

**Proposed acquisition of
Newron creates a stronger
European biopharma company
focused on CNS**

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Proposed acquisition of Newron

Company profile

- Newron Pharmaceuticals is a SIX Swiss-listed company
- Current market capitalization ~SFr 33 million; headcount 29 employees
- Lead asset safinamide in Phase 3 for Parkinson's disease; data expected H1 2012
- Attractive partnership with Merck Serono

Transaction terms

- All stock transaction of up to 89.1 million newly-issued Biotie shares up front
- Two contingency rights, each up to 8.6 million shares, for the two regulatory filings of safinamide as adjunctive therapy to L-DOPA or dopamine agonists
- Biotie holders to own 78.5%; Newron holders to own 21.5%
- Pro forma market cap of ~ €195 million as of 26 September 2011

Timeline

- Transaction expected to close December 2011








Compelling business case for acquisition

- Adds second late-stage asset in major CNS market: safinamide for Parkinson's disease
- Expands significantly near-term revenue and milestone potential
- Adds Merck Serono as an additional strategic partner, in addition to existing partners UCB, Roche, Lundbeck and Seikagaku
- Creates broad portfolio of pipeline candidates focused on neurodegenerative, psychiatric and niche inflammatory disease
- Builds on Biotie healthy balance sheet (EUR 40.9 million cash¹)

Potential for two commercial CNS products by 2013




- Nalmefene for alcohol dependence and safinamide for Parkinson's disease address large CNS markets
- Strong news flow over the next two years for nalmefene and safinamide, including:
 - European marketing application for nalmefene expected H2 2011
 - Possible nalmefene approval 2012
 - Phase 3 data for safinamide expected H1 2012
 - Possible safinamide regulatory submissions 2012

Well balanced and risk diversified portfolio

	Preclinical	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Regulatory/ commercial
 Nalmefene - alcohol dependence opioid antagonist	✓	✓	✓	✓	MAA filing by end-2011
 Safinamide - Parkinson's disease MAOB and dopamine reuptake inhibitor	✓	✓	✓*	Two Phase 3 ongoing; data due H1 2012	
 Tozadenant (SYN115) - Parkinson's disease adenosine A _{2a} antagonist	✓	✓	Phase 2b ongoing; data due H1 2013		
 Nitisinone (SYN118) – Movement disorders HPPD inhibitor	✓	✓	Next steps to be decided with UCB		
 ¹⁾ SYN120 - AD/cognitive disorders 5-HT ₆ antagonist	✓	PET imaging study; data due H1 2012			
 ²⁾ VAP-1 antibody – inflammatory / fibrotic disease VAP-1 antagonist, fully human	✓	✓	Seek partner for large indications		
 ³⁾ Nepicastat (SYN117) PTSD & drug dependence DBH inhibitor	✓	✓	Results expected 2013		
NW3509 - Schizophrenia Voltage gated sodium channel blocker	✓	Ready to initiate Phase 1 studies			
Ronomilast – COPD PDE4 inhibitor	✓	✓	Seeking partner		

1) Option agreement; 2) Asia-Pacific rights licensed to Seikagaku; 3) US Department of Defense conducting clinical study
* Phase 2 studies ongoing for treatment of dyskinesia and cognition

Core partners validate and fund late-stage pipeline

Partnerships around key development products			
			
Product(s)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WW exclusive license to SYN115 • Option to SYN118 in non-orphan indications 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WW exclusive license to nalmefene 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WW exclusive license to safinamide
Financial terms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$20M equity investment • Up to \$725M in milestones • Significant tiered royalties 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Up to €84M total deal value • €12M received • Significant tiered royalties 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Upfront of \$12.5M received • Up to \$183M in milestones • Significant tiered royalties
Agreement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Post Phase 2b development and commercialization • Option to license SYN118 after Phase 2 results • Potential for collaboration expansion 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pivotal trials • Launch and commercialization 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Merck Serono conducting two Phase 3 trials and additional Phase 2 trials to broaden label • Responsible for safinamide launch & commercialization

