



# **Innovative Treatments for Central Nervous System Disorders**

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*Allosteric modulators for human health*

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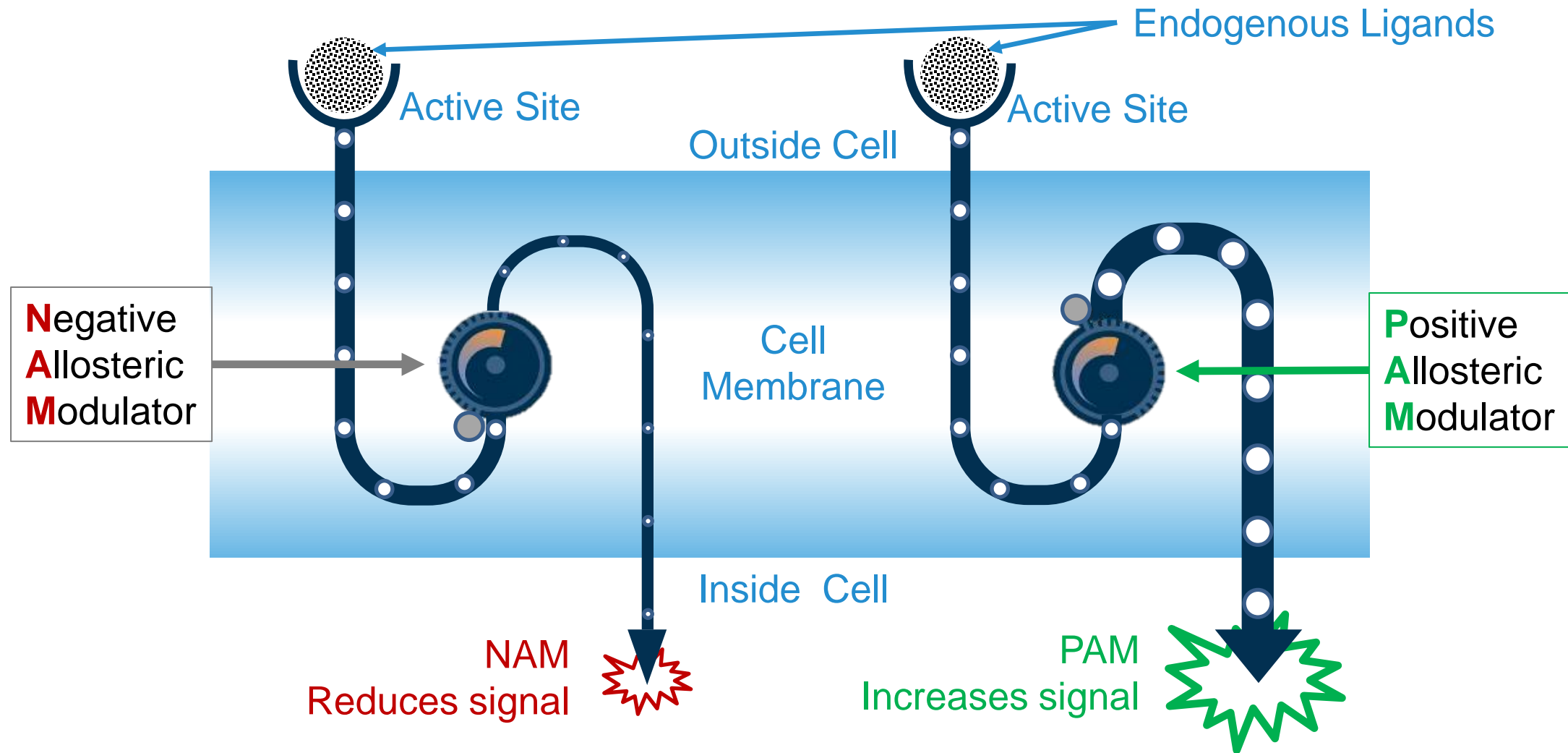
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# Addex Overview

Multiple high value programs reaching significant milestones	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Phase 2 epilepsy study (J&amp;J) – IRC* recommends continuing study</li><li>• Dipraglurant (mGlu5 NAM) – Phase 2 ready &amp; indication under evaluation</li><li>• GABAB PAM for SUD (Indivior), chronic cough, pain &amp; CMT1A</li><li>• mGlu7 NAM for stress related disorders (PTSD) and schizophrenia</li><li>• M4 PAM for schizophrenia and other psychosis</li></ul>
Leading allosteric modulator technology platform	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Validated &amp; differentiated pharmacological approach</li><li>• Proprietary biological screening assays and chemical library</li><li>• Track record of delivering novel drug candidates</li></ul>
In house discovered pipeline	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Significant intellectual property portfolio</li><li>• Multiple novel drug candidates entering clinical candidate selection</li><li>• Driving long-term growth &amp; future partnership opportunities</li></ul>
Technology validating partnerships with industry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• J&amp;J - €109M in milestones &amp; double-digit royalties</li><li>• Indivior - \$330M in milestones, royalties up to double digit &amp; funded research program</li></ul>
Top tier US investors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dual listed on SIX Swiss Exchange &amp; US Nasdaq Capital Market</li><li>• CHF 5.6M (USD6.1 M) cash at March 31, 2023</li><li>• CHF 4.5M (USD 5.0M) capital raised on April 3, 2023</li></ul>

# What are Allosteric Modulators?














# Advantages of Allosteric Modulation Versus Orthosteric Drug Discovery

	Conventional small molecules	Biologics / peptides	Nucleic acid-based therapies	Gene therapies	Allosteric modulators
Selectivity	+	++	+++	+++	✓
Differentiated pharmacology	-	-	+++	+++	✓
Better potential safety/tolerability	++	+	++	-	✓
Non-competitive mechanism	-	-	n/a	n/a	✓
Respects physiological rhythm	-	-	-	-	✓
Oral bioavailability	+++	-	-	-	✓
Crossing BBB	+++	-	-	-	✓
No immunogenicity	+++	-	+	+	✓
Low cost of goods	+++	-	-	-	✓

## Allosteric modulators

- Address:
  - “Undruggable” targets, such as GPCRs, RTKs, cytokine receptors and enzymes
  - mAb and peptide drug targets with oral small molecules
- Offer exquisite selectivity and superior safety profile
- Are suitable for chronic treatment as potency maintained over prolonged periods
- Require a distinct HTS and characterization approach to discovering small molecule allosteric modulators
- Proven clinical approach (diazepam, cinacalcet, etc)

# Addex Pipeline

Molecule / MoA	Indication	Partner	Pre-clinical	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Milestone
ADX71149 (mGlu2 PAM)	Epilepsy						Update in H2 2023
Dipraglurant (mGlu5 NAM)	PD-LID*, post-stroke recovery, SUD* & pain						Indication under evaluation
GABA <sub>B</sub> PAM	Substance use disorders						IND enabling expected 2024
	Chronic cough, pain & CMT1A*						IND enabling studies expected 2024
mGlu7 NAM	Stress-related disorders – PTSD*						IND enabling studies expected H2 2023
mGlu2 NAM	Mild neurocognitive disorders & depression						
M4 PAM	Schizophrenia / other psychosis						
mGlu4 PAM	Parkinson's & autoimmune disorders						
mGlu3 PAM	Neurodegenerative disorders						

