

INVESTOR
PRESENTATION



Theranexus

LABORATOIRE EN 1^{ÈRE} LIGNE
CONTRE LES MALADIES
NEUROLOGIQUES



YOUR CONTACTS



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Co-founder and Chairman
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- Franck Mouthon holds a degree in life sciences from the École Normale Supérieure
- Joined the Life Sciences Department of the French Alternative Energies and Atomic Energy Commission (CEA) in 1995
- Founded CEA spin-off Theranexus in March 2013 with Mathieu Charvériat
- Board member of France Biotech



Thierry LAMBERT

CFO

- Thierry Lambert holds a degree in business administration from Birmingham University and an MBA from INSEAD
- 4 years of experience in syndicated and corporate finance
- 5 years as Chief Financial Officer for listed companies Naturex and then Safe Orthopaedics
- Joined Theranexus in 2017



A DISRUPTIVE BIOTECH IN CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM RESEARCH

MAJOR ASSETS

A high-potential
diversified portfolio

Phase 2 for Parkinson's disease
Two other high-need indications:
Alzheimer's disease and neuropathic pain
Potential for blockbuster technologies
Shortly Phase I-III in Batten disease

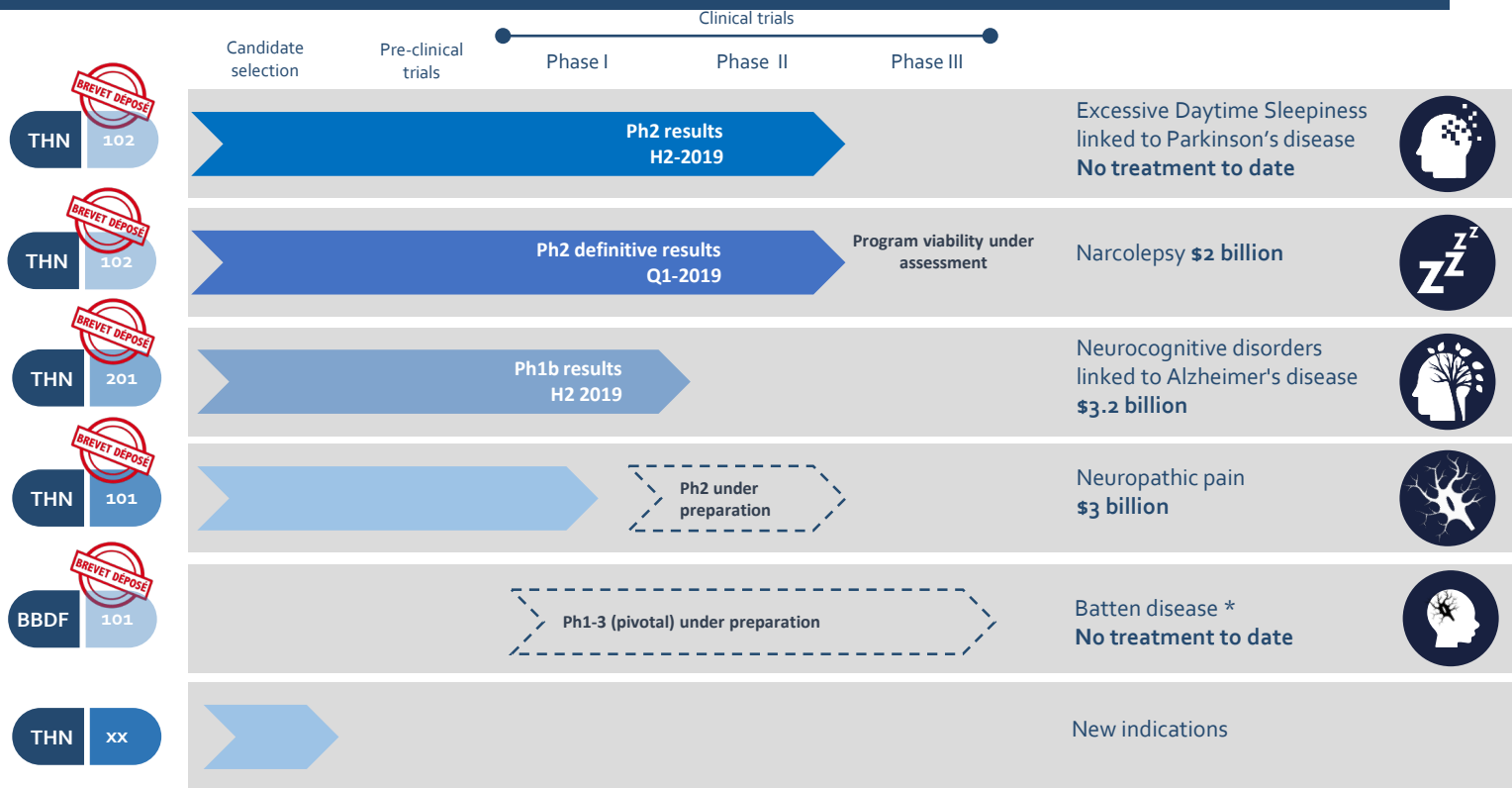
A POWERFUL TOOL

A unique & versatile
platform
for generating drug
candidates

First platform
based on neuron-glia
interactions



DIVERSIFIED PIPELINE



*All figures are derived from Datamonitor reports (ND, dementia); company annual reports (Jazz Pharmaceuticals, Teva)



THERANEXUS PLATFORM: PROPRIETARY, SCALABLE & VERSATILE

CNS DRUGS

DRUG SEEN AS THE 1ST LINE-TREATMENT

Condition with a strong unmet need for improved efficacy (with the current arsenal of therapeutics)

*CNS drugs
1st line- treatment
for CNS* conditions*



Action on the neuron

GLIAL CELL MODULATOR

DRUG REPOSITIONED AS A MODULATOR

Optimization of the glial network



Theranexus library of 27 glial cell modulators

THN

