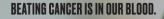
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# THERAPY ACCELERATION PROGRAM

LORE GRUENBAUM, VP, TAP JAVEED FROOZAN, VP, BD & SA

September 2021



LEUKEMIA & LYMPHOMA SOCIETY<sup>®</sup>

## LLS MISSION AND PURPOSE

The mission of The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS) is to cure leukemia, lymphoma, Hodgkin's disease and myeloma, and improve the quality of life of patients and their families. We fund **RESEARCH** to advance lifesaving treatments.

We provide patients, survivors, caregivers, families and healthcare professionals with hope, guidance, **EDUCATION** and **SUPPORT**.

We drive **ADVOCACY** for policies that protect patient access to lifesaving treatment.



Approximately every **3 minutes** someone in the U.S. is diagnosed with blood cancer

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Nearly **1.4 million** people in the U.S. are living with or in remission from leukemia, lymphoma or myeloma

About **30 percent** of blood cancer patients still do not survive five years after diagnosis



About **40 percent** of all pediatric cancers are blood cancers



# LLS MISSION INVESTMENT IS SUPPORTED BY MULTIPLE REVENUE SOURCES PAGE 3



# **OUR IMPACT**

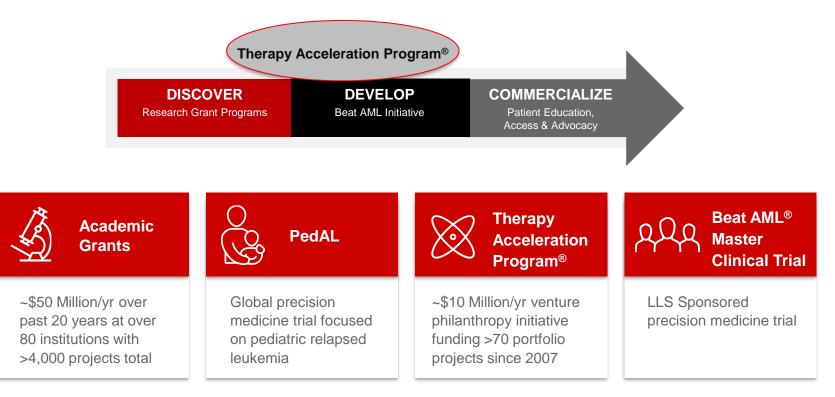
- Invested nearly \$1.3 billion in research and development worldwide since founded in 1949
- Helped advance 52 of 60 FDA approved blood cancer drugs
- Supported >93,000 patients since inception
- Responded to 20,000 inquiries in 2019



# LLS GLOBAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT FOCUS

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Research and development programs and clinical trials using LLS resources





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# LLS THERAPY ACCELERATION PROGRAM (TAP)

### Venture philanthropy funding to support novel therapies

### Established in 2007

### >\$125 Million invested to date

- Biotech: >\$90 Million
- Institutions: ~\$35 Million
- >70 financings of companies and assets
- >20 assets currently in active development

### **3 FDA-Approved Therapies**

- Vyxeos (AML)
- Yescarta (DLBCL, tFL, PMBCL)
- Elzonris (BPDCN)

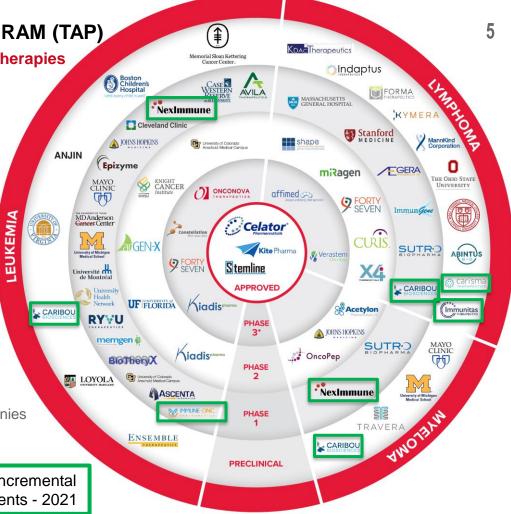
### **ROI Focus:**

- FDA Approvals
- Assets in clinical development
- Strategic transactions & financing for portfolio companies
- Financial ROI to LLS

www.LLS.org/therapy-acceleration-program

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New + Incremental Investments - 2021