NAM = Negative Allosteric Modulator  
 PAM = Positive Allosteric Modulator  
 PD-LID = Parkinson's disease levodopa induced dyskinesia  
 SUD = Substance use disorders  
 CMT1A = Charcot-Marie-Tooth disease type 1A  
 PTSD = Post-traumatic stress disorder  
 IRC = Independent interim review committee

# Experienced Team

## Leadership Team

<b>Tim Dyer</b> CEO / CFO  Co-Founder of Addex Formerly with PwC UK Chartered Accountant	<b>Dr Roger Mills</b> Chief Medical Officer  Developed Nuplazid for PD Psychosis >30 years Pharma industry incl. Pfizer, Gilead and Acadia	<b>Dr Robert Lutjens</b> Head of Discovery Biology  Member of Addex founding team Formerly with Glaxo & Scripps Research Institute	<b>Dr Jean-Philippe Rocher</b> Head of Discovery Chemistry  Member of Addex founding team Formerly with Pierre Fabre, GlaxoSmithKline and Mitsubishi	<b>Dr Mikhail Kalinichev</b> Head of Translational Science  Neuropharmacologist with >20 years pharma industry experience Formerly with Ipsen, Lundbeck and GlaxoSmithKline
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## Non-executive Directors

<b>Vincent Lawton</b> Chairman  Former European Head of Merck & Co. Former MHRA Board member	<b>Ray Hill</b> Board member  Former Executive Director Merck & Co.	<b>Jake Nunn</b> Board member  Venture advisor and former Partner at New Enterprise Associates	<b>Isaac Manke</b> Board member  General Partner at Acorn Bioventures. Formerly Partner at New Leaf Venture Partners
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## Scientific Advisory Board

<b>Darryle Schoepp</b> Chairman of SAB  Former leader of Neuroscience research department at Eli Lilly, and at Merck was Neuroscience research therapeutic area leader	<b>Mark Bear</b> Picower Prof. of Neuroscience at MIT  Formerly on faculty of Brown University School of Medicine and an Investigator of the Howard Hughes Medical Institute	<b>Peter Bernstein</b> Principal, PhaRmaB LLC  Formerly with ICI Astra Zeneca Awarded numerous accolades including Fellow of the American Chemical Society	<b>Benny Bettler</b> Biomedicine Prof. at Basel University  Formerly at Novartis and discovered allosteric modulators at GABA <sub>B</sub> receptor and recipient of the Peter Speiser Award
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# ADX71149 (JNJ-40411813) for Epilepsy Partnered with Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc.



# ADX71149 Opportunity in Epilepsy

## Large market & unmet medical need

- Market projected to reach \$20 billion by 2026\*
  - Keppra & Briviact net sales in 2022 of €1.2 billion treating 2M patients\*\*
- High proportion of refractory patients (¼ of new patients\*\*\*) - combination treatments have limited therapeutic benefit
- Large underserved patient population in need of improved treatment options

## Strong MoA & synergistic effect

- Selective oral mGlu2 PAM demonstrated clear MoA in epilepsy
- Showed 35-fold increase in Keppra (SV2A antagonist) efficacy
- Potential to reduce SV2A antagonist dosing – improve efficacy & reduce side effects

## Status of development

- Phase 2 study ongoing
  - Cohort 1 completed Part 1 & Part 2 ongoing
  - Cohort 2 Part 1 ongoing
- 2 year open label extension study initiated in Q3 2022

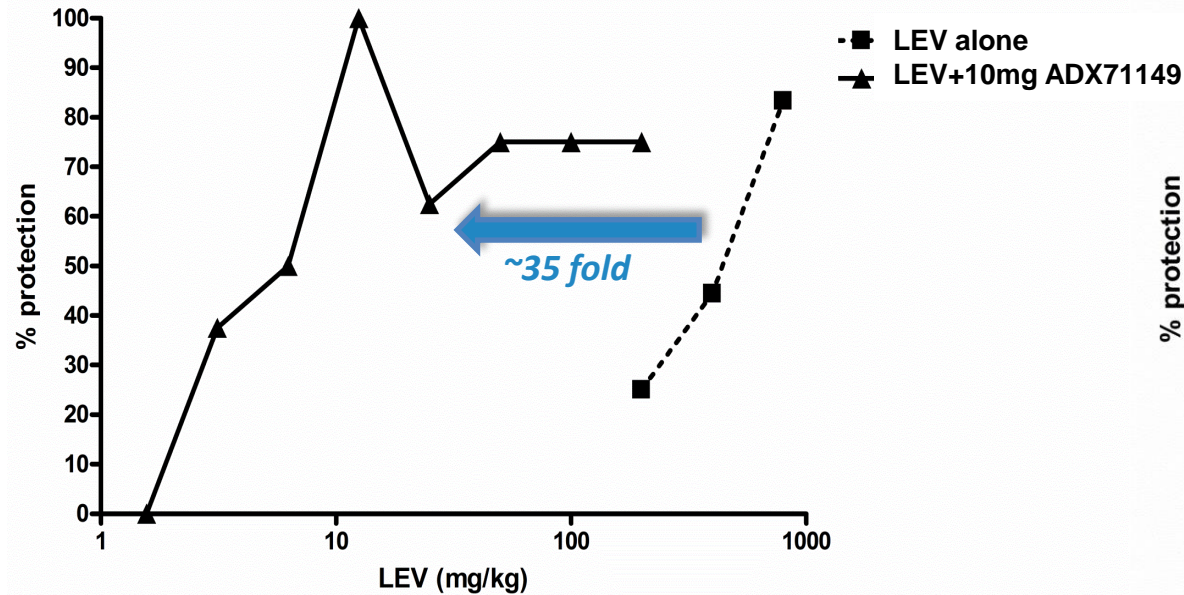
## Strategic Partner Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

- Eligible to receive €109 million in pre-launch milestones and double digit royalties