Nalmefene for alcohol dependence

Phase 3 program complete; filing expected by end 2011

Headline data from Lundbeck trials supportive of EU filing

- Four Phase 3 placebo-controlled, double-blind studies in more than 2,000 patients
- 20mg nalmefene taken 'as needed' for 6 (ESENSE1, 2) or 12 (SENSE) months
- Wide range of primary and secondary endpoints assessed
 - All consistently in favor of nalmefene, though some were not statistically significant at every single time point
 - Overall, nalmefene reduced heavy drinking days and total alcohol consumption by more than 50% compared with pre-treatment baseline
 - SENSE study confirmed treatment effect was maintained and even improved after one year of treatment

Favorable safety profile consistent with prior studies

- Most frequent AEs were dizziness, insomnia and nausea; usually mild and transient
- Total clinical database now contains more than 3,000 alcohol dependence patients¹

1) Includes prior studies conducted by Biotie

Safinamide from Newron for Parkinson's Disease (PD)

Phase 3 program ongoing; data expected H1 2012

Encouraging clinical results to date

- First add-on treatment to any dopamine agonist in early PD
 - Maintenance of long-term benefits on motor symptoms
 - Reduction in use of levodopa/interventions by 50% (post hoc)
- Long-term (24 months) maintenance of effect as add-on to levodopa in advanced PD
 - No increase in troublesome dyskinesia; improvement of dyskinesia (post-hoc in dyskinetic group)
 - Only add-on to levodopa showing benefit in motor fluctuations, motor symptoms, activities of daily living, depression, quality of life

Two ongoing Phase 3 trials

- MOTION: Double-blind, placebo-controlled, randomized six-month trial to evaluate efficacy and safety in *early stage* PD Patients (n=679)
- SETTLE: Double-blind, placebo-controlled, dose ranging, six-month trial to evaluate efficacy and safety in *mid- to late-stage* PD patients (n=549)
- Additional Phase 2 studies to broaden label

Expected timing

- Additional phase 3 safinamide data expected in H1 2012 with expected filing in H2 2012

Strong partner in Merck Serono

- Biotie eligible for near-term milestones and royalties on global net sales

Deal terms

- Transaction to be effected as EU cross-border merger
- Biotie will issue to Newron shareholders, at execution of merger, total maximum of 89,108,147 in initial Consideration Shares
- Additional Contingent Value Rights (CVRs) consisting of maximum of 17,048,298 Consideration Options, dependent upon achievement of certain milestones
- Transaction valued at EUR 44.59 million based on initial consideration and both CVR's at closing prices on September 26, 2011
- 38.3% premium for Newron shareholders compared with day before announcement, based on initial consideration shares
- Former Newron shareholders will hold 21.5% of absorbing company post-transaction should both CVRs be received in full