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3 major advantages



Ambition to achieve superiority at all stages (*Best in class*)



New monopoly on use (*patent*)



Higher probability of success, greater flexibility and shorter time-to-market

*Central Nervous System



NEUROLEAD : STRENGTHENING THE LEAD GENERATION PLATFORM

A NEW PLATFORM FOR DRUG CANDIDATE GENERATION FOCUSED ON MEDICAL AND INDUSTRIAL VALUE

NeuroLead

- Development of a drug candidate generating platform based on neuron-glia interactions

- Prestigious partners:



- Capacity to build on the latest innovations in neuroscience and Deep Learning

- Funding package of €6.2m from BpiFrance, for the consortium managed by Theranexus



PLATFORM FIRST GENERATION

First family of glial targets identified

Reduction of risks, time and development costs versus standard approach

One new candidate every 18 months

ADVANTAGES

Comprehensiveness, Automation

Acceleration

Predictability
Industrialization

PLATFORM NeuroLead

4 new combinations identified per year

Early optimization of probabilities of success

Discovery of new neuro-glia therapeutic

targets
Opportunity to multiply business models

FROM PIONEER TO REFERENCE PLAYER IN NEUROLOGY

Theranexus



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Batten disease or juvenile neuronal ceroid lipofuscinosis (NCL₃) – A rare genetic disease that is fatal between the ages of 20 and 30

EPIDEMIOLOGY AND PHYSIOPATHOLOGY OF NCL₃



c. 3,000 patients
(all NCL types)



Autosomal recessive



Diagnosis in children
aged 4 to 8



Blindness



Cognitive decline



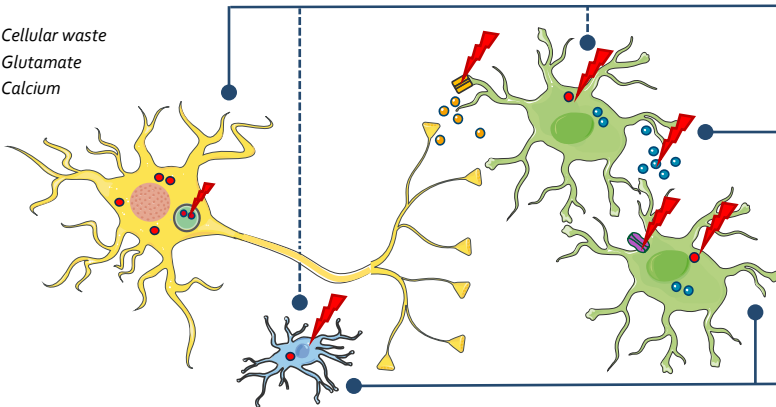
Loss of motor skills



No registered
treatment

ROLE OF NEURON-GLIA INTERACTION IN NCL₃

- Cellular waste
- Glutamate
- Calcium



Lysosomal and autophagic signaling pathway
deficiency

Defective glutamate recycling pathway
Disruption of calcium pathways
Dysfunctions in hemichannel activity