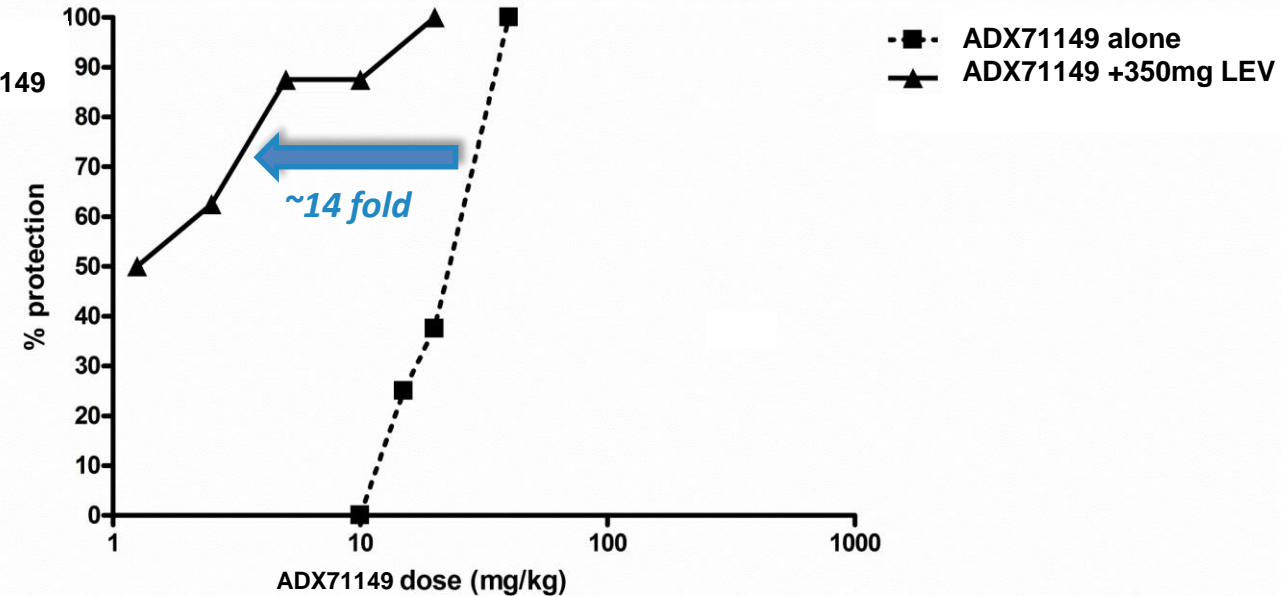
# ADX71149 Preclinical Efficacy in Epilepsy - 6Hz Model

- Preclinical validation in pharmaco-resistant mouse epilepsy model with high translational value:

ED<sub>50</sub> shift of Keppra by adding low dose of ADX71149

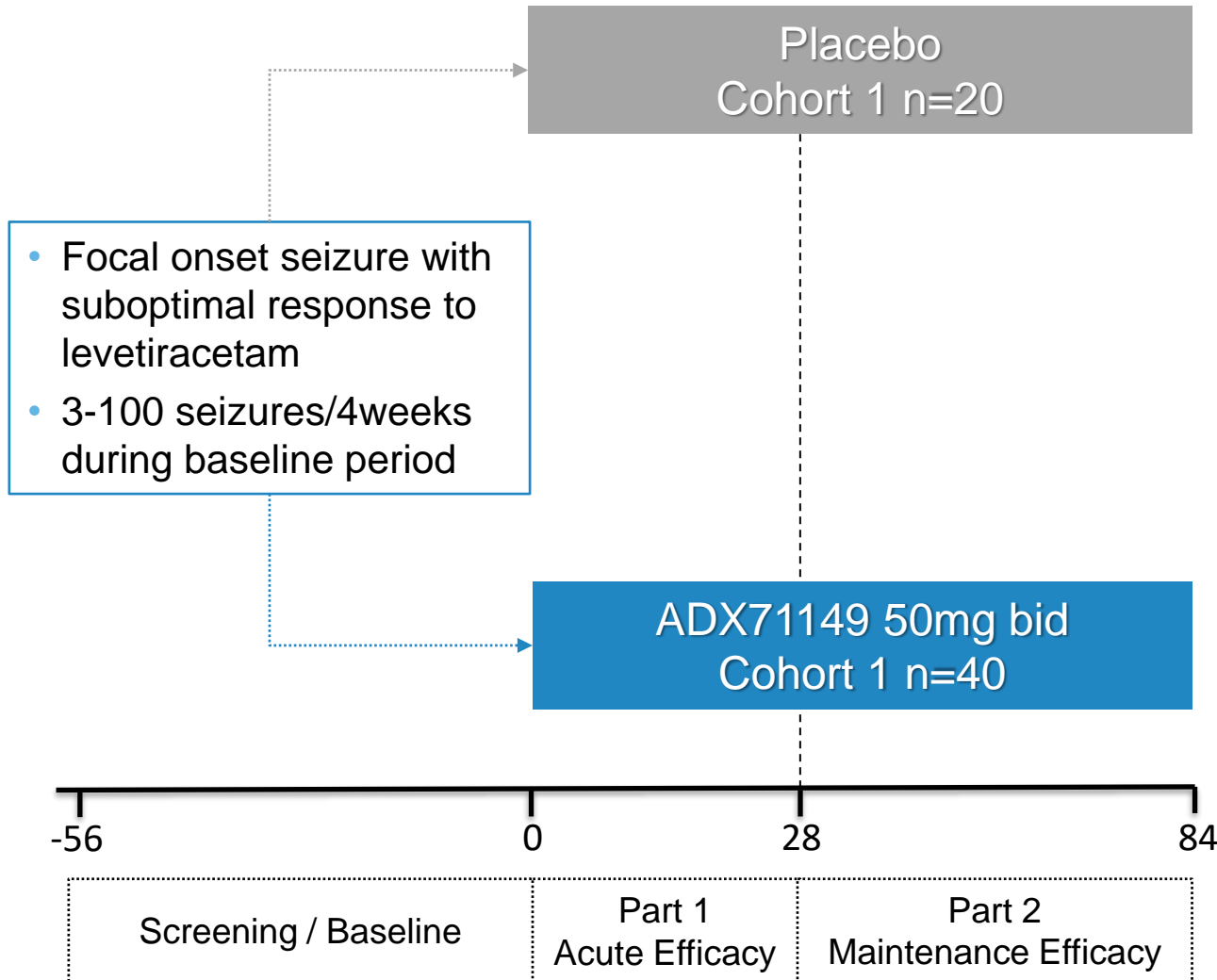


ED<sub>50</sub> shift of ADX71149 by adding ED<sub>50</sub> dose of LEV



- Keppra efficacy increased 35-fold when administered with a low dose of ADX71149
- Low dose of Keppra leads to 14-fold increase in efficacy of ADX71149
- True synergistic effect

# ADX71149 Phase 2a Epilepsy Study



- Double blind placebo controlled
- Establish 28-day seizure count (over 56-day baseline period)
- Primary endpoint: time to monthly baseline seizure count
- Period 1: 4-week acute efficacy phase
- Period 2: 8-week maintenance efficacy phase
  - Subjects who do not reach or exceed their monthly baseline seizure count in Part 1 continue double-blind treatment during Part 2
- Evaluating up to 3 doses in up to 160 patients
- Cohort 1 (60 patients) completed Part 1, Part 2 ongoing
- Cohort 2 (incl. brivaracetam) Part 1 ongoing
- Following review of unblinded data of Cohort 1 Part 1 IRC\* recommends to continue the study

IRC\* recommends continuing the study – further update on the progress in H2 2023