\*Includes Phase 2 registration-enabling studies

# LLS TAP SCIENTIFIC & BUSINESS LEADERSHIP



### Lore Gruenbaum, PhD VP, TAP

- 20 years drug discovery & clinical development
- VP, Gotham Therapeutics; Exec Dir, Applied Biomath
- Biomarker Head, Virology, Roche; Group Leader, BI
- Yale postdoctoral work, principal investigator and collaborator on several SBIR grants



### Lee Greenberger, PhD SVP, Chief Scientific Officer

- 20 years big pharma and biotech
- Overight responsibility for >\$50 M annual research budget
- Advanced > 10 oncology therapeutics into the clinic
- Search & due diligence experience with big pharma



### Javeed Froozan, MBA, BS VP, Business Development

- 25 years biopharma and health technology value creation
- Sr. Dir, Emergent BioSolutions, Multiple start-ups/exits, 2 IPOs
- Business lead on EBS-Trubion M&A transaction. Alliance Manager for Pfizer relationship
- Strategic Investments, M&A, Business Development, Asset Management, and Economic Development



### Blaine Robinson, PhD Executive Director, TAP

- 15 years research & clinical development in blood cancer
- Search & Diligence on 100+ projects
- Scientific lead for over 20 TAP projects including Constellation, Kymera, Ryvu & most recently Abintus, Caribou & Immune-Onc
- Pediatric leukemia researcher, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia



### Jun Xu, PhD Executive Director – TAP Lead

- 20 years oncology/ immunology drug discovery/development
- Search & Diligence on 100+ projects
- Scientific lead for over 20 TAP projects including multiple high impact ones, such as Stemline, Kite, argenX, Forty Seven & most recently Carisma



### Therapy Acceleration Program Committee: https://www.lls.org/therapy-acceleration-program/oversight

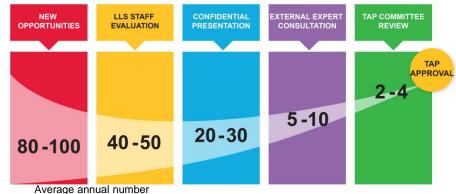
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# **TAP GOALS & INVESTMENT STRATEGY**

### Accelerate innovative blood cancer therapies and generate ROI for LLS mission

Focus on high-value assets:

- Existing and emerging populations with high unmet needs
- Gaps in current and emerging treatment landscape
- Innovative science, first-in-class assets
- First-in-heme/onc and registration trials
- Strong intellectual property, management, and finances





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# TAP BIOTECH ACCELERATION MODEL

# 2 PATHS TO CO-INVEST WITH INVESTORS AND VENTURE PHILANTHROPIES



### Strategic

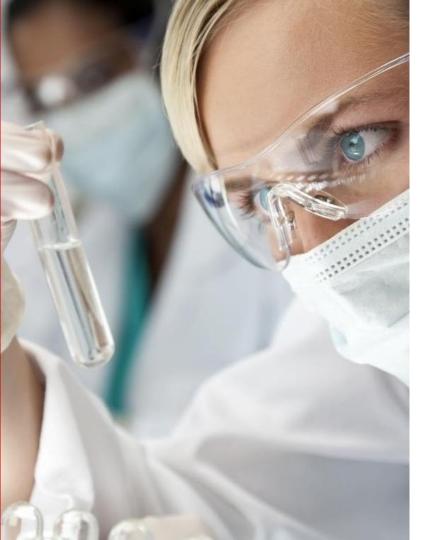
- Range of Investment:
   \$2 Million to \$10 Million
- Presentation to TAP Committee
- Typically, 3-6 months to reach TAP Committee



# **Opportunistic**

- Target Investment: \$500,000
- LLS TAP team briefs TAP Committee Chair
- Transaction completion in 1-3 months





