gaa gac ctg gcc gtg tac tac tgc cag cag cac tac agt ccc cca tac 288  
 Glu Asp Leu Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys Gln Gln His Tyr Ser Pro Pro Tyr  
 85 90 95

act ttc ggg gga ggg act aag ctc gaa atc aaa cgt 324  
 Thr Phe Gly Gly Thr Lys Leu Glu Ile Lys Arg  
 100 105

<210> SEQ ID NO 62  
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<400> SEQUENCE: 62

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 1 5 10 15

Asp Pro Val Ser Ile Thr Cys Lys Ala Ser Gln Asp Val Ser Thr Val  
 20 25 30

Val Ala Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Gln Ser Pro Arg Arg Leu Ile  
 35 40 45

Tyr Ser Ala Ser Tyr Arg Tyr Ile Gly Val Pro Asp Arg Phe Thr Gly  
 50 55 60

Ser Gly Ala Gly Thr Asp Phe Thr Phe Thr Ile Ser Ser Val Gln Ala  
 65 70 75 80

Glu Asp Leu Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys Gln Gln His Tyr Ser Pro Pro Tyr  
 85 90 95

Thr Phe Gly Gly Thr Lys Leu Glu Ile Lys Arg  
 100 105

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 1 5 10 15

gat cct gtgt tcc atc act tgc aaa gcc agt caa gac gtgt tct aca gtt 96  
 Asp Pro Val Ser Ile Thr Cys Lys Ala Ser Gln Asp Val Ser Thr Val  
 20 25 30

gtt gca tgg tat caa cag aag cca ggc cag tca ccc aga cgg ctc att 144  
 Val Ala Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Gln Ser Pro Arg Arg Leu Ile  
 35 40 45

tac tca gct tct tac cga tac atc ggg gtc cct gac aga ttt aca ggt 192  
 Tyr Ser Ala Ser Tyr Arg Tyr Ile Gly Val Pro Asp Arg Phe Thr Gly  
 50 55 60

agt ggg gcc ggt act gac ttc act ttt act atc tca tcc gta caa gcc 240  
 Ser Gly Ala Gly Thr Asp Phe Thr Phe Thr Ile Ser Ser Val Gln Ala  
 65 70 75 80

gaa gac ctg gca gta tat tac tgc cag caa cat tat tcc cca ccc tac 288  
 Glu Asp Leu Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys Gln Gln His Tyr Ser Pro Pro Tyr  
 85 90 95

aca ttc ggc ggg ggt act aag ctg gaa att aaa cgt 324

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Thr Phe Gly Gly Gly Thr Lys Leu Glu Ile Lys Arg  
100 105

<210> SEQ ID NO 64

<211> LENGTH: 108

<212> TYPE: PRT

<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 64

Asp Ile Val Met Ala Gln Ser His Leu Ser Met Ser Thr Ser Leu Gly  
1 5 10 15

Asp Pro Val Ser Ile Thr Cys Lys Ala Ser Gln Asp Val Ser Thr Val  
20 25 30

Val Ala Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Gln Ser Pro Arg Arg Leu Ile  
35 40 45

Tyr Ser Ala Ser Tyr Arg Tyr Ile Gly Val Pro Asp Arg Phe Thr Gly  
50 55 60

Ser Gly Ala Gly Thr Asp Phe Thr Phe Thr Ile Ser Ser Val Gln Ala  
65 70 75 80

Glu Asp Leu Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys Gln Gln His Tyr Ser Pro Pro Tyr  
85 90 95

Thr Phe Gly Gly Thr Lys Leu Glu Ile Lys Arg  
100 105

<210> SEQ ID NO 65

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<212> TYPE: DNA

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<220> FEATURE:

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<222> LOCATION: (1)..(360)

<400> SEQUENCE: 65

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Gln Val Gln Leu Val Gln Ser Gly Ala Glu Val Ala Lys Pro Gly Thr  
1 5 10 15

tcc gta aaa ttg tcc tgt aag gct tcc ggg tac aca ttt aca gac tac 96  
Ser Val Lys Leu Ser Cys Lys Ala Ser Gly Tyr Thr Phe Thr Asp Tyr  
20 25 30

tgg atg cag tgg gta aaa cag cgg cca ggt cag ggc ctg gag tgg att 144  
Trp Met Gln Trp Val Lys Gln Arg Pro Gly Gln Gly Leu Glu Trp Ile  
35 40 45

gga aca ata tat ccc ggc gac ggc gac aca ggc tat gcc cag aag ttt 192  
Gly Thr Ile Tyr Pro Gly Asp Gly Asp Thr Gly Tyr Ala Gln Lys Phe  
50 55 60

caa ggc aag gca acc ctt act gct gat aaa tct tcc aag act gtc tac 240  
Gln Gly Lys Ala Thr Leu Thr Ala Asp Lys Ser Ser Lys Thr Val Tyr  
65 70 75 80

atg cat ctg tct tcc ttg gca tct gag gat agc gct gtc tat tac tgt 288  
Met His Leu Ser Ser Leu Ala Ser Glu Asp Ser Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys  
85 90 95

gct agg ggg gac tac tat ggg tca aat tcc ctg gat tac tgg ggc cag 336  
Ala Arg Gly Asp Tyr Tyr Gly Ser Asn Ser Leu Asp Tyr Trp Gly Gln  
100 105 110

ggc acc agt gtc acc gtg agc agc 360  
Gly Thr Ser Val Thr Val Ser Ser  
115 120

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 1 5 10 15

Ser Val Lys Leu Ser Cys Lys Ala Ser Gly Tyr Thr Phe Thr Asp Tyr  
 20 25 30

Trp Met Gln Trp Val Lys Gln Arg Pro Gly Gln Gly Leu Glu Trp Ile  
 35 40 45

Gly Thr Ile Tyr Pro Gly Asp Gly Asp Thr Gly Tyr Ala Gln Lys Phe  
 50 55 60

Gln Gly Lys Ala Thr Leu Thr Ala Asp Lys Ser Ser Lys Thr Val Tyr  
 65 70 75 80

Met His Leu Ser Ser Leu Ala Ser Glu Asp Ser Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys  
 85 90 95

