

Precision therapies for genetically defined diseases

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Building a Rational Precision Therapy Company

Focused on Addressing the True Underlying Drivers of Disease and Providing Real Hope for Patients

PLX9486, a potential best-in-class KIT D816V inhibitor, is a foundational program with promising clinical efficacy and safety in gastrointestinal stromal tumors (GIST)

Accelerated timeline to proof-of-concept serum tryptase data in advanced systemic mastocytosis (ASM) and indolent systemic mastocytosis (ISM)

Attractive **systemic mastocytosis** commercial opportunity potentially adds another, larger indication for PLX9486 to pursue beyond GIST

Building a **fully integrated company** with an expanding product pipeline focused on genetically validated targets



Lead Program PLX9486 is a Highly Selective and Potent KIT Mutant Inhibitor with a Potentially Best-in-Class Clinical Profile

PLX9486

- Specifically targets KIT Exon 17 D816V
- Selective versus other targets including wild-type KIT, PDGFRα, VEGFR2, FLT3, FMS
- Worldwide rights to compound exclusively licensed from Plexxikon¹
- Patent protection through at least 2033²

Efficacy Data³

11 months PFS shown in 18 heavily treatment-experienced GIST patients treated with PLX9486 in combination with sunitinib

Safety Experience

Single agent & combination activity and safety data in 50+ patients supports further clinical development

Potential Best-in-Class Profile

KIT D816V inhibition supports future studies in mastocytosis; safety supports broad use



¹ Plexxikon is eligible for mid- to high- single-digit royalties and additional development milestones. License includes rights to PLX0206, an additional selective KIT inhibitor in preclinical development

² Does not include available patent term extension.

³ Based on a Phase 1/2 clinical trial including GIST patients conducted by Plexxikon

By Design, PLX9486 has Potency and Selectivity to KIT D816V

PLX9486 is a Type I Inhibitor designed to selectively bind the active conformation of mutant KIT

- Comparable potency relative to avapritinib with potential selectivity advantages
- Limited blood-brain-barrier penetration and no CNS toxicities identified in preclinical studies

Potency

Assay	IC50 (nM)	
	PLX9486	Avapritinib
KIT D814Y autophosphorylation (murine P815 cells) ^a	12	22
BA/F3 KIT D816V growth ^b	12	13.5
KIT D816V kinase activity (Reaction Bio) ^b	1.125	0.4143

^a Comparison of PLX9486 data with previously published avapritinib data

Note: No head-to-head clinical trials have been conducted between PLX9486 and avapritinib.

Selectivity

Enzyme	IC50 (nM) PLX9486	
c-Kit (wt)	>5000*	
c-Kit (D816V)	1.125	
FMS	602.4	
KDR/VEGFR2	>5000*	
PDGFRa	>5000*	
PDGFRa (D842V)	104.3	
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^{*}Highest concentration tested in biochemical assay



^b Direct comparison within experiments using non-GMP syntheses

Cogent's Lead Program PLX9486 Has Phase 2 Data and Can Rapidly Move Into 3 Mid-to-Late Stage Clinical Trials

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PLX9486 with single-agent and combination Phase 1/2 data in 2L+ GIST

Upcoming trial plans pending FDA regulatory feedback



Phase 3 start in **GIST** in combination with sunitinib (2H'2021)



Phase 2 start as single agent in Advanced Systemic Mastocytosis (1H'2021)



Phase 2 start as single agent in Indolent
Systemic Mastocytosis
(2H'2021)





Serum tryptase data will provide rapid proof of concept for ASM & ISM programs



PLX9486 FUTURE CLINICAL PROGRAMS

Advanced Systemic Mastocytosis (ASM) Indolent Systemic Mastocytosis (ISM)





Both Advanced SM and Indolent SM Are Primarily Driven by D816V Mutations

Normal **D816V Mutation** Activation Depends on Ligand Ligand-independent activation KIT mutant Cell surface Constitutively active PI3K PI3K JAK JAK RAS **RAS** MAPK STAT MAPK STAT Dysregulated survival, cell growth, Regulated survival, cell growth, and differentiation and differentiation Neoplastic cells

- The most common KIT mutation in patients with systemic mastocytosis, aspartate to valine at residue 816 (D816V), lies within the activation loop domain and causes a conformational change in the enzymatic pocket of the receptor
- This conformational change results in ligand independent constitutive activation of KIT and leads to increased proliferation



