

# INNOVATIVE MEDICINES for debilitating diseases



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# **Investment Highlights**

**Clinical Stage Biopharmaceutical Company Focused on Treatment of Debilitating Diseases** 





### Lirum Team: Track Record of Approvals & Launches





# LX-101: Novel IGF-1R Targeted Therapy

**Precision targeting:** Optimized IGF-1 variant enabling precise payload delivery to IGF-1R+ cells

**Rational payload:** Delivers methotrexate (MTX), a drug used to treat cancer and autoimmune disease (including TED), directly to diseased cells

**Novel and differentiated:** Differentiated mechanism of action (MOA) compared to past and present IGF-1R targeting agents

**Positive Clinical Experience:** Well-tolerated with single agent activity in Phase 1a trials of advanced, pretreated cancer patients

Large market opportunity: Wide range of oncologic and autoimmune indications





# LX-101: Similar, in many ways, to ELZONRIS







# **Lirum Pipeline**

LX-101 Program	Indication	Preclinical	Phase 1	Phase 2 <sup>1</sup>	Phase 3
	Pan-cancer <sup>2</sup> (IGF-1R <sup>low-high</sup> )				
Oncology	<b>Pediatric</b> (well-established IGF-1R pathway involvement) <sup>3</sup>				
	Adult (well-established IGF-1R pathway involvement) <sup>3</sup>				
Auto-immune <sup>4</sup>	Thyroid Eye Disease				

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# LX-101 Oncology



# **IGF-1 / IGF-1R in Cancer**

IGF-1 / IGF-1R pathway involvement is well-established in a wide variety of cancers

- Past IGF-1R targeting approaches had evidence of clinical activity, but fell short of approval
  - Consisted of naked mAbs and small molecules (i.e., non-payload bearing)
  - Cancer cells may utilize many escape mechanisms, including redundant pathways, to work-around blockade of IGF-1R signaling

LX-101 is designed to address these issues by:

- ✓ Delivering a cytotoxic payload to overcome redundant signaling
- ✓ Focusing on cancer types with well-established ties to the IGF-1 / IGF-1R pathway





# **IGF Signaling in Cancer – Redundant Pathways**





# **IGF-1R Directed Therapy: Historical Approach**



**Redundant pathway signaling** 

Cell escape

**Historical approach** 

Blockade/Inhibition of IGF-1R

Leaves room for improvement

escape, and act as disease effectors

But redundant pathways may continue to signal, enable cell



Adapted from Scotlandi, ASCO 2012

# **IGF-1R Directed Therapy: Lirum Approach**



#### Lirum approach

- LX-101 delivers payload directed to IGF-1R+ cells
- Cytotoxicity prevents redundant pathway escape mechanisms
- More definitive approach

#### No escape



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# **LX-101: Positive Clinical Experience**



#### **Clinically tested**

- 19 patients with advanced, pre-treated cancers in Phase 1a trials
- Some IGF-1R expression<sup>1</sup> (IGF-1R<sup>low-high</sup>)

#### **Favorable safety experience**

- Well tolerated
  - Most common adverse events (AE): chills/rigors, hypoglycemia, nausea and vomiting
    - Including, grade 2: peripheral neuropathy (n=1); grade 3: abdominal pain (n=6), back pain (n=1), bradycardia (n=1), hypoglycemia (n=1), hypertension (n=1), lymphopenia (n=1), anemia (n=1); grade 4: hypotension (n=1)
  - Low rate of treatment-related hyperglycemia (a known class side effect of IGF-1R inhibition that is potentially treatment-limiting)
- No DLT or MTD reached  $\rightarrow$  Further dose escalation and schedule optimization



### **Clinical activity**

- 1 PR (at highest dose tested)
- 1 bone marrow CR, 4 stable diseases (including 1 pathologic CR) (at lower doses)

### **IGF-1R Expression**

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- All enrolled and evaluated patients (n=17/19) had some degree of IGF-1R expression (IGF-1R<sup>low-high</sup>)<sup>1</sup>
  - 4/17 (24%) were "High IGF-1R Expressers" (IGF-1R<sup>high</sup>)<sup>2</sup>; 3/4 evaluable for disease control
  - 2/3 (67%) achieved disease control, including 1/1 (100%) at highest dose tested