## Dipraglurant (mGlu5 NAM) – Phase 2 Ready

Indications Under Evaluation:  
PD-LID, SUD, Post-Stroke Recovery, Pain and NDD

# Dipraglurant Phase 2 Ready Opportunity in Multiple Indications

Significant target patient populations and commercial opportunities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• PD-LID: 200,000 patients in US, Orphan drug designation granted in US</li><li>• SUD: 20 million patients in US and 2.2% of adult population worldwide</li><li>• Pain: up to 10% of adult population are diagnosed with chronic pain every year</li><li>• Stroke recovery: 5.3 million patients incl. 1 million stroke patients in US</li></ul>
Clinically validated approaches	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dipraglurant (ADX48621) reduced PD-LID in Phase 2</li><li>• ADX10059 reduced pain in patients with episodic migraine</li><li>• Mavoglurant (AFQ056) effects in PD-LID, CUD, AUD, OCD, GERD</li><li>• Basimglurant (RG-7090; NOE-101) currently in Phase 2 for trigeminal neuralgia</li><li>• MPEP &amp; dipraglurant enhanced functional brain recovery in a rat model of experimental stroke</li></ul>
Status of development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Extensive preclinical and clinical data – 5 Phase 1 and Phase 2 POC in PD-LID completed</li><li>• Phase 2 ready with &gt;30kg cGMP API and &gt;90kg DP in 100mg &amp; 50mg tablets</li></ul>
Intellectual property	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Composition of matter through June 2025 &amp; strong polymorph patent through 2034 (without extensions)</li><li>• Potential for additional protection - formulation IP &amp; ODD (granted for PD-LID)</li></ul>

# Compelling Rationale to Develop Dipraglurant for PD-LID

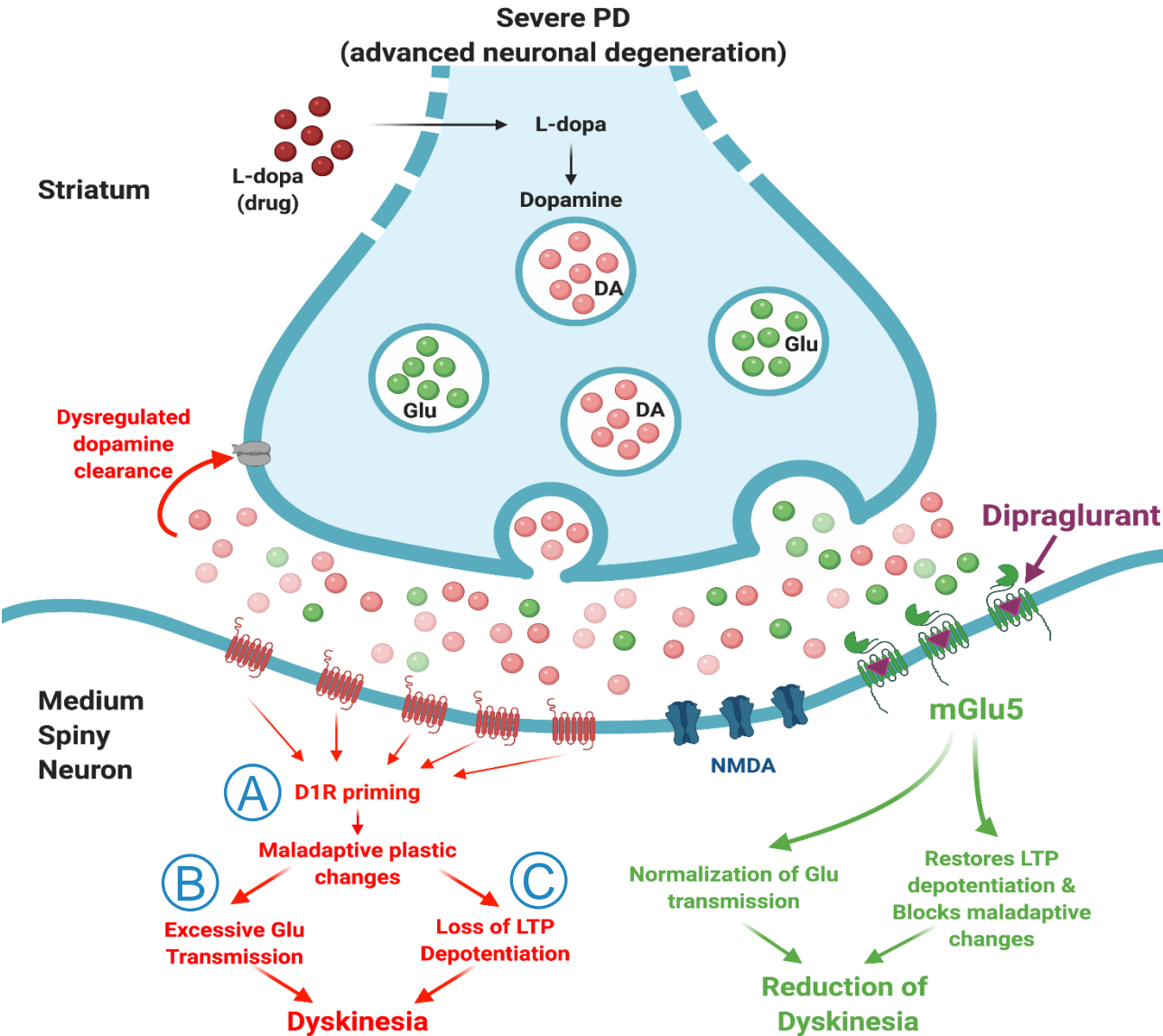
- Large underserved patient population in need of improved treatment options
- Significant commercial opportunity with limited competition
  - 1M Parkinson's disease patients in US of which >170,000 have dyskinesia
  - Orphan drug designation granted for dipraglurant in US
  - GOCOVRI® price: \$34K p.a., Nuplazid® price: \$45K p.a.
  - US LID market estimated at \$4B
- Strong mechanistic rationale for blocking mGlu5 to inhibit glutamate signalling
- Supportive pre-clinical data and Phase 2 clinical data
- PK profile ideally suited for treatment of LID
- Dipraglurant is active on same biological pathway as amantadine (inc. GOCOVRI®)
  - Decreases glutamatergic tone
  - Unlike amantadine, dipraglurant:
    - Restores synaptic plasticity to prune aberrant signalling
    - Highly selective with limited off target activity
- Novartis mGlu5 NAM (AFQ056) data supportive of mGlu5 target & rationale for dipraglurant PK profile



# Disability and Impact of PD-LID

Invariably associated with long-term L-dopa use	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dyskinesias caused by neurodegeneration</li><li>• Dopamine replacement lowers the triggering threshold for symptoms</li><li>• LID can become as disabling as the PD symptoms themselves</li></ul>
Symptoms include dystonia, chorea, and choreoathetosis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Uncontrollable muscle contractions, twisting and writhing</li><li>• Painful and severely disabling</li><li>• Causes fatigue/exhaustion and increased risk for falls and injuries</li><li>• Social withdrawal, reduced quality of life and increased burden on caregiver</li></ul>
Prevalence related to disease duration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• &gt;40% of patients experience LID within 4-6 years of L-dopa treatment</li><li>• Increases to 90% after 9 -15 years</li><li>• Patients treated with next-generation L-dopa will still experience LID</li></ul>
PD drug efficacy wanes over time - exacerbated by emergence of LID	<b>Treatment becomes a balancing act requiring constant adjustments to ensure symptom control &amp; minimize intolerable side effects</b>