Neuroinflammation

**ASTROCYTE
FUNCTIONS ARE
SEVERELY
IMPAIRED,
LEADING TO THE
NEURONAL
DEFICIENCY
RESPONSIBLE
FOR THE
SYMPTOMS**



The product – BBDF 101 - miglustat-trehalose combination

FOUNDATION

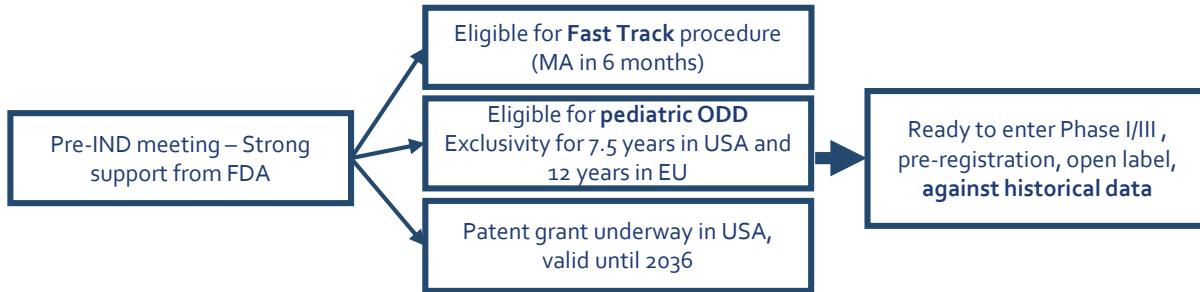


Created in 2008 by Craig Benson

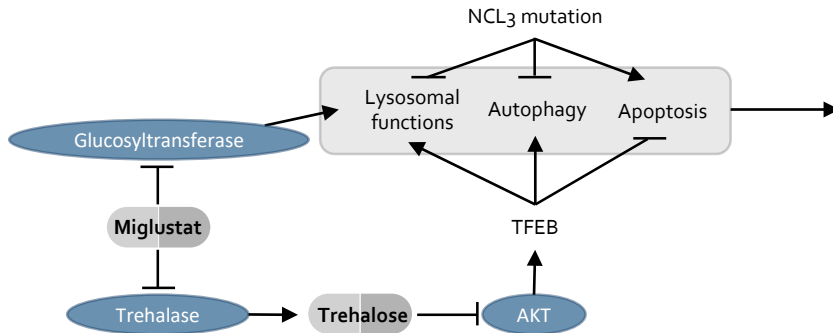
USD 30 million R&D investment leading to identification of **BBDF101**

BBDF₁₀₁

Trehalose + Miglustat combination

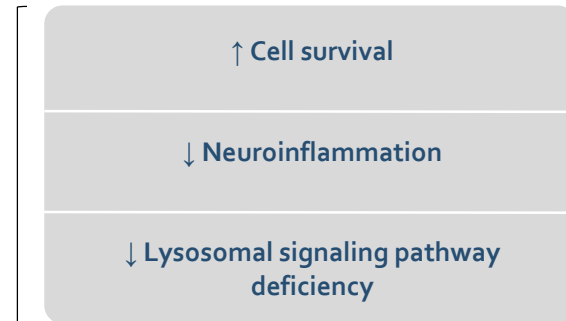


MECHANISM OF ACTION



PRECLINICAL DEMONSTRATION

NCL3 transgenic mice



STRONG IMPACT ON MECHANISMS RESPONSIBLE FOR NCL3 SYMPTOMS



Competitive environment and market opportunity

COMPARABLES

ZAVESCA¹⁰⁰
(miglustat) capsules

Myozyme
(alglucosidase alfa)

elaprased
(idursulfase)