<sup>1</sup>IGF-1R expression  $\geq$  10% IGF-1R by IHC or  $\geq$  0.1% by flow cytometry. <sup>2</sup>We considered "high IGF-1R expressers" (IGF-1R<sup>high</sup>) as patients whose tumors had both a very high Q score (>=6) and very high PS (>90%). DLT = dose limiting toxicity; MTD = maximum tolerated dose; PR = partial response; CR = complete response. Venepalli et al., Am J Clin Oncol, 2019; Alkhateeb et al., Anticancer Res, 2020; Investigator Brochure, April 25, 2017

# **LX-101: Trend Toward Dose/Benefit**





# **IGF-1R**high Tumors Are Sensitive to LX-101

Dose (uEq/kg)	n (evaluable)	Disease Control	High IGF-1R Expressers <sup>1</sup> (n=3 evaluable)	
2.5	-			
1.6	-			<b>100%</b> (1/1)
0.80	7 (4)	• PR	+ 🗧	Disease Control Rate at highest dose tested
0.40	3 (3)	• SD		
0.20	9 (7)	<ul> <li>BMCR</li> <li>SD (with pathologic CR)</li> <li>SD</li> <li>SD</li> </ul>	+ ←	67% (2/3) Disease Control Rate at
0.1	1 (1)			all evaluable doses tested
0.05	1 (1)			



<sup>1</sup>IGF-1R expression was assessed on patient tumors via immunohistochemical staining and scored as intensity score (IS, 0 = no stain, 1 = weak stain, 2 = intermediate stain, 3 = strong stain) and proportion score based on % of cells with IGF-1R positivity (PS, 0% - 9% = 0, 10% - 24% = 1, 25% - 49% = 2, 50% - 74% = 3, 75% - 100% = 4) combined to create a Q score (range 0-7). We considered "high IGF-1R expressers" (IGF-1R<sup>high</sup>) as patients whose tumors had a very high Q score ( $\geq$  6) with IGF-1R expression  $\geq$  90%. Venepalli et al., Am J Clin Oncol, 2019; Alkhateeb et al., Anticancer Res, 2020; Investigator Brochure, April 25, 2017

# Select Cancers with Well-Established Ties to IGF-1/IGF-1R Pathway

✓ Strong Scientific Rationale ✓ Potential for expedited regulatory pathways ✓ Compelling commercial opportunities





# LX-101: Broad Activity in IGF-1 / IGF-1R Prominent Pediatric Tumor Types



tion	Indication	Cell lines	Absolute IC <sub>50</sub> (nM IGF) <sup>2</sup>
nce	Breast	MCF7	35
tric	Ewing's sarcoma	RD-ES CADO-ES1 A673 SK-ES-1	10 14 14 29
	Adrenocortical carcinoma	SW-13 NCI-H295R	9 >2500
	Rhabdomyosarcoma	SJCRH30 (alveolar) TE 441.T (embryonal)	23 >2500
	Osteosarcoma	143B HOS U2OS Saos-2	6 7 32 >2500
	Synovial sarcoma	SW-982	>2500
	Neuroblastoma	SK-N-AS IMR-32 SH-SY5Y	16 20 30





### rominent Adult Tumor Types

Population	Indication	Cell lines	Absolute IC <sub>50</sub> (nM IGF) <sup>2</sup>
Reference	Breast	MCF7	35
	Head and neck cancer (HPV-)	FaDu (pharyngeal) SCC25 (tongue)	9 >2500
Adult	Triple negative breast cancer	BT-20 HCC1143	17 >2500
	Bladder cancer	5637 T24	4 61



# **LX-101: Highlights in Oncology**

#### **Summary/Key Points**

- ✓ Next generation IGF-1R-targeted therapy
- ✓ Leverage positive clinical experience
- ✓ Identified novel indications with attractive regulatory paths and commercial opportunities



