# VACCINATION CONTRE LA DENGUE : DE LA CONCEPTION À L'AMM

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# Dengue: Primeros brotes en las Américas 1600 - 1900









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Pan Amerian Health Organization	1700	1750	1800	1850	1900	1950

# ABOUT HALF OF THE WORLD'S POPULATION LIVES IN DENGUE-ENDEMIC REGIONS<sup>1</sup>

#### GLOBAL EVIDENCE CONSENSUS: RISK AND BURDEN OF DENGUE IN 2010<sup>2</sup>



National and subnational evidence consensus on complete absence (green) through complete presence (red) of dengue.<sup>3\*</sup>

- More than 100 endemic countries.<sup>1</sup>
- Dengue cases have been reported in several nonendemic countries and territories.<sup>1</sup>

\*Black lines indicate areas at risk, defined by the geographic limits of the northern and southern hemispheres for year-round survival of Aedes aegypti.3



- Bhatt, 2013, Nature
- 3. WHO, 2012, Public Health Information and Geographic Information Systems.

# FOUR DENGUE SEROTYPES CAUSE DISEASE AND THEIR DISTRIBUTION VARIES UNPREDICTABLY



DENV=dengue virus.



Gomez Dantes, 2014, PLoS Negl Trop Dis.
 Teixeira, 2013, PLoS Negl Trop Dis.

Villar, 2015, PLoS Negl Trop Dis.

Limkittikul, 2014, PLoS Negl Trop Dis.

Hamid, 2014, PLoS Negl Trop Dis.

# DENGUE IS A PUBLIC HEALTH PRIORITY WITH ALMOST 1 HOSPITALIZATION EVERY MINUTE

#### WHO estimates<sup>1</sup>

3.9 billion people live in dengue-endemic countries (about half of the world's population).

390 million people are infected per year.

96 million symptomatic infections per year.

500,000 people with severe dengue require hospitalization each year.

> 2.5% of people with severe dengue die.

WHO objectives by 2020: mortality by ≥50% morbidity by ≥25%<sup>2</sup>

WHO=World Health Organization.



WHO, 2015, Dengue Fact Sheet.

WHO, 2012, Global Strategy for Dengue Prevention and Control.

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# ALTHOUGH DENGUE AFFECTS PEOPLE OF ALL AGES, THE MAJORITY OF CASES IN ENDEMIC COUNTRIES OCCUR IN PREADOLESCENCE TO ADULTHOOD<sup>1</sup>

Proportion of dengue cases by age group, 2010–2014 (4- to 5-year average data)



\*Laboratory-confirmed cases.

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# SANOFI PASTEUR'S DENGUE VACCINE APPROVED FOR INDIVIDUALS 9 TO 45 YEARS OF AGE IN DENGUE-ENDEMIC AREAS

Indicated for the prevention of dengue disease caused by dengue virus serotypes 1, 2, 3, and 4 in individuals 9–45 years of age living in endemic areas.



9–45 years

The vaccination schedule consists of 3 injections of 0.5 mL to be administered at 6-month intervals.

Once the freeze-dried vaccine has been completely reconstituted using the solvent provided, it is administered via the subcutaneous route.



# CHALLENGES IN VACCINE DEVELOPMENT

- No animal model for the disease
- Four different dengue virus serotypes
- Variable dengue epidemiology across regions and over time
- No known immune correlate of protection
- Theoretical risk of immunopotentiation caused by heterologous preimmunity
- Need for a combined tetravalent vaccine
- Need for efficacy demonstration in the absence of widely accepted correlate of protection
- Need for large-scale safety studies and long-term follow-up
- Manufacturing process scale-up to supply large-scale phase III studies and subsequent broad vaccination programs



# OVERVIEW OF THE CLINICAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

- Clinical development program initiated in 2001.<sup>1</sup>
- Objectives are to characterize the vaccine in terms of efficacy, safety and immunogenicity profiles, when assessed in different regions, in different age groups and in populations with various degrees of endemicity.<sup>4</sup>



- Choice of controls: no licensed vaccines to prevent dengue disease. Clinical studies were either controlled with a placebo, or with an active vaccine conferring protection against another disease.<sup>2,3</sup>
- 2015: registration files submitted in different endemic countries.<sup>5</sup>



1. sanofi pasteur, 2015, Dengue fact sheet.

- 2. Sabchareon, 2012, Lancet.
- 3. Capeding, 2014, Lancet.
- Guy, 2015, Vaccine.
- 5. Sagonowsky, 2015, FiercePharma.