Brineura[®]
(cerliponase alfa)

6,000 cases USA
5,000 cases EU

5,000 cases USA
1,800 cases EU

500 cases USA
400 cases EU

500 cases USA
250 cases EU

Gaucher disease

Pompe disease

Hunter syndrome

NCL2

\$240,000/yr/patient
€55,000/yr/patient

\$300,000/yr/patient

\$375,000/yr/patient

\$700,000/yr/patient

Peak (2014): \$113m

Peak (2018): \$947m

Peak (2018): \$634m

Peak (2027): \$359m
(f)

Notes: All drugs have 'Orphan Drug Designation' status and Brineura obtained a pediatric voucher (sold for \$120m)

COMPETITION IN CLINICAL DEVELOPMENT

NCL3 AAV9 gene therapy
Amicus Therapeutics

Phase I/II: Recruitment underway

Duration: 36 months' control
Completion due in December
2022

Design: n=7

MARKET ACCESS

Access to patients highly structured – Direct sales force of limited size

USA: Two main associations (BBDF and BDSRA)
and 18 hospitals taking care of Batten patients

EU: 7 primary centers (France, UK, Germany, Norway)



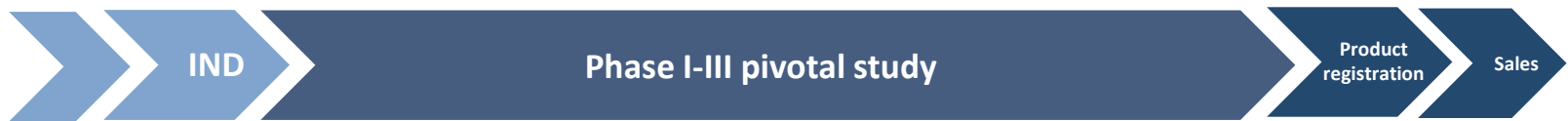
BBDF 101 development plan

Signing of firm agreement between BBDF and Theranexus (exclusivity of negotiations in place for 6 months from signing of Term Sheet)

Application for IND (authorization to enter clinical trial phase) from the FDA (US Food and Drug Administration)

Registration of product – the FDA has already confirmed that the product would be eligible for fast-track registration (rare pediatric disease)

Theranexus plans to market the product directly. The limited number of specialist doctors and therefore of potential prescribers limits the required marketing expenditure.