Unmet Need in ASM and ISM

Advanced Systemic Mastocytosis

- Median survival of approximately ≤ 3.5 years
- FDA approved drug, Rydapt (Midostaurin), broad spectrum TKI, challenging tolerability

Indolent and Smoldering Mastocytosis

- Poor quality of life
- No approved therapies: current treatments include H1 and H2 anti-histamines, mast cell stabilizers, leukotriene inhibitors

Neurological

Headache, brain fog, cognitive dysfunction, anxiety, depression

Systemic

Anaphylaxis

Cutaneous (skin)

Flushing of the face/neck/chest, hives, skin rashes, itching with or without rash

Gastrointestinal

Diarrhea, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, bloating, gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD)

Other

Cardiovascular

Light-headedness, syncope (fainting), rapid heart rate, chest pain, low blood pressure, high blood pressure at reaction start, blood pressure instability

Ear/Nose/Throat/Respiratory Nasal itching and congestion, throat itching and swelling, wheezing, shortness of breath Skeletal

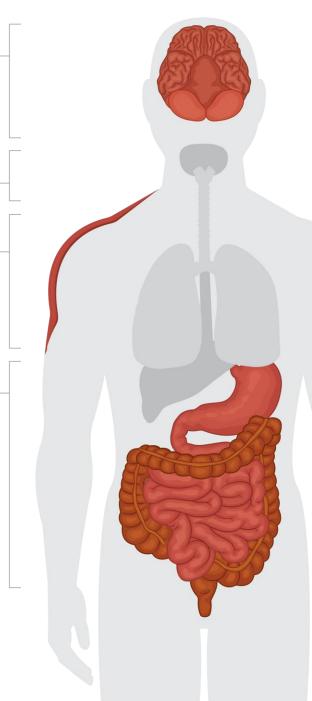
Bone/muscle pain, osteopenia, osteoporosis

Gynecological

Uterine cramps, bleeding

Urinary

Bladder irritability, frequent voiding





Encouraging Tolerability Profile as Single Agent and Supports Clinical Trials in Mastocytosis

Single agent PLX9486 human safety data in advanced cancer and GIST patients shows a compelling profile for a chronic indication like systemic mastocytosis

Plan to explore a range of doses for the treatment of systemic mastocytosis

Single Agent PLX9486 (All Doses) in Advanced Cancer and GIST Patients

Preferred Term	Total (n=24)		
	Any Grade	CTCAE ≥3	
Subjects reporting ≥1 AE	24 (100)	14 (58.3)	
Fatigue	12 (50.0)	2 (8.3)	
AST Increased	11 (45.8) 0		
Diarrhea	10 (41.7) 0		
Nausea	10 (41.7)	2 (8.3)	
ALT increased	8 (33.3)	0	
Vomiting	8 (33.3)	3 (12.5)	
Anemia	7 (29.2)	3 (12.5)	
Blood ALP increased	7 (29.2)	0	
Blood CPK increased	7 (29.2)	2 (8.3)	
Edema peripheral	6 (25.0)	0	
Abdominal pain	5 (20.8) 1 (4.2)		
Decreased appetite	5 (20.8)	1 (4.2)	
Dyspnea	5 (20.8)	0	
Hyperuricemia	5 (20.8)	3 (12.5)	
Abdominal distention	4 (16.7) 0		
Hair color changes	4 (16.7) 0		
Hypophosphatemia	4 (16.7)	1 (4.2)	
Pain	4 (16.7)	0	



Preliminary Plans: ASM and ISM Registration Clinical Program Design

ASM dose finding study will allow for early signal of activity based on serum tryptase data

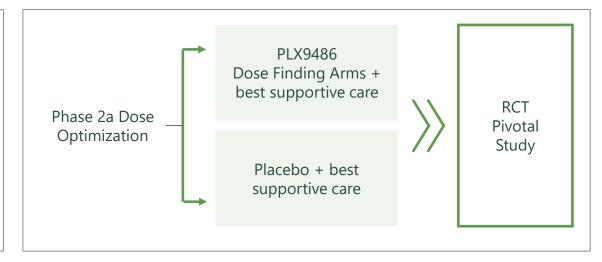
Global Advanced Systemic Mastocytosis (ASM) Program

[Subject to Regulatory Feedback]