# TAP VALUE ADD TO BIOTECH COMPANIES

TAP-funded companies benefit from LLS blood cancer insight

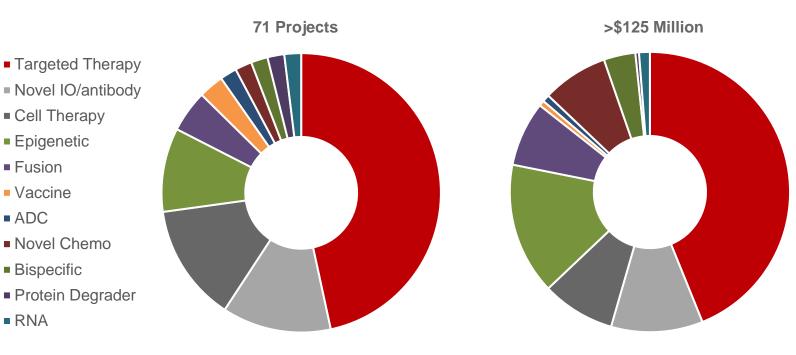
- Deep knowledge of indications and rapidly changing SoC
- Unique scientific, clinical, and drug development expertise
- Patient access services to enable understanding of patient needs
- Immediate access to extensive KOL network
- Pharmaceutical, biotech, and research institution partner connections
- Regulatory insight through LLS initiatives (Beat AML Master Clinical Trial<sup>®</sup>)

TAP record of success provides scientific & investment credibility, and visibility enabling companies to raise additional funds.



# TAP PORTFOLIO THERAPEUTIC PLATFORMS FUNDED (2007-2021)

Portfolio is aligned with strong industry focus on Targeted Therapy and reflects growing interest in Cell and IO Therapies in blood cancer





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### TAP team understands & successfully invests in complex therapeutic areas

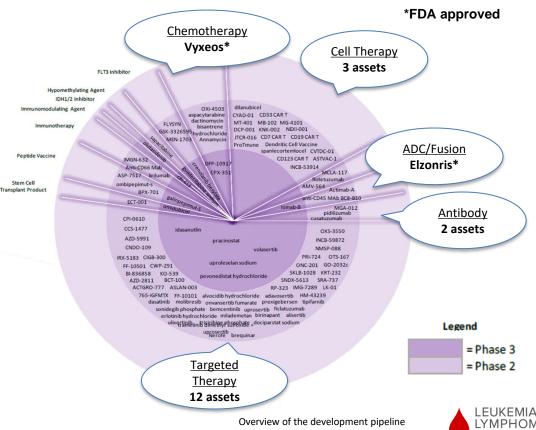
### **High Unmet Medical Need**

- 72,000 newly diagnosed in 8 major markets (2019)
- >10,000 deaths per year in US
- Complex, heterogeneous disease
- Ineffective long-term disease control with current therapies
- Elderly patients not fit for chemo
- Growing use of targeted therapies and combinations

### Significant Market Opportunity

- Global AML market \$1.4 Billion (2019)
- CAGR 13.6% (projected to 2029)

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2020 @GlobalData





# TAP PORTFOLIO ASSETS IN DEVELOPMENT

Therapy	Target/Modality	Indications	Preclinical	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 2 Reg / Phase 3	FDA status
Magrolimab + Azacitidine	CD47 antibody	MDS	1	1		<b>Orty</b> Seven <sup>1</sup>	武寺
AFM13	CD30/CD16A bispecific engager	PTCL		1		affi med	Ť
Pelabresib + Ruxolitinib	BET small molecule	MPN		1			† <i>Ξ</i> ズ
Duvelisib	PI3Kδ/γ small molecule	PTCL		I I		Verastem <sup>3</sup>	† <i>⊒</i> ズ
Magrolimab + Rituximab	CD47 antibody	DLBCL		1	<b>Orty</b> Seven <sup>1</sup>		
Cusatuzumab + Azacitidine	CD70 antibody	AML	-   	, , ,	argenx		Ť
KO-539	Menin small molecule	AML		KURA <sup>4</sup>		I	Ť
STRO-001	CD74 antibody drug conjugate	NHL/MM	1	SUTR: BIOPHARMA		1	<b>Й</b> (ММ)
Mavorixafor + Ibrutinib	CXCR4 small molecule	Waldenström macroglobulinemia	1		l I	I I	Ť
RVU120	CDK8/19 small molecule	AML/MDS					Ť
PVX-410 + ACY-241 +/- Len	XBP1/CD138/CS1 vaccine	Smoldering myeloma	1	OncoPep	   	1	Ť
NEXI-001 NEXI-002	T cell therapy	AML MM		• NexImmune		1	
BTX-A51	CK1-a/CDK7/CDK9 small molecule	AML/MDS	1	<b>C</b> BioTheryX			
10-202	LILRB4 antibody	AML/CMML	1		I	l	Ť
CB-010	CD19/PD1 KO allogeneic CAR	NHL					
KT-413 KT-333	IRAKIMiD degrader STAT3 degrader	DLBCL Heme malignancies	KYMERA	I I	1	🕴 🛉 Orphan Drug De	signation
IMT-009	CD161 antibody	NHL	THERAPEUTICS	1			
TBD	in vivo CAR	TBD	ABINTUS	1		Fast Track Desig	
TBD	CAR macrophage	TBD		l I	l	Breakthrough Th	erapy Designation