# PRESENTATION AND COMPOSITION OF THE VACCINE

- A 4-serotype, recombinant, live, attenuated vaccine.<sup>1-3</sup>
  - Four genetic constructs with 1 for each serotype.
  - Genes from each serotype combined with the genes encoding C and NS proteins from YFV 17D vaccine strain.
- Combination into a single vaccine with ~5 log<sub>10</sub> CCID<sub>50</sub> of each serotype.<sup>1</sup>
  - Freeze-dried for reconstitution with 0.4% NaCl for singledose (pre-filled syringe) or 0.9% NaCl for multidose (5 doses) presentations (vial).
  - Without adjuvant or preservatives.
- After reconstitution, one 0.5 mL dose is to be administered by the SC route.<sup>1</sup>









C=capsid; DENV=dengue virus; CCID<sub>50</sub>=cell-culture infectious dose 50%; CYD-TDV=chimeric yellow fever 17D-tetravalent dengue vaccine. E=envelope; NS=nonstructural; prM=precursor membrane; SC=subcutaneous; YFV 17D=Yellow fever vaccine 17D. 1. sanofi pasteur, 2015, data on file.

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- Guy, 2011, Vaccine.

#### KEY ELEMENTS OF THE NON-CLINICAL DEVELOPMENT: CHARACTERIZATION AND GMO ASPECTS





Guirakhos, 2001, J Virol. McGee, 2008, J Infect Dis (1). McGee, 2008, J Infect Dis (2). Mantel, 2011, Vaccine. Johnson, 2004, Am J Trop Med Hyg Higgs, 2006, Am J Trop Med Hyg. Barban, 2012, Virol. Guirakhoo, 2004, J Virol. Brandler, 2005, Am J Trop Med Hyg.

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# OVERVIEW OF CLINICAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM CLINICAL DATABASE

- 25 clinical studies, in 15 countries, completed (20) or ongoing (5).<sup>1</sup>
- More than 40,000 subjects included in clinical studies.<sup>1</sup>
- Nearly 29,000 individuals children, adolescent and adults received the vaccine.<sup>2</sup>



SP=Sanofi Pasteur.



- 1. sanofi pasteur, 2015, Dengue fact sheet.
- 2. Monath, 2015, Vaccine.
  - Guy, 2011, Vaccine.
- 4. ClinicalTrials.gov, 2015, Accessed November 5, 2015.

#### TWO PHASE III LARGE-SCALE RANDOMIZED EFFICACY STUDIES AND ONE PHASE IIb EFFICACY STUDY OF THE CANDIDATE DENGUE VACCINE INCLUDED >35,000 PARTICIPANTS IN ENDEMIC COUNTRIES

- 2009: first proof-of-concept phase IIb efficacy study; results published September 2012.<sup>1</sup>
- 2011: 2 large-scale efficacy studies in Asia-Pacific and Latin America; results published in 2014.<sup>2,3</sup>



\*CYD57 is the long-term follow-up of CYD23.

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Sabchareon, 2012, Lancet. Villar, 2015, N Engl J Med. Capeding, 2014, Lancet.

sanofi pasteur, 2015, data on file.

- Long-term follow-up: 5 years postdose 3
- Year of completion: 2017

Sample size: 20,869

## PHASE IIb AND PHASE III STUDIES: SIMILAR STUDY DESIGN WITH A 25-MONTH EFFICACY SURVEILLANCE PHASE AND A 4-YEAR LONG-TERM SAFETY FOLLOW-UP PHASE<sup>1</sup>



ITT=intent to treat; PP=per protocol; VCD=virologically confirmed dengue; VE=vaccine efficacy.



#### TWO PHASE III EFFICACY TRIALS DEMONSTRATED A CONSISTENT EFFICACY PROFILE DURING THE 25 MONTH-ACTIVE PHASE



\*Per protocol, 12 months post-dose 3 for CYD14 and CYD15 individual studies ; †Dengue hemorrhagic fever, World Health Organization (WHO) 1997 criteria, intent to treat; ‡Intent to treat, 25 months post dose 1 for hospitalized dengue, severe dengue



Capeding, 2014, Lancet
 Villar, 2015, N Engl J Med.

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# VACCINE EFFICACY ACCORDING TO AGE AS A CONTINIOUS VARIABLE (CYD14 AND CYD15) 25 MONTH OF THE ACTIVE PHASE

VE against symptomatic virologically-confirmed dengue cases during the whole Active Phase due to any of the 4 serotypes according to age using kernel smoothing - FASE - CYD14 & CYD15 (2-16 years)



CONSISTENT VACCINE EFFICACY FOR VIROLOGICALLY CONFIRMED DISEASE DUE TO ANY & EACH SEROTYPE, SEVERITY, AND PRIOR DENGUE EXPOSURE IN SUBJECTS AGED 9–16 YEARS DURING THE ACTIVE PHASE (25 MONTHS)<sup>1</sup>



VE (%) and 95% CI



DENV=dengue virus; DHF= dengue hemorrhagic fever; ITT= intent to treat; VE= vaccine efficacy; WHO= World Health Organization Hadinegoro et al., 2015, N Engl J Med. http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/26214039

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# NO IMPORTANT DIFFERENCE IN CLINICAL SIGNS, SYMPTOMS & BIOLOGY DURING ONGOING LTFU VS. ACTIVE PHASE & PLACEBO<sup>1</sup>

## LENGTH OF HOSPITALIZATION

Similar for both the 25-month active phase and the ongoing LTFU phase in CYD14, CYD15, and CYD23/57.