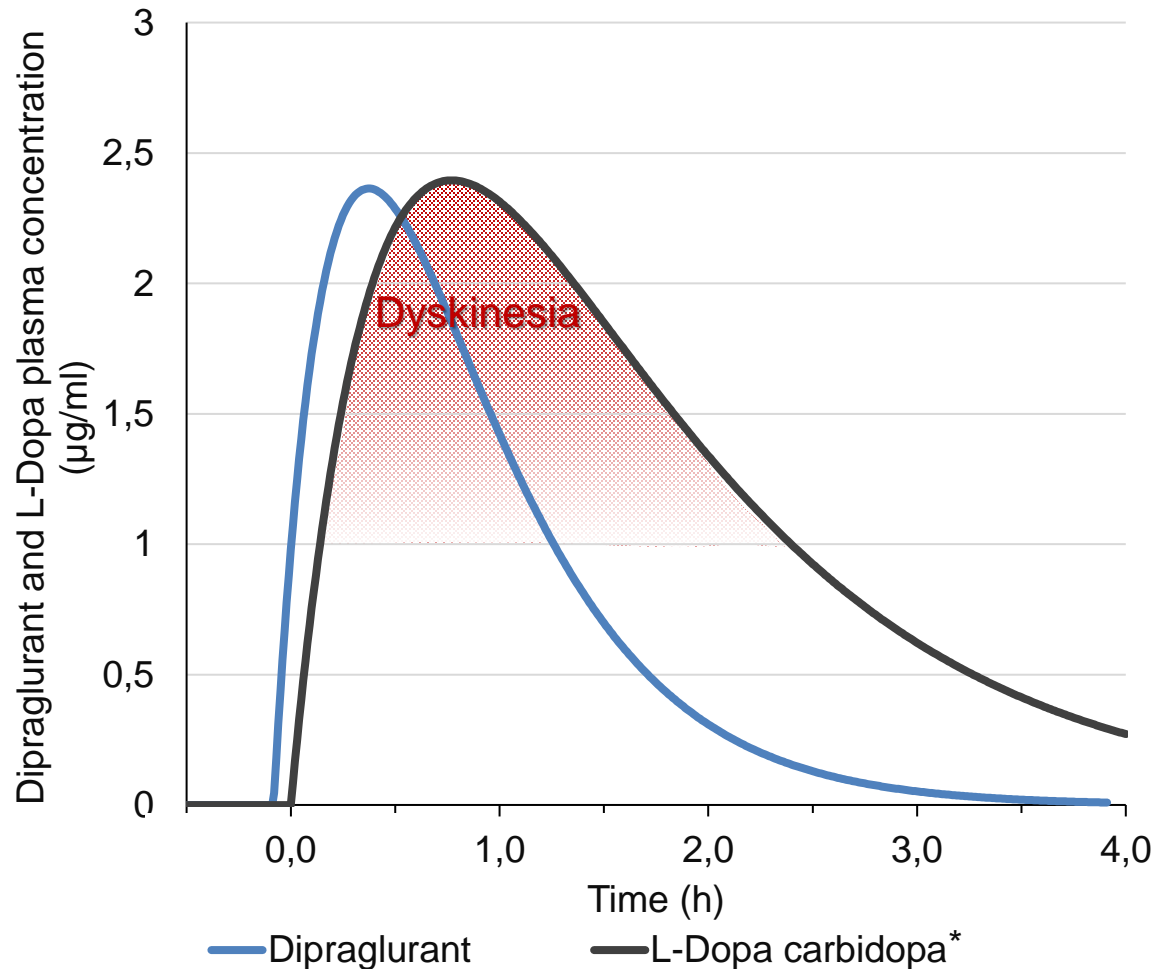
# MoA Rationale for Targeting mGlu5 Inhibition in PD-LID



- Loss of substantia nigra neurons combined with the non-physiological, pulsatile stimulation of dopamine receptors with L-dopa are at the basis of LID development
- In the striatum, LID is the result of:
  - A** *D1 receptor priming*
  - B** *Excess glutamate transmission*
  - C** *Loss of LTP depotentiation*
- mGlu5 receptor is an attractive target due to its modulatory action - normalizing glutamatergic activity and restoring LTP depotentiation
- Inhibiting mGlu5 decreases excess glutamatergic tone thereby controlling dyskinesia
- Dipraglurant is an oral, highly selective NAM of the mGlu5 receptor