# TAP FUNDED ASSETS CREATE VALUE

### TAP portfolio partners have had successful M&A, collaboration and licensing transactions



# Transactions >\$20 Billion



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### TAP PORTFOLIO COMPANY WITH ASSETS IN ACTIVE BLOOD CANCER DEVELOPMENT

# SIGNIFICANT EQUITY FINANCING RAISED CONCURRENT WITH OR POST- LLS TAP FUNDING

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Equity since TAP Funding*	TAP Portfolio Company
>\$1 Billion	argenx Epizyme
>\$500 Million	Constellation <sup>1</sup> Kura <sup>2</sup> Kymera <sup>2</sup>
\$250-\$500 Million	Caribou <sup>2</sup> Curis Forty Seven <sup>3</sup> Sutro
\$100-\$250 Million	Affimed BioTheryx <sup>2</sup> Neximmune <sup>2</sup> X4 <sup>2</sup>
\$50-\$100 Million	Carisma <sup>2</sup> Immune-Onc <sup>2</sup> Immunitas <sup>2</sup> Ryvu WindMIL <sup>2</sup>
<\$50 Million	Abintus <sup>2</sup> Indaptus <sup>2</sup> OncoPep <sup>2</sup>

Table incudes assets without a regulatory approval . \*GlobalData as of August 31, 2021



#### 1: LLS asset funding (07/2021 M&A by MorphoSys); 2: LLS equity; 3: LLS equity participation plus asset funding (05/2020 M&A by Gilead)



# **KEY POINTS**

### LLS TAP has established record of success

- Targeting unmet medical needs
- Leading to FDA approvals of life changing therapeutics
- Creating value for patients, companies and ROI for the LLS mission

### LLS would like to expand the reach & impact of the TAP program

- Leverage its unique expertise in novel collaborations
- Attract more companies and investors to blood cancer indications
- Expand TAP capacity to support the most promising assets

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# TAP SUCCESS STORIES





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# TAP SUCCESS: NOVEL LIPOSOMAL CYTOTOXIC THERAPY

*Vyxeos*<sup>®</sup> is the first FDA-approved treatment for two types of poor-prognosis AML (2017)

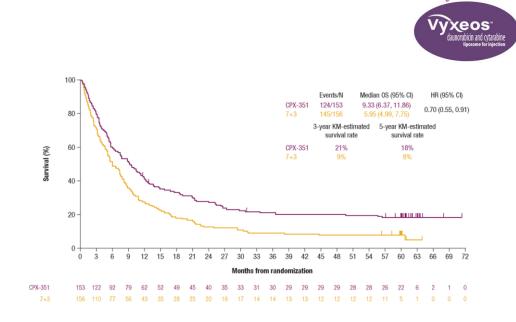


## ACQUIRED BY JAZZ PHARMA FOR \$1.5 BILLION IN 2016

LLS TAP PROVIDED:

**\$9.15 MILLION ASSET FUNDING** 

ROI: \$25.3 MILLION



Five-year final results of a phase 3 study of CPX-351 versus 7+3 in older adults with newly diagnosed high-risk/secondary AML

J. Lancet et al., ASCO 2020



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# TAP SUCCESS: CD19 CHIMERIC ANTIGEN RECEPTOR (CAR) T-CELL THERAPYPAGE 18