Key Value-Creating Milestones for Oncology in the Next 12-18 Months

Initiate Phase 1b/2 trials in IGF-1R prominent pediatric and adult cancers



Demonstrate value-creating data in one or more indications

Generate and present data updates at major medical conferences



Registration-directed expansion cohorts in one or more indications



# LX-101 Thyroid Eye Disease



# **Thyroid Eye Disease (TED): Overview**

#### **The Condition**

- TED is an autoimmune disease characterized by progressive inflammation and damage to tissues around the eyes
- Acute/active (1-3 years) and chronic (>3 years) phases ٠
- Symptoms range from mild to severe (including possible vision loss), and repeated exacerbations can occur



Periorbital edema



Upper and

lower eyelid retraction



Strabismus

**The Opportunity** 

#### **Incidence / Prevalence**

- Acute phase: ~20-25K/year U.S. incidence
- Chronic phase: >70K/year U.S. prevalence

#### Large Market

- Tepezza®, FDA approved naked mAb to IGF-1R
- ~\$2B in sales in '22 (3rd year on market)
- Over \$3.5B estimated global market





 Numerous opportunities for a novel, differentiated approach to penetrate this expanding and segmented market



# **TED Pathogenesis**





# **TED Treatment: Historical and Current Approaches**



#### **Historical and Current Approaches include**

- Blockade/Inhibition of IGF-1R
- Effective, but may lack potency and other redundant pathways may continue to signal and act as disease effectors
- Thus, this approach may have limitations and leave room for improvement

#### **Orbital fibroblast**



# **TED Treatment: Lirum Approach**



#### **Lirum Approach**

- LX-101 delivers a payload directly to IGF-1R+ cells,
- Payload designed to <u>add potency</u> to signal blockade, while also <u>eliminating escape</u> via pathway redundancy
- This differentiated MOA may provide a more definitive and/or complementary approach to treating various segments of acute and chronic TED

#### **Orbital fibroblast**



# Horizon: Acquired by Amgen for \$27.8B

✓ Tepezza<sup>®</sup>, approved for TED, key growth driver for Horizon

- ✓ TED represents a multi-billion dollar market opportunity with significant growth potential
- HZNP acquired by Amgen for \$27.8 billion
- Tepezza® annual sales
  - 2021: \$1.7B
  - 2022: ~\$2.0B
- Significant and growing global market for TED is estimated to be greater than \$3.5B
- TED market is segmented and includes acute, chronic, recurrent, residual, refractory, less severe, tolerability issues

Offers multiple opportunities for market entry and expedited development for new entrants, and especially ones with differentiated MOAs like LX-101 which may also complement and/or offer advantages over current approaches



# **LX-101: Highlights in TED**

#### **Summary/Key Points**

- Novel and differentiated approach to commercially validated target
- Clinical experience with well-tolerated safety profile
- Commercially attractive market opportunity
  - >\$3.5B globally
  - Segmented with multiple entry opportunities for LX-101

Key Value-Creating Milestones for TED in the Next 12-18 Months

Initiate clinical trials in multiple TED segments



Generate and present data at major medical conferences

Demonstrate value-creating data in one or more segments



Advance to registration-directed stage in one or more areas of TED



### Key Take Aways

# Lead by a veteran team with strong track record of success

- ✓ History of shareholder value creation
- Multiple approvals and commercial launches

# Innovative technology with differentiated MOA

- ✓ Positive clinical experience
- ✓ Differentiated profile compared to other IGF-1R targeted approaches
- Tremendous commercial opportunity in oncology and autoimmune diseases

#### **Next Steps**

- Advance LX-101 into IGF-1R-driven pediatric and adult cancers and TED
- Continue to opportunistically expand pipeline

#### Multiple Near Term Key Value-Creating Milestones in the Next 12-18 Months

- Initiate clinical trials focused on cancer types of high interest
- Initiate clinical trials in multiple TED segments

- Demonstrate value-creating data in oncology and TED
- Present updates at major medical conferences

Advance to registration-directed efforts

- In one or more oncology indications
- In one or more TED patient segments





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