# Dipraglurant PK is a Key Advantage for Treating LID

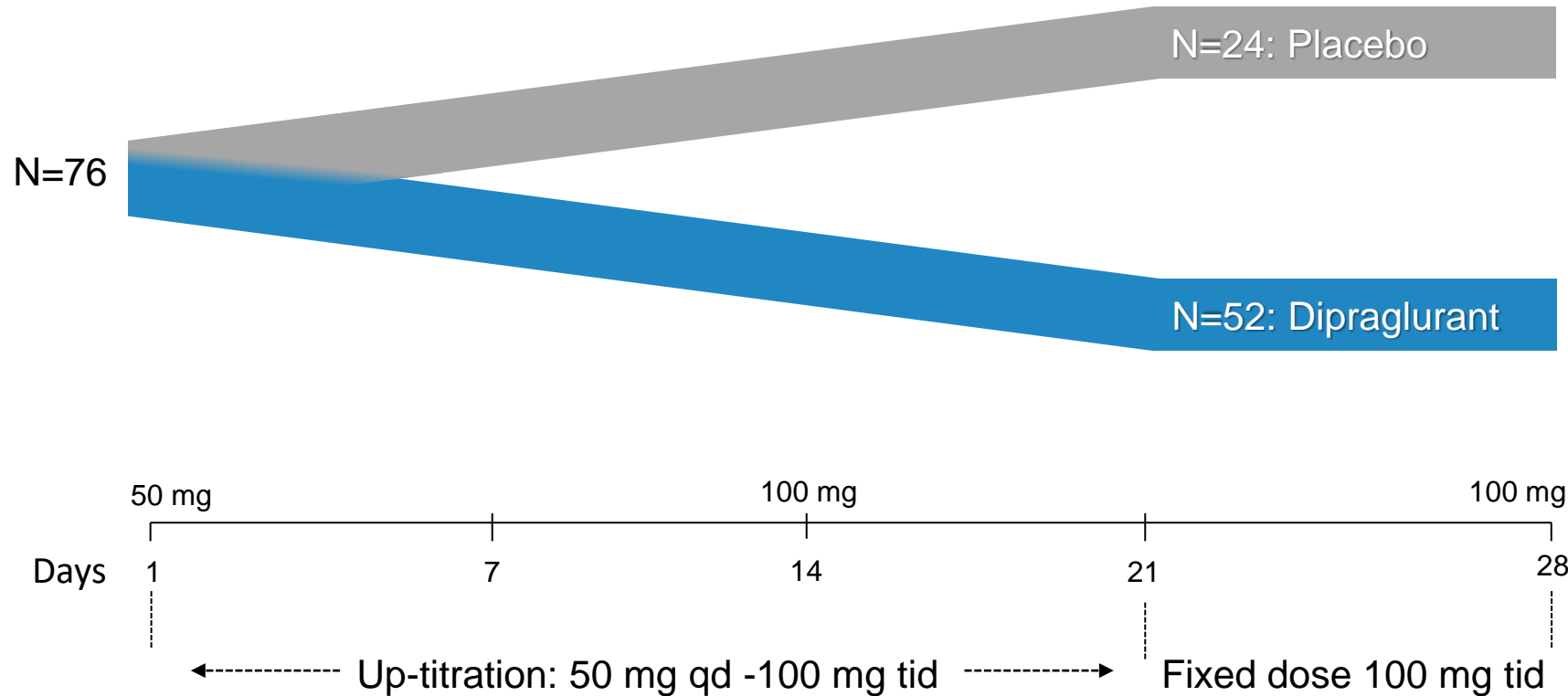


- Dyskinesia symptoms are correlated to peak levels of L-dopa
- PK of dipraglurant allows control of glutamatergic tone ahead of L-dopa Cmax

**Dipraglurant normalizes abnormal glutamate stimulation during peak levodopa dose**

**Dipraglurant peaks ahead of L-dopa for optimal LID control**

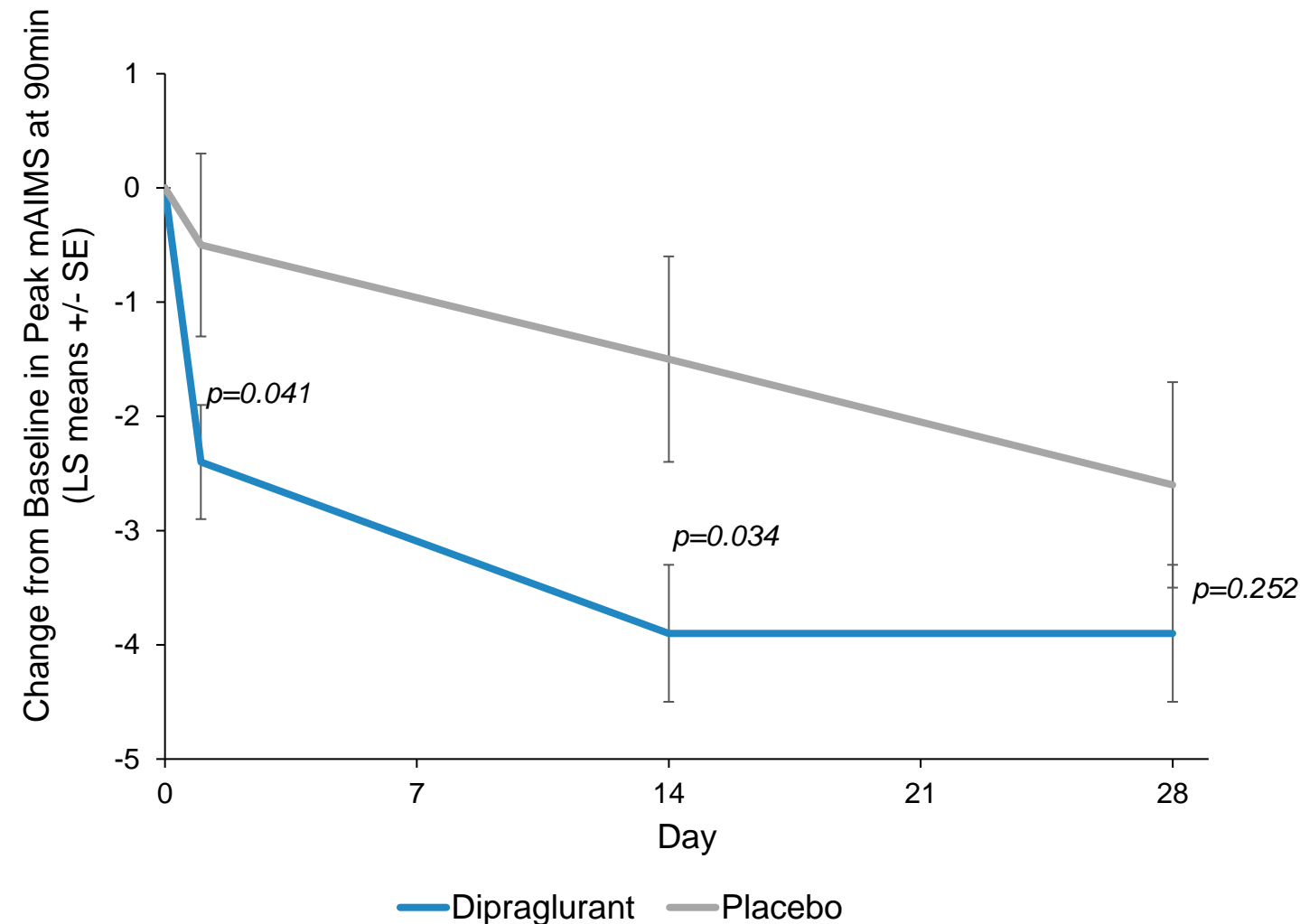
# Dipraglurant Phase 2a Study in LID (in US and Europe)



- **Primary objective:** safety & tolerability
- **Secondary objective:** exploratory efficacy:
  - Modified Abnormal Involuntary Movement Scale (mAIMS) on days 1, 14 and 28
  - Clinician Global Impression of Change (CGIC)
  - Patient diaries of “On” & “Off” time