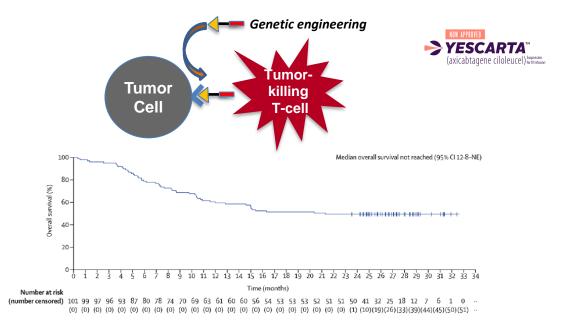
*Yescarta*<sup>®</sup> is the first FDA-approved CAR-T Therapy in NHL (2017) LLS has invested > \$80 M in Cellular Immunotherapy since 1998

ACQUIRED BY GILEAD FOR \$11.9 BILLION IN 2017

LLS TAP PROVIDED:

**\$2.5 MILLION ASSET FUNDING** 

**ROI: \$6.25 MILLION** 



Long-term safety and activity of axicabtagene ciloleucel in refractory large B-cell lymphoma (ZUMA-1): a single-arm, multicenter, Ph 1-2 trial

Locke et al. 2019. Lancet Oncology



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# **TAP SUCCESS: NOVEL TARGETED CD123 FUSION PROTEIN**

**Elzonris®** is the first approved therapy for rare blood cancer indication BPDCN (2018)

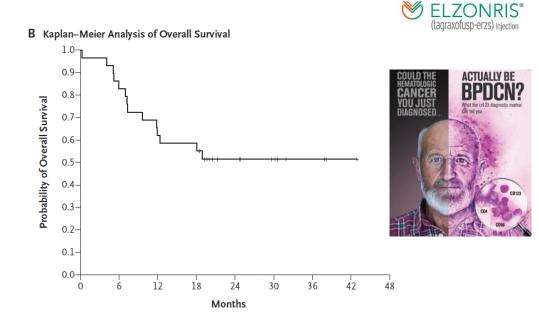
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# ACQUIRED BY MENARINI GROUP FOR \$677 MILLION IN 2020

LLS TAP PROVIDED:

**\$2.9 MILLION NET ASSET FUNDING** 

# **ROI: \$7.25 MILLION TO DATE**



Treatment outcomes of 29 patients with blastic plasmacytoid dendritic cell neoplasm (BPDCN) who received first-line treatment with tagraxofusp: Probability of overall survival

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# TAP SUCCESS: MAGROLIMAB (ANTI-CD47 ANTIBODY)

Magrolimab + Azacitidine induces high response rates in MDS and AML Initiation of registration-enabling studies in 2020

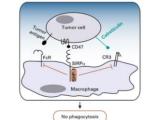
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### ACQUIRED BY GILEAD FOR \$4.9 BILLION IN 2020

LLS TAP PROVIDED:

## \$4.175 MILLION ASSET FUNDING \$3 MILLION EQUITY INVESTMENT

ROI: >\$40 MILLION

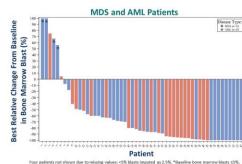


Magrolimab blocks the 'don't eat me' signal on tumor cells

Best Overall Response	1L MDS N=33	1L AML N=25 16 (64%)	
ORR	30 (91%)		
CR	14 (42%)	10 (40%)	
CRi	NA	4 (16%)	
PR	1 (3%)	1 (4%)	
MLFS/marrow CR	8 (24%) 4 with marrow CR + HI	1 (4%)	
Hematologic improvement (HI)	7 (21%)	NA	
SD	3 (9%)	8 (32%)	
PD	0	1 (4%)	

nse assessments per 2006 IWG MDS criteria and 2017 AMI EIN criteria. Patients with at least 1 post

treatment response assessment are shown; all other patients are on therapy and are too early for first response assessment, except for 2 MDS patients not evaluable (withdrawal of consent) and 3 AML patients (1 AE, 2 early