Phase 2a Dose Optimization PLX9486 Dose Finding Arms Single Arm Pivotal Study

Global Indolent Systemic Mastocytosis (ISM) Program

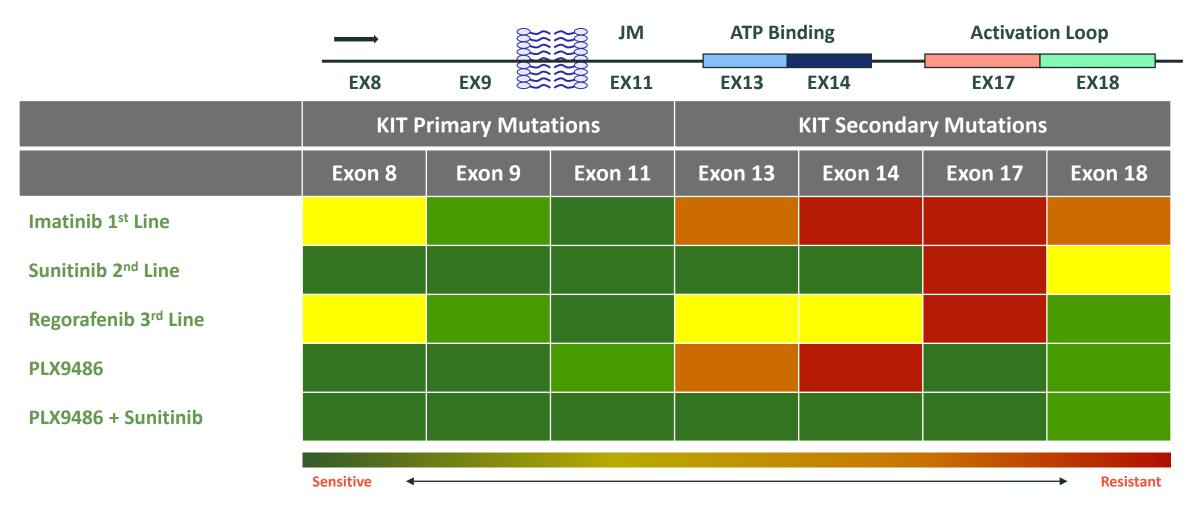
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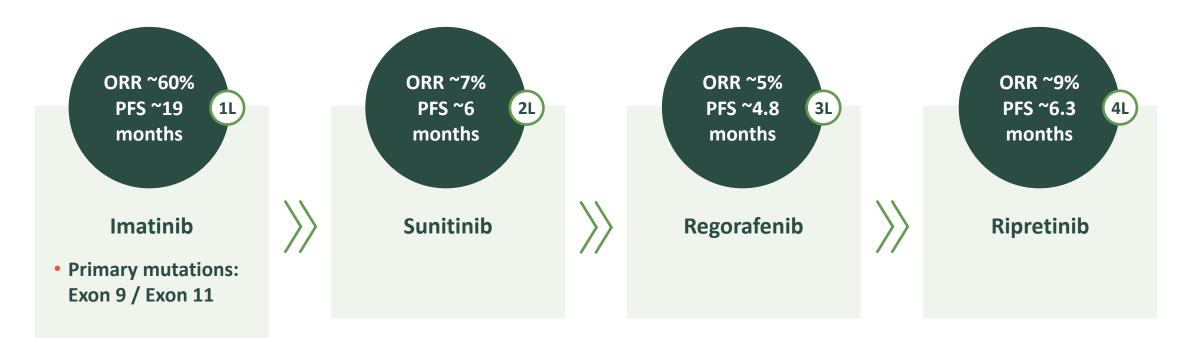


PLX9486 and Sunitinib Combination Tackle GIST Heterogeneity by Targeting Exon 13 and Exon 17 Simultaneously





Mutations in Exon 13 and Exon 17 are Key Drivers of Resistance



Resistance mutations driven by Exons 13 and 17

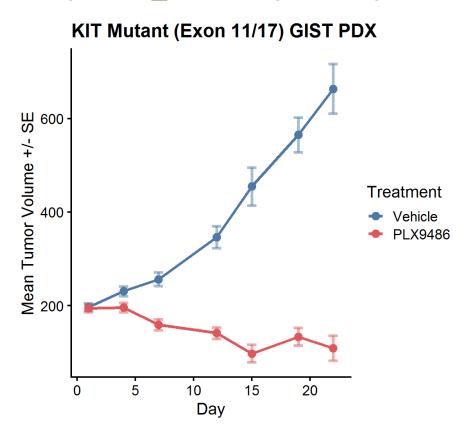
PLX9486 + Sunitinib combo goal is to inhibit resistance mutations and drives PFS benefit

Avapritinib approved for PDGFRα Exon 18 mutations (~ 6% of newly diagnosed patients); single-agent avapritinib failed to show benefit in 3L GIST vs. regorafenib