Measured acute effect of mid-day dose on days 1, 14 and 28

# Dipraglurant Improves LID by 30%

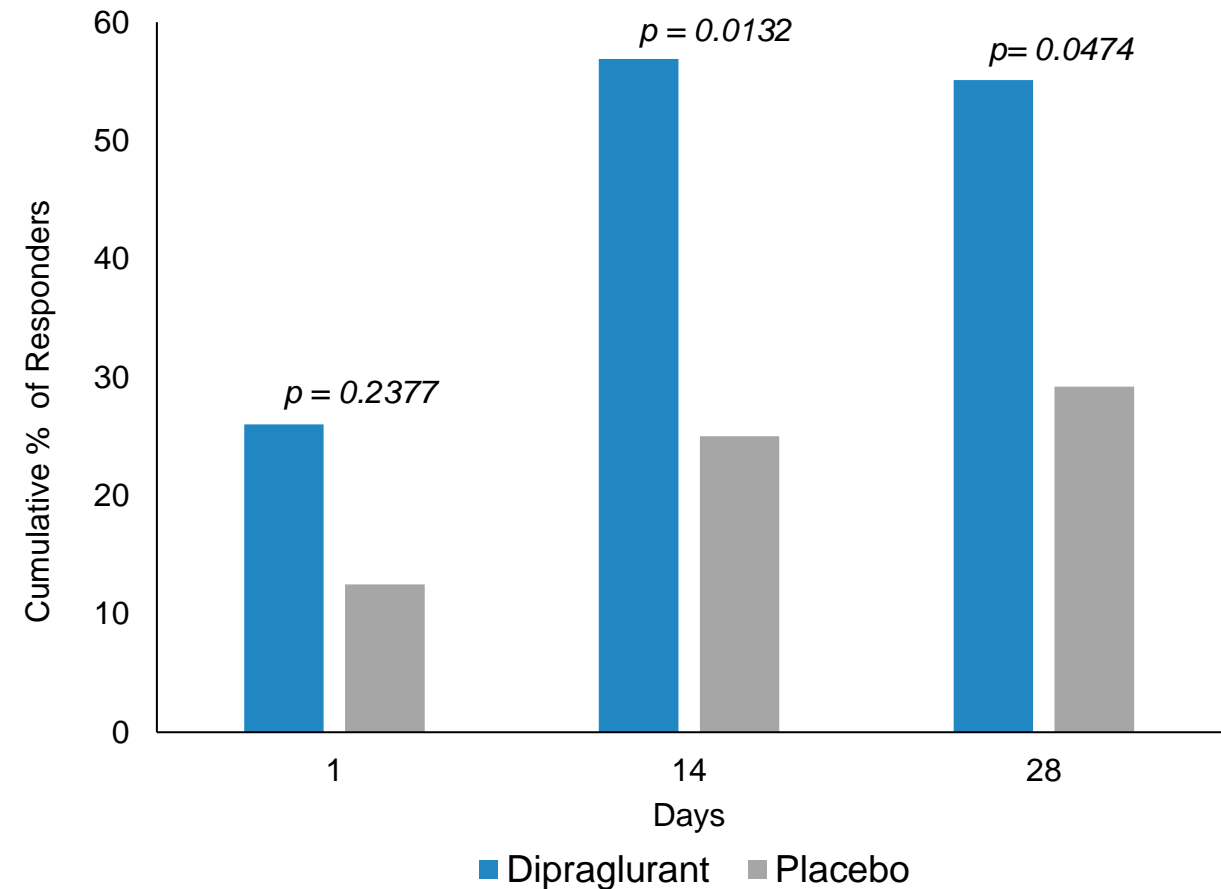


- Statistically significant effects: Day 1 (50mg) and Day 14 (100mg)
- Improvement maintained through Day 28
- Increasing placebo response caused significance to be lost at Day 28
- No placebo mitigation in study

Mean % change of peak mAIMS from baseline		
Midday dose	Dipraglurant	Placebo
Day 1 (50 mg)	19.9%	4.1%
Day 14 (100 mg)	32.3%	12.6%
Day 28 (100 mg)	31.4%	21.5%

# Responder Analysis Demonstrates Dipraglurant Significant Benefit

Percent of patients with ≥ 30% improvement on mAIMS

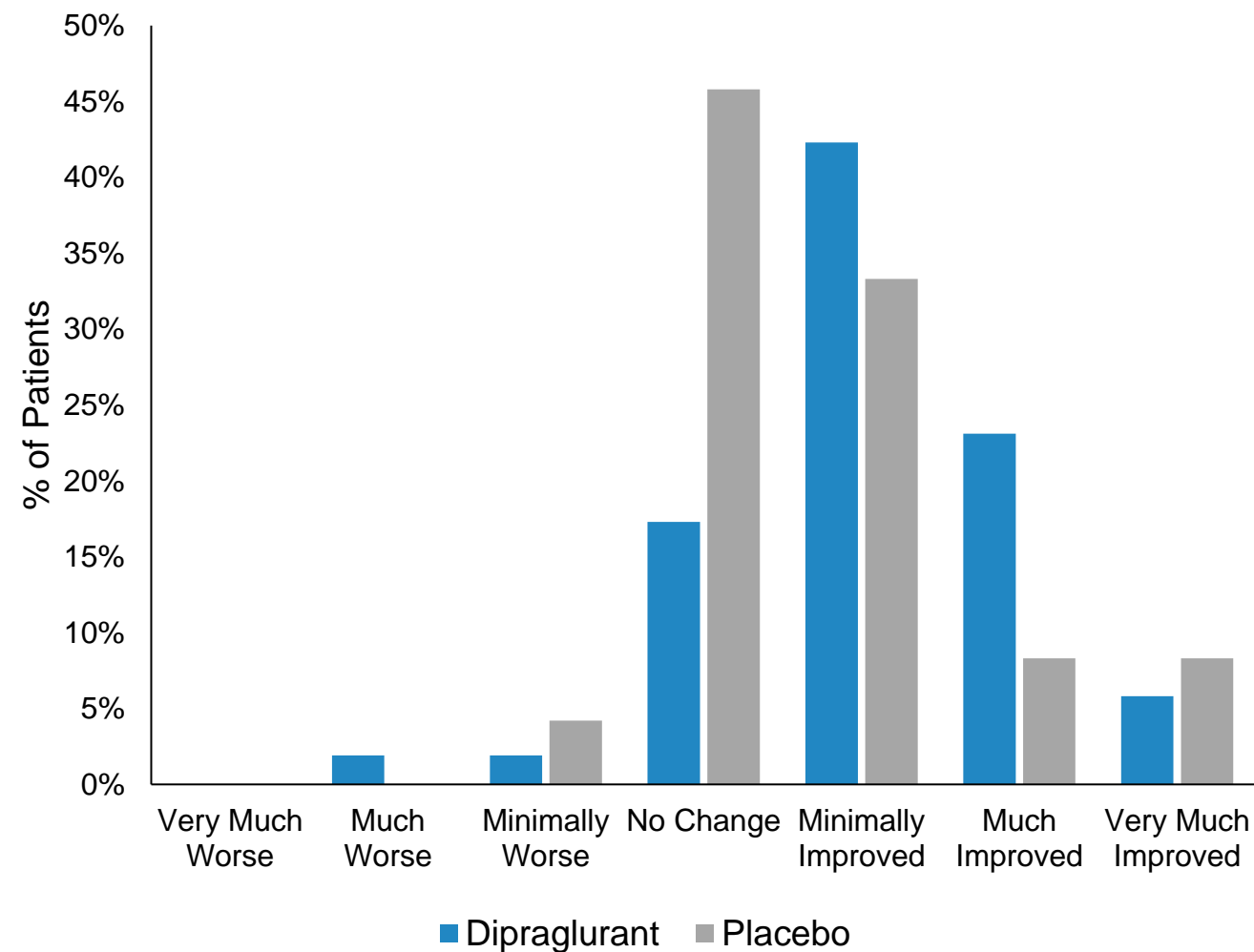


Responder analysis (≥30% change of mAIMS from baseline)				
Midday dose	Dipraglurant		Placebo	
Day 1 (50 mg)	n=13	26.0%	n=3	12.5%
Day 14 (100 mg)	n=29	56.9%*	n=6	25.0%
Day 28 (100 mg)	n=27	55.1%*	n=7	29.2%

\*statistically significant

Reinforces robustness of dipraglurant anti-dyskinetic effect

# Significant Improvement on CGI-C



	Dipraglurant	Placebo
Improved (p<0.05)	71.2%	49.9%
No change	17.3%	45.8%

- Simple scale reflecting clinical assessment by treating physician
- More objective than mAIMS
- Assessed at end of study compared to baseline
- Supports use of UDysRS in pivotal program