- Magrolimab + AZA induces a 91% ORR (42% CR) in MDS and 64% ORR (56% CR/CRi) in AML
- Responses deepened over time with a 56% 6-month CR rate in MDS patients (assessed in all patients 6 months after initial treatment)
- Median time to response is 1.9 months, more rapid than AZA alone
- Magrolimab + AZA efficacy compares favorably to AZA monotherapy (CR rate 6-17%<sup>1,2</sup>)

1. Azacitidine USPL 2. Fenaux P, et al. *Lancet Oncol.* 2009 ;10(3):223-232.
PRESENTED AT: 2020 ASCO #ASCO20

PRESENTED BY: DAVID A. SALLMAN, MI







# TAP SUCCESS: KO-539 (MENIN INHIBITOR)

First-in-class inhibitor of the menin-MLL interaction in Ph1 trial for patients with relapsed/refractory AML



## PRECLINICAL COMPOUNDS RELATED TO KO-539 LICENSED TO KURA ONCOLOGY IN 2015

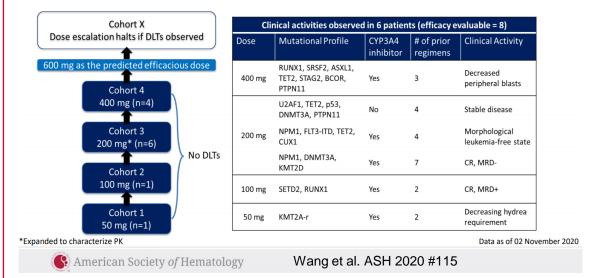
LLS TAP PROVIDED:

\$6.31 MILLION ASSET FUNDING TO U MICHIGAN

ROI: EQUITY: 26,000+ SHARES + \$26,000+ CASH TO DATE



# KO-539 Demonstrates Encouraging Early Clinical Activity



- Grants initially and then TAP supported preclinical development (including chemistry) of menin-MLL interaction inhibitors by Jolanta Grembecka at University of Michigan and licensing of assets to Kura Oncology in Dec 2014
- Phase 1/2a trial for R/R AML with MLL fusions/NPM1 mutations
  - First patient dosed in Sept 2019
  - Initiated expansion cohorts in July 2021



# TAP SUCCESS: PELABRESIB (BET INHIBITOR)

### Pelabrelib + Ruxolitinib induces high spleen volume response rates in JAK-naive myelofibrosis Initiation of registration-enabling study in 2020 First Novel Mechanism Beyond JAK Inhibitors to Demonstrate POC in 1L MF

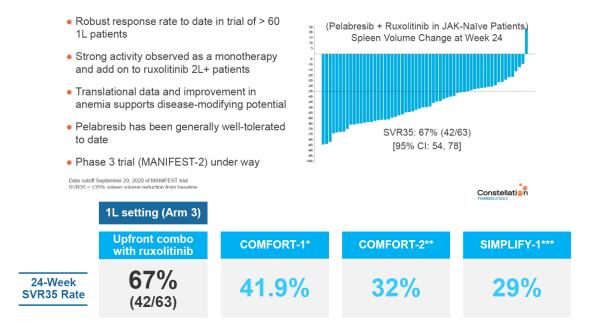


## ACQUIRED BY MORPHOSYS FOR \$1.7 BILLION IN 2021

LLS TAP PROVIDED:

**\$7.35 MILLION ASSET FUNDING** 

**ROI: \$7.35 MILLION TO DATE** 



SVR35 response = ≥35% spleen volume reduction (Measured at 24 Weeks)

\* COMFORT-1: A Double-blind, Placebo-controlled Trial of ruxolitinib for Myelofibrosis. Verstovsek, S., et al; N Engl J Med 2012;366:799-807.

\*\* COMFORT-2: A Double-blind, Placebo-controlled Trial of ruxolinib vs. Best Available Therapy (BAT) for Myelofibrosis. Harrison, C., et al; NEJM 2012; 336: 787-798.
\*\*\* SIMPLIFY-1: A Phase III Randomized Trial of Momelotinib Versus ruxolitinib in Janus Kinase Inhibitor-Naïve Patients With Myelofibrosis. Mesa, R., et al. J Clin Oncol 2017: 35(34):3844-3850.



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