2019

2020

2021

2022

2023

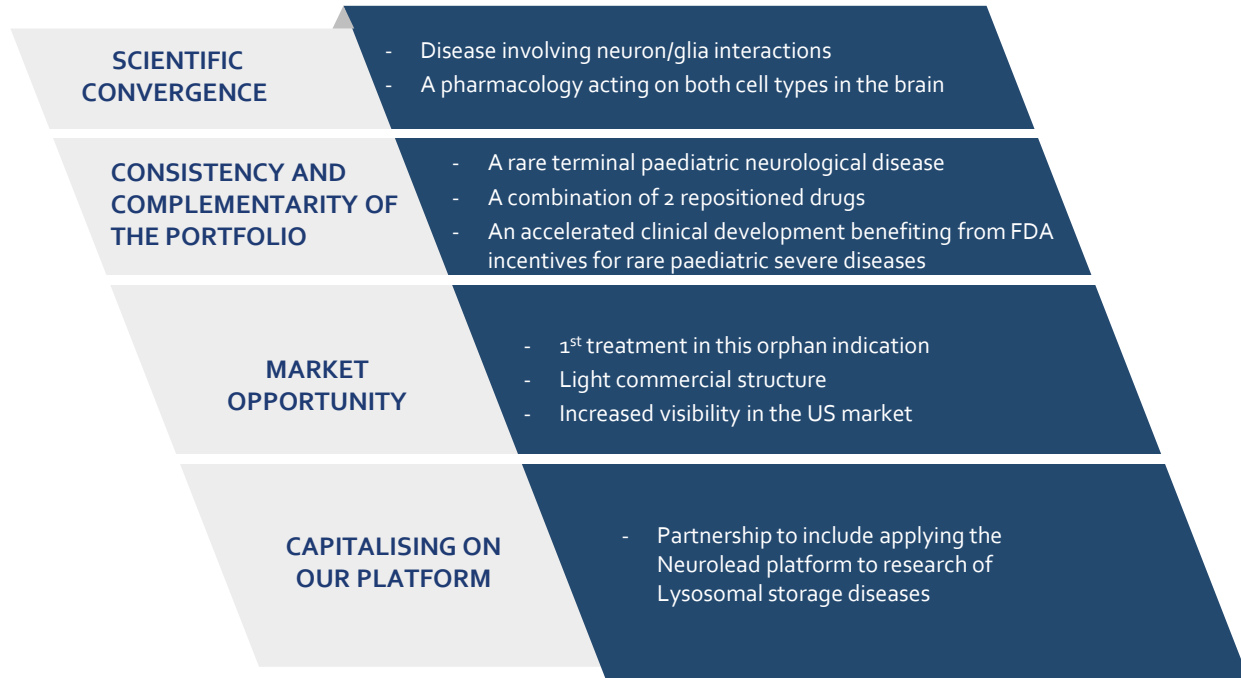
2024

Clinical trials:

- Phase I-III (leading directly to product marketing)
- On 25 patients in the USA
- Open label
- The evaluation is based on comparing the disease progression in patients recruited for the trial against the natural course of the disease as described by several existing groups of NCL3 patients – similar to the trials conducted by Biomarin for Brineura™
- Trial duration: 30 months (+ 6 months of recruitment)



Strategic interest of BBDF101 for Theranexus



- Term Sheet signed with 6-months exclusivity
- Theranexus will market the product
- The foundation will have an interest in the additional value created in the form of milestones and royalties on future sales



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THN₁₀₂: A DRUG CANDIDATE TO COMBAT SLEEPINESS RELATED TO PARKINSON'S

MODAFINIL | FLECAINIDE

THN

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Parkinson's disease

Sleepiness, attention, cognition

Almost **1 million patients** (G7)
30-50% of Parkinson's sufferers

NO TREATMENT

No drug approved to date
6.1 million Parkinson's sufferers¹ – 40%²
affected by sleepiness...

4 drug candidates are at a clinical stage, all
targeting only neurons



Phase II clinical trial underway

Design:

Double-blind study comparing 2 doses of THN₁₀₂ with a placebo in a three period cross-over format: each patient receives either THN₁₀₂ or the placebo, chosen at random, over three periods of 2 weeks

Efficacy criteria: sleepiness, attention, alertness, cognition

Study carried out on **60 Parkinson's patients** (including one group in the United States)

Update at 17/04/2019

More than half of patients recruited
IND authorization for clinical trial in the United States
Eligible for 505(b)(2) regulatory pathway (opportunity to benefit from existing data for reference drugs)

¹: European Parkinson's Disease Association
² Market research study performed by LSA Partnering & Analytics

Results expected in H2 2019



THN201: A HIGH-POTENTIAL CANDIDATE FOR DEMENTIA

DONEPEZIL | MEFLOQUINE



Neurocognitive disorders
linked to **Alzheimer's disease**

Impaired memory, reasoning and orientation

15 million patients in 2015 (G7)
19 million by 2030
45% of patients undiagnosed

DONEPEZIL

\$3.2 billion
(annual cost of treatment per patient €4,000-5,000)

23 drug candidates at
clinical trial stage

THN

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Launch of Phase Ib clinical trial

Under the CX-COG project funded by the
French "**Fonds Unique Interministériel**" (FUI AAP22)

Double-blind randomized study
comparing placebo and standard of care drug
(Donepezil)

Trial conducted on three parallel groups
evaluating the cognitive activity,
tolerability and pharmacokinetic profile of THN201

Key efficacy criteria:
measurement of pro-cognitive activity
through a scopolamine test

Trial conducted on **150 healthy volunteers** in a
parallel group design **in 8 centers in France**.
Repeated dose treatments to be
orally administered once a day over 15 days.