## DURATION OF FEVER AND CLINICAL SYMPTOMS

Similar for both the 25-month efficacy phase and the ongoing LTFU phase in CYD14, CYD15, and CYD23/57.

#### FREQUENCIES OF SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS

No clinically important differences observed for the frequencies of various signs & symptoms during the 25-month efficacy phase and the ongoing LTFU phase in CYD14, CYD15, and CYD23/57.

#### VIREMIA AND IMMUNE PROFILE PATTERN

- Similar levels of viremia observed in vaccine vs control groups (CYD14 and CYD15).
- No cytokine/chemokine pattern associated with increased disease enhancement in vaccine vs placebo.

LTFU=long-term follow-up; VCD=virologically confirmed dengue.



## CONCLUSION: FAVORABLE EFFICACY AND SAFETY PROFILE FOR SUBJECTS 9–16 YEARS OF AGE IN DENGUE-ENDEMIC AREAS

#### Key Efficacy Results – 25-month efficacy phase<sup>1</sup>

#### Overall VE of 65.6% against symptomatic VCD

- VE against severe dengue (93%) and dengue leading to hospitalizations (80%) during the 25-month efficacy phase was consistently demonstrated.
- VE against symptomatic VCD of each serotype and in both dengue-seropositive and dengue-seronegative subjects.

#### Key Safety Results – 25-month efficacy phase and up to 2 years of LTFU

- Acceptable safety profile: Similar AE rates between vaccine and control groups
- Continued lower risk of hospitalization.<sup>1</sup>
- SAE profile similar between the vaccine group and the placebo group<sup>1</sup>, consistent with medical disorders in the age group.<sup>2</sup>
- No evidence of sensitization.<sup>1</sup>
- Reduction of severe VCD in vaccine group based on pooled analysis across CYD14, CYD15, and CYD23/57.<sup>1</sup>

 LTFU from efficacy trials (CYD14, CYD15, and CYD23/57) will provide additional evidence in individuals <9 years of age.</li>

LTFU=long-term follow-up; SAE=serious adverse event; VCD=virologically confirmed dengue; VE=vaccine efficacy.



Hadinegoro, 2015, N Engl J Med.
 Capeding, 2014, Lancet.

# OBJECTIVES OF THE POSTLICENSURE PLAN

#### Allow Benefit/Risk assessment through Risk Management Plan execution



\*Active surveillance/detection of symptomatic (in addition to hospitalized) dengue cases.

PAES=postauthorization effectiveness studies; PASS=postauthorization safety studies; PV=pharmacovigilance.



sanofi pasteur, 2015, data on file. 4. Hadinegoro, 2015, N Engl J Med.

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- Guy, 2015, Vaccine.
- WHO, 2011, Guidelines on the quality, safety, and efficacy of
- dengue tetravalent vaccines (live, attenuated).

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Global Vaccine Safety Initiative (GVSI), 2015, fourth mentions in the set of the set of

# SIGNIFICANT INDUSTRIAL COMMITMENT TO ENSURE ACCESS AND CONSISTENT SUPPLY

#### Ready to produce >1 billion doses over the next 10 years<sup>1</sup>

- Investment towards state-of-theart facilities, developed specifically for production of dengue vaccine.<sup>1</sup>
- Designed to produce 100 million doses of vaccine per year and respond to public vaccination needs.<sup>1</sup>
- Vaccine supplied as early as end of 2015.<sup>1,2</sup>



Manufacturing Site, Neuville-sur-Saône, France



 sanofi pasteur, 2015, From Research to Production: A Quest to Make Dengue Preventable.

## LARGE VACCINATION PROGRAM IS EXPECTED TO DECREASE THE FREQUENCY AND INTENSITY OF OUTBREAKS, REDUCING ASSOCIATED HEALTH CARE SYSTEM CONGESTION<sup>1\*</sup>



\*Based on Sanofi Pasteur phase III study results, with 10 countries included, and considering homogeneous parameters among countries.



#### DENGUE VACCINATION PROGRAM: A MAJOR ADVANCE FOR DISEASE CONTROL THAT COULD HELP ACHIEVE WHO OBJECTIVES<sup>1</sup>



 Vaccination is a critical pillar of the WHO's strategy towards effectively fighting dengue.

\*The baseline year is 2010. WHO=World Health Organization.



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