# Dipraglurant Demonstrated Good Safety and Tolerability in PD Patients

- Adverse events common in both treatment groups (dipraglurant 88.5%, placebo 75%)
- Most common AEs:

	Dipraglurant	Placebo
Worsening Dyskinesia	21% <b>(15.3%*)</b>	12.5%
Dizziness	19%	12.5%
Nausea	19%	0%
Fatigue	15%	4%

\* 3 of 11 AEs of “worsening dyskinesia” occurred in the follow up period (i.e., after drug discontinuation). On treatment incidence = 15.3% dipraglurant, 12.5% placebo

- AEs led to discontinuation in 2 patients (dipraglurant 100 mg)
- Fewer AEs at 50 mg (Weeks 1 and 2) 53% vs 58% placebo compared to 100 mg (Weeks 3 and 4) 73% vs 63% placebo
- No treatment effects on ECG, HR, BP, haematology and biochemistry

Safety profile supports continued development in PD-LID (KOLs and DSMB)

# Dipraglurant PD-L1D – Status of Development

- Pivotal registration program
  - Study 301 & 12-month Open Label Study (302) terminated in June 2022 due to slow recruitment rate attributed to COVID related constraints
- Future development under evaluation, including:
  - PD-L1D
  - Post-stroke recovery
  - Substance use disorder
  - Pain

## Other Preclinical Programs:

GABAB PAM for Substance Use Disorders (Indivior Partnership) & Chronic Cough

mGlu7NAM Stress related disorders & Schizophrenia



# GABAB PAM for Substance Use Disorder

Large market & unmet medical need	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• High prevalence; 1.8% of US population*</li><li>• Current treatments have undesirable side-effects and prone to relapse</li><li>• Burden to society in US is &gt;\$600B annually**</li></ul>
Clinically validated MoA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Baclofen (GABAB agonist) used off label for alcohol use disorder</li><li>• ADX71441 attenuates alcohol self-administration and relapse to alcohol seeking in rats*** and alcohol consumption in mice****</li><li>• ADX71441 reduces cocaine self-administration in NHP*****</li></ul>
Status of program and near-term milestone	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Addex is executing Indivior funded GABAB PAM research program</li><li>• Multiple compounds in late clinical candidate selection phase</li><li>• Differentiated leads and backups with robust novel IP potential</li><li>• IND enabling studies expected to start in 2024</li></ul>
Strategic partnership with Indivior	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Eligible to receive \$330 million in milestones and tiered royalties from high single digits to low double digits</li><li>• Conducting a funded research program to discover novel GABAB PAMs<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– Right to select compounds for development in reserved indications</li></ul></li></ul>

# GABAB PAM for Chronic Cough

## Large market & unmet medical need

- Widespread prevalence
  - Up to 10% of adult population worldwide\*
  - More prevalent (10-20%) in Europe, America and Australia than in Asia (5%)\*
- Opioid drugs (codeine) offer suboptimal relief and are linked to undesirable side effects, including abuse potential

## Clinically validated MoA

- Baclofen (GABAB agonist) reduced chronic cough in multiple clinical studies
- Baclofen is used off-label as a treatment of chronic cough
- Baclofen showed efficacy in animal models of chronic cough\*\*

## Status of development

- Multiple compounds in late clinical candidate selection phase
- Potential for safer and better tolerated therapeutic approach to baclofen

## Intellectual property & near-term milestone

- Differentiated leads and backups with good IP potential
  - Independent IP from Indivior collaboration
- IND enabling studies expected to start in 2024

# mGlu7 NAM for Stress Related Disorders (including PTSD) and Schizophrenia

## Large market & unmet medical need

- PTSD affects approximately 3.5% of U.S. adults
- Current treatments are primarily based on psychotherapy, medication is nonspecific (off-label use of anxiolytics and antidepressants) and usually ineffective, often with numerous side effects

## Novel first in class MoA

- Potential shown in mGlu7 KO mice phenotype and mGlu7 inhibition studies
- Preclinical POC demonstrated with Addex mGlu7 NAM:
  - Fear conditioning model of PTSD in rats
  - Elevated plus maze and marble burying test of anxiety in mice
  - Amphetamine-induced hyperactivity test of psychosis in mice

## Status of development

- Drug candidate PK/PD established and pre-IND studies completed
- Potential breakthrough therapeutic innovation for the treatment of stress related disorders like PTSD

## Intellectual property & near-term milestone

- Differentiated leads and backups with good IP potential
- IND enabling studies expected to start in H2 2023

# Addex Financials, Stock and Milestones

# Financials and Stock

- Cash at March 31, 2023: CHF 5.6M (USD 6.1M)
  - CHF 4.5M (USD 5.0 M) raised on April 3, 2023
- No debt
- Traded on SIX Swiss Exchange: ADXN (ISIN:CH0029850754)
- ADS representing 6 shares traded on Nasdaq: ADXN (ISIN: US00654J107; CUSIP: 00654J107)
- 88.71M outstanding shares
  - Armistice Capital LLC – 48.32%<sup>\*/\*\*</sup>
  - New Enterprise Associates – 8.47%\*
  - New Leaf Venture Partners – 2.92%\*
- 115.34M registered shares incl. treasury shares (188.31M fully diluted)
  - Management & board holds – 18.58% (fully diluted basis)
- Analyst coverage:
  - HC Wainwright - Raghuram Selvaraju
  - valuationLab - Bob Pooler
  - Baader Helvea AG - Leonildo Delgado
  - ZKB - Laurent Flamme

# Milestones

Milestone	Timing
ADX71149 for epilepsy	
Phase 2a – Part 1 IRC* recommends to continue study	10 <sup>th</sup> May 2023
Further update on progress	H2 2023
GABA <sub>B</sub> PAM for substance use disorders	
Start IND enabling studies	2024
GABA <sub>B</sub> PAM for chronic cough, pain & CMT1A	
Start IND enabling studies	2024
mGlu7 NAM for stress-related disorders – PTSD	
Start IND enabling studies	H2 2023
Partnership for a preclinical program	H2 2023

# Summary

## Multiple high value programs

- Phase 2 epilepsy study (J&J) ongoing
- Dipraglurant Phase 2 ready - multiple indications under evaluation
- GABAB PAM for substance use disorder (Indivior) and other indications
- mGlu7 NAM for stress related disorders (PTSD) and schizophrenia
- M4 PAM for schizophrenia and other psychosis

## Technology and capabilities to deliver

- Pioneering allosteric modulation drug development
  - Proprietary screening assays and unique chemical library
- All programs developed in-house, protected with >200 patents

## Solid foundation

- Partnerships with industry leaders – JnJ & Indivior
- Top tier US investors – Armistice Capital, NEA and NLV
- Dual listed SIX Swiss exchange & US Nasdaq

## Promising outlook

- Multiple programs in CCS entering IND enabling studies in 2023/2024
- Data from Phase 2 epilepsy study – update on progress expected H2 2023



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