Update at 17/04/2019:
more than 40% of volunteers recruited

Results expected in H2 2019



THN₁₀₁: DRUG CANDIDATE READY FOR PHASE II TRIALS: PAIN

AMITRIPTYLINE | MEFLOQUINE



Neuropathic pain

Chronic pain with occasional stabbing pain, sensations of burning or electric shocks

70 million patients
(Europe, USA, Japan)

AMITRIPTYLINE

\$3 billion
(annual cost of treatment per patient \$3,000-4,000)

32 drug candidates at clinical trial stage

THN

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Preparation stage for Phase II clinical trial

Key efficacy criteria: pain scale

Double-blind randomized study comparing placebo with standard of care drug (Amitriptyline)

Trial conducted on three parallel groups:
Amitriptyline 25 mg/day and mefloquine 10 mg/day vs. Placebo and vs. active comparator (amitriptyline).
Regular evaluation of pain and analysis of multiple secondary markers and tolerability.

Patients suffering from neuropathic pain caused by diabetes or post-herpetic neuralgia (following shingles)

Multi-center international trial conducted on **370 patients**
Conducted in parallel at **40-45 centers in Europe.**

Phase II trial program at preparation stage



THN102: PARTNERSHIP STRATEGY FOR THN102



Market and dimension

Excessive Daytime Sleepiness linked to Parkinson's disease
No treatment to date



Specialists in EDS or CNS



Generalists and "big pharma"



MULTIPLE OPPORTUNITIES FOR PARTNERSHIPS:

- + INTRINSIC COMMERCIAL POTENTIAL OF PRODUCT
- + OPTIMIZATION OF SALES FORCES USED FOR PARKINSON'S
- + POSSIBILITY TO REACH NEW MARKET FOR EDS SPECIALISTS

BLOCKBUSTER POTENTIAL FOR AN INDICATION WITH A GROWING BUT UNTREATED NEED



STRONG INTEREST AMONG INDUSTRY PLAYERS FOR THE FIRST 3 CONDITIONS TARGETED

CONDITION	DATE	SELLER	BUYER	PROFILE	DEVELOPPEMENT STAGE	UP FRONT (M\$)	MILESTONES (M\$)	ROYALTIES (M\$)
Parkinson's disease	2018	Prexton	Lundbeck	NCE	Phase II	123	993	-
	2016	Cynapsus	Sunovion	LCM	Phase III	624	-	-
Neuropathic pain	2015	Convergence	Biogen	NCE	Phase II	200	475	NC
	2015	Spinifex	Novartis	NCE	Phase II	200	500	NC
Alzheimer's disease	2017	Lyndra	Allergan	LCM	Préclinique	15	90	NC
	2016	Chase Pharma	Allergan	Combination	Phase I/II	125	875	NC
Other neurological disorders	2014	Avanir	Otsuka	Combination	Market	3,500	-	-

TURNING POINT IN VALUE AT THE END OF PHASE II
(BETTER RATIO OF DEVELOPMENT COSTS
TO IMMEDIATE AND SUBSEQUENT REVENUES)

[1] New Chemical Entity

[2] Life Cycle Management



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2018 P&L

In K€ (French GAAP)	2017	2018
Operating income	164	175
Other purchases and external charges	1 477	4 969
Salaries and benefits	1 370	2 117
Depreciation and amortization	26	55
Other operating expenses	11	24
Operating result	(2 719)	(6 990)
Net financial income	(126)	(31)
Corporate tax	730	1 721
Net income	(2 115)	(5 301)

GOOD CONTROL OVER EXPENSES IN A CONTEXT OF ACCELERATED CLINICAL DEVELOPMENTS

MAINLY RESEARCH TAX CREDIT

CASH AS AT MARCH 31ST 2019: 12,4M€
+R&D TAX CREDIT RECEIVABLE: 1,7M€



INVESTORS RELATIONS AND SHAREHOLDERS

DATA AS AT 26 JUNE 2019

ISIN : FR0013286259 - Mnemo: ALTHX

Listed on Euronext Growth

Stock price : 5,3€ (on Jun. 18th 2019)