Summary of key financials¹

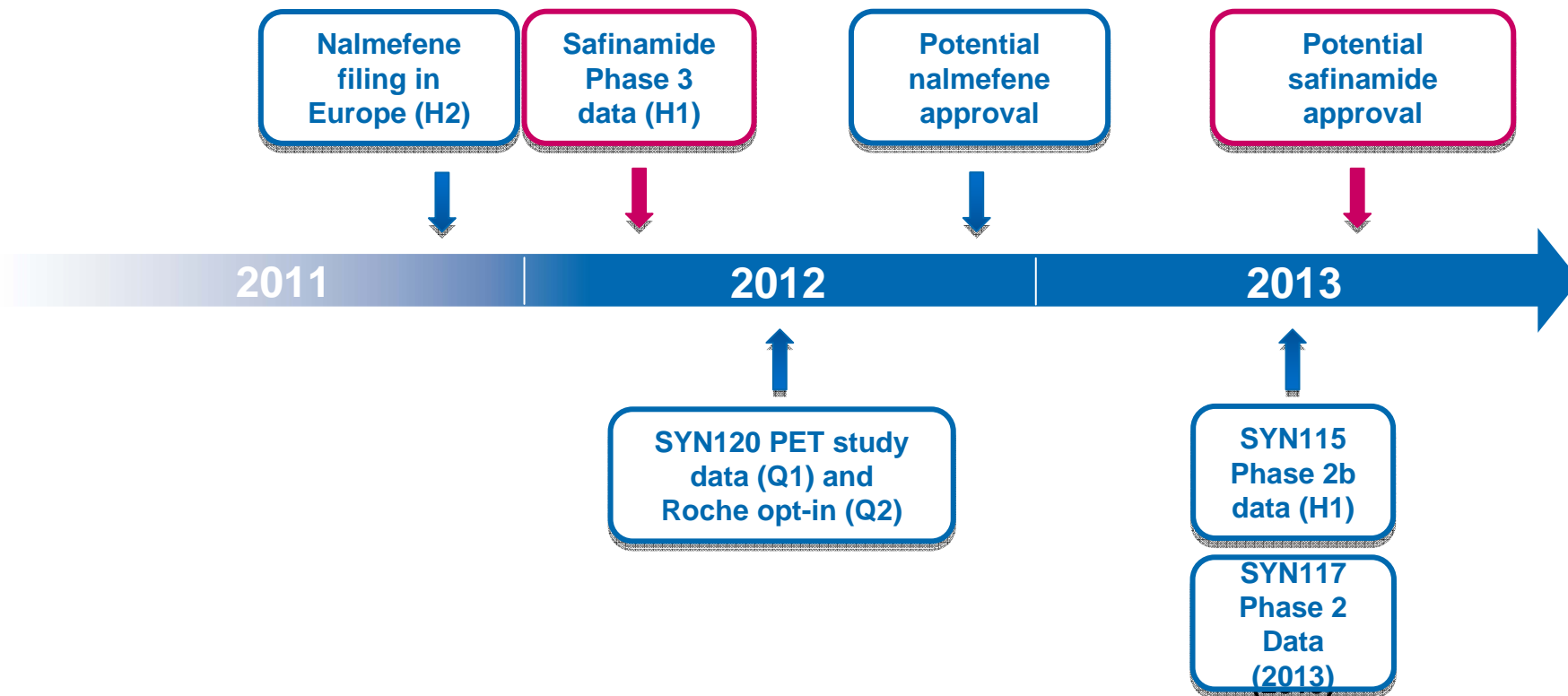
	Biotie	Newron
H1 revenues	EUR 0.9m	EUR 4.2m
R&D spend	EUR 9.3m	EUR 2.3m
Cash balance	EUR 40.9m	EUR 10.2m



Seasoned leadership team at Biotie

Management team	Board of Directors
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • President and CEO: Timo Veromaa Biotie Therapies since 1998, CEO since 2005; formerly Medical Director, Schering AG, Collagen Corp • COO and President US Operations: Ian Massey Formerly Synosia CEO and Head of Research and Preclinical Development, Roche • CBO: Chris Piggott Biotie Therapies since 2009; more than 20 years' experience at Sanofi-Aventis • CMO: Steve Bandak Formerly Synosia CMO; more than 25 years' experience at Lilly • Interim CFO: Zack McNealy Formerly Biotie Therapies' VP Finance. Stefan Weber, currently Newron's CFO, will become Biotie's CFO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chairman: Peter Fellner – former CEO, Celltech • Bradley Bolzon – Managing Director, Versant Ventures • William Burns – former CEO, Roche Pharmaceuticals • Merja Karhapää – Chief Legal Officer, Company Secretary • Bernd Kastler – formerly CEO, Elbion group • Ismail Kola – EVP, UCB & President New Medicines • Guido Magni – Managing Director of Versant Euro Ventures • James Shannon – CEO and director, Cerimon Pharmaceuticals • Andrew Schwab – Managing Partner, 5AM Ventures • Piet Serrure – Managing Director, Becap Bvba

Significant news flow over the next two years



New approaches in drug development



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