Ala Arg Gly Asp Tyr Tyr Gly Ser Asn Ser Leu Asp Tyr Trp Gly Gln  
 100 105 110

Gly Thr Ser Val Thr Val Ser Ser  
 115 120

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A+C+G+T

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What is claimed is:

1. A method of treating a cancer in a subject which comprises administering one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and one or more carfilzomib compounds to the subject.
2. The method of claim 1, wherein the cancer is a hematological malignancy.
3. The method of claim 1, wherein the cancer is multiple myeloma.
4. The method of claim 1, wherein the cancer is a relapsed multiple myeloma or a refractory multiple myeloma.
5. The method of claim 1, wherein the one or more carfilzomib compounds is carfilzomib.
6. The method of claim 1, wherein the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies are administered in an effective amount, preferably a synergistic amount.
7. The method of claim 1, wherein the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and/or the one or more carfilzomib compounds are administered in a therapeutically effective amount.
8. The method of any one of claims 1 to 7, wherein at least one of the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies is capable of

killing a CD38<sup>+</sup> cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC).

9. The method of any one of claims 1 to 7, wherein at least one of the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies comprises one or more complementarity-determining region having an amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 13, 14, 81, 15, 16, 17, 18, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36.

10. The method of any one of claims 1 to 7, wherein at least one of the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies is selected from the group consisting of:

- a) an antibody comprising a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 13, 15 and either SEQ ID NO: 14 or SEQ ID NO: 81, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOs: 16, 17 and 18;
- b) an antibody comprising a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consist-

ing of SEQ ID NOS: 25, 26 and 27, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 28, 29 and 30;

c) an antibody comprising a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 1, 2 and 3, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 4, 5 and 6;

d) an antibody comprising a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 7, 8 and 9, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 10, 11 and 12;

e) an antibody comprising a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 19, 20 and 21, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 22, 23 and 24; and

f) an antibody comprising a heavy chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 31, 32 and 33, and a light chain comprising three sequential CDRs having amino acid sequences consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 34, 35 and 36.

**11.** The method of claim **10**, wherein said antibody comprises a heavy chain having a  $V_H$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 66, and a light chain having a  $V_L$  variable region represented by either SEQ ID NO: 62 or SEQ ID NO: 64.

**12.** The method of claim **10**, wherein said antibody comprises a heavy chain having a  $V_H$  variable region represented by SEQ ID NO: 72, and a light chain having a  $V_L$  variable region represented by either SEQ ID NO: 68 or SEQ ID NO: 70.

**13.** The method of any one of claims **1** to **12**, wherein the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies is administered intravenously.

**14.** The method of any one of claims **1** to **12**, wherein the one or more carfilzomib compounds is administered intravenously.

**15.** The method of any one of claims **1** to **14**, wherein the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies and the one or more carfilzomib compounds are administered sequentially.

**16.** The method of any one of claims **1** to **15**, and further comprising administering a dexamethasone compound, preferably dexamethasone, to the subject.

**17.** The method of claim **16**, wherein the dexamethasone compound is administered orally.

**18.** The method of any one of claims **16** to **17**, wherein the one or more anti-CD38 antibodies, the one or more carfilzomib compounds, and the dexamethasone compound are administered sequentially.

**19.** A composition comprising

a) at least one anti-CD38 antibody, preferably the antibody is capable of killing a  $CD38^+$  cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC); and

b) at least one carfilzomib compound, preferably carfilzomib; and, optionally

c) a dexamethasone compound, preferably dexamethasone.

**20.** A kit comprising

a) a first composition comprising at least one anti-CD38 antibody, preferably the antibody is capable of killing a  $CD38^-$  cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC); and

b) a second composition comprising at least one carfilzomib compound, preferably carfilzomib.

**21.** The kit of claim **20**, wherein the compositions are packaged for sequential administration to a subject.

**22.** The kit of claim **20** or claim **21**, and further including a dexamethasone compound, preferably dexamethasone.

**23.** The kit of claim **22**, wherein the dexamethasone compound is packaged for sequential administration to a subject.

**24.** A kit comprising

at least one anti-CD38 antibody capable of killing a  $CD38^+$  cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC), packaged together with a label having one or more messages that the at least one anti-CD38 antibody shall be administered in combination with carfilzomib, and optionally with dexamethasone.

**25.** A combination of:

(i) at least one anti-CD38 antibody, preferably the antibody is capable of killing a  $CD38^+$  cell by apoptosis, antibody-dependent cell-mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC), and complement-dependent cytotoxicity (CDC); and

(ii) at least one carfilzomib compound, preferably carfilzomib; and, optionally

(iii) a dexamethasone compound, preferably dexamethasone.

**26.** The combination of claim **25**, wherein the combination is for sequential use in the treatment of a hematological malignancy, preferably multiple myeloma.

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