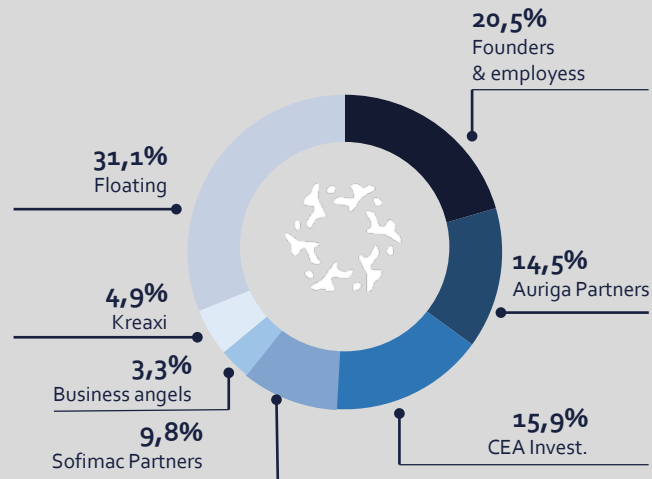
Market Cap : 16 M€

Liquidity contract : Portzamparc

Cash as at March 31st 2019 : 12,4 M€



SHAREHOLDERS





PUBLICATION SCHEDULE FOR 2019

P2 results: H2-2019



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P1b results: H2-2019



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Results of P1a: end of H1-2019
Preparation stage of P2: pain H2-2019



THN

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IND for BBDF 101 in Batten disease



BBDF

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OVERVIEW

APPENDICES



Clinical development – Example: Brineura (BioMarin) for CLN2

CLN2

500 CLN2 cases US – 250 cases EU
Diagnostic between 2 and 4 years old
Autosomal recessive
Dementia, motor deficit,
vision loss
Mortality between 8 and 12 years old

Phase I/II Pre- registration
Duration: **2 years** –extension study on going
n=23 patients [Enrollment in six months]

ICV Administration – 4h30
infusion every two weeks



Brineura[®]
(cerliponase alfa)



Natural history control group
DEM-CHILD database –
Comparing the language and
motor scores

Price: US\$ **700 000** /year/patient
MAA 2017, Revenue 2027(f) US\$ **359 M**
Priority Review Voucher ~ US\$ **100 M**



ODD in Europe and in the US
European MAA; FDA approval

BioMarin – pioneer in enzymatic therapy for rare genetic diseases
Market Capital: US\$ 15 B (Nasdaq)





TRANSFORMING RESEARCH INTO INNOVATION

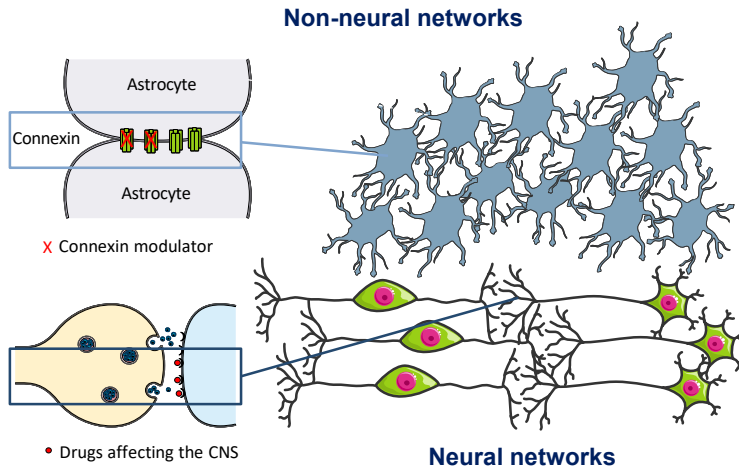
PRINCIPLE:

Enhance neuron action with the modulation of glial cells

APPLICATION:

Combine medication that targets neurons with a medication that optimizes neuroglial interaction

Connexin modulator



The modulation of glial connexins optimizes the neuroglial interface to **improve the way in which neurons react to CNS drugs**

Giaume et al., Nat Rev Neurosci, 2010

Rouach et al., Science, 2008

Picoli et al., J Biomol Screen, 2012

Duchêne et al., Sleep, 2016

Charvériat et al. Front Cell Neuro, 2017

CNS drug
(Psychostimulant, antidepressant, anxiolytic, etc.)

Action on neurotransmitter systems

THE CHALLENGE: MAXIMISE NEURON RESPONSE TO EXISTING DRUGS BY TARGETING THE ENVIRONMENT



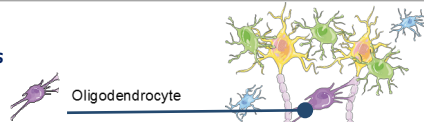
TARGETING GLIAL CELLS : A SOARING APPROACH

APPROACH

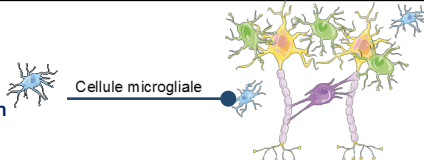
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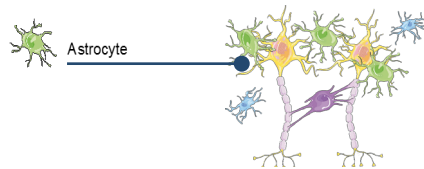
Oligodendrocytes
&
remyelination



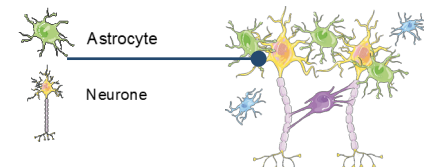
Microglia
&
neuroinflammation



Astrocytes
&
metabolism



Interactions
neurons / Glia





Phase IIa trial: NARCOLEPSY

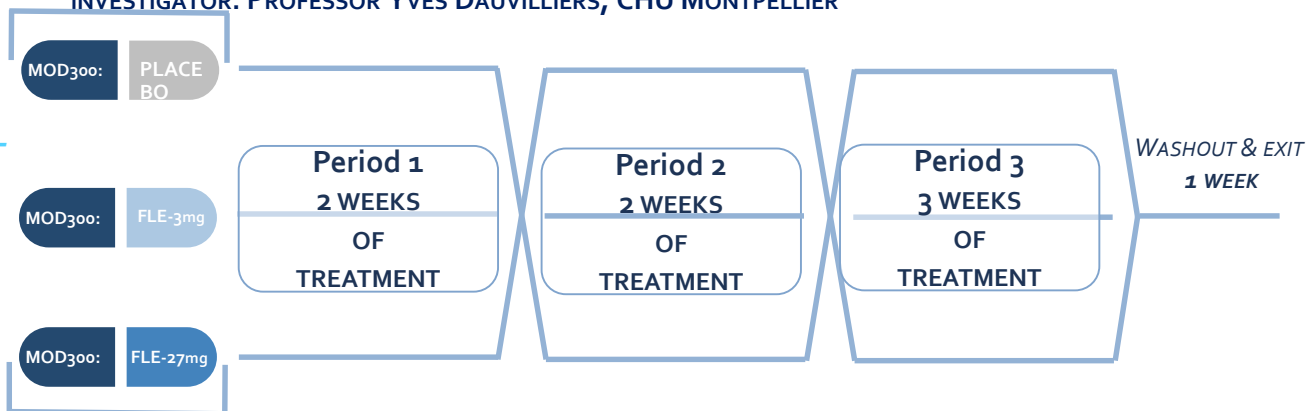
SAFETY AND EFFICACY OF THN102 IN SLEEPINESS IN NARCOLEPTIC PATIENTS

DOUBLE-BLIND MULTICENTER STUDY COMPARING 3 TREATMENTS OVER 5 SITES IN FRANCE AND ONE IN BELGIUM

INVESTIGATOR: PROFESSOR YVES DAUVILLIERS, CHU MONTPELLIER

*STAB DOSE OF 300MG
OF MODAFINIL PER DAY –
2 WEEKS*

*N=51 PATIENTS ESS
SCORE ≥14*



Key efficacy criteria	Results	Discussion
THN102 sleepiness much less than Modafinil sleepiness	No significant statistical difference excellent tolerability profile	Patient sleepiness on Modafinil equivalent to patients without treatment ¹ Too high proportion of patients not responsive to Modafinil in the study

(1): Thorpy et al. 2019 / (2): Bogan et al. 2015 / (3): Dauvilliers et al. 2013 / (4): Fry et al. 1998