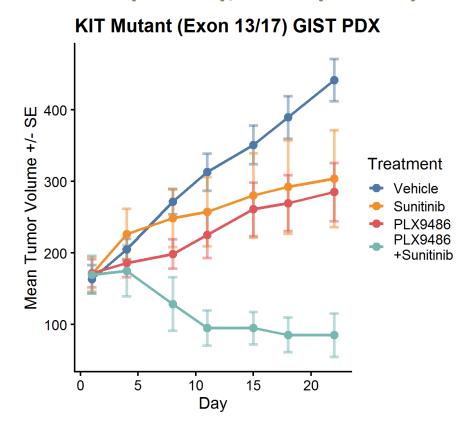


Dual-conformation KIT Inhibition Drives Tumor Regression in Heterogeneous GIST mouse models

Ex11 (W557_K558del), Ex17 (N822K)



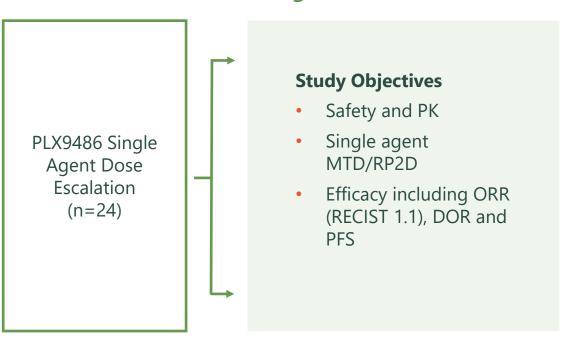
Ex13 (K642E), Ex17 (D823Y)



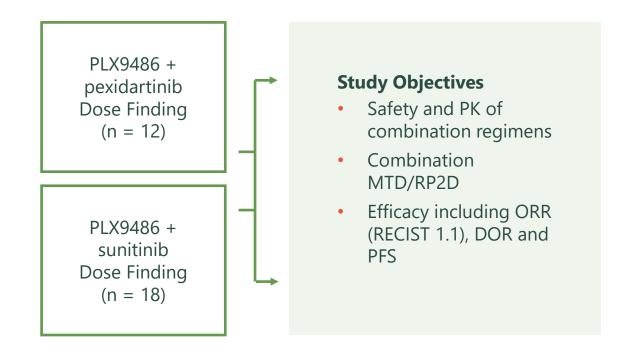


PLX9486 Has Completed a Phase 1b/2a Trial in GIST with Encouraging Results

Phase 1b: Advanced Solid Tumors, Including GIST



Phase 2a: Treatment Refractory GIST





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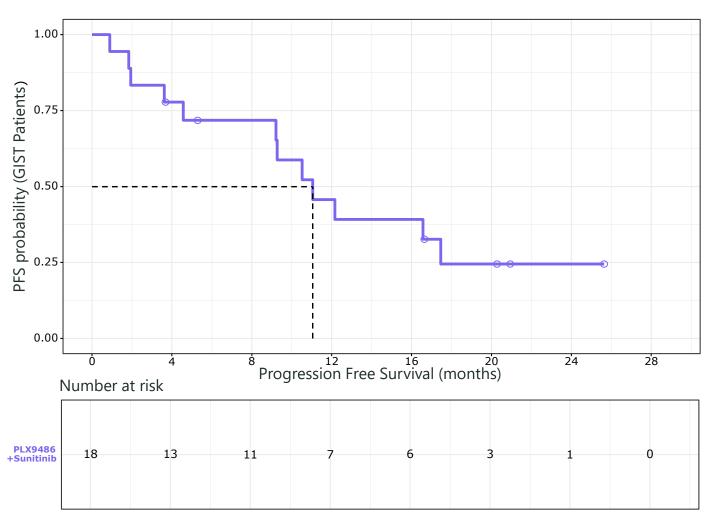
PLX9486 + Sunitinib Has Shown Median PFS of **11 Months** in 18 heavily treatment-experienced GIST patients

16.66% ORR rate (1 CR, 2 PR)

4 patients remain on treatment

Single agent median PFS of 5.8 months was shown in 13 GIST patients treated with 1000 mg total daily dose

PLX9486 + Sunitinib	% Prior Treatment	
Prior sunitinib	72.2%	
≥3 prior TKIs	66.7%	
≥4 prior TKIs	50.0%	





Data cutoff Q2 2020

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Encouraging Tolerability of PLX9486 in Combination With Sunitinib Gives Us Confidence to Move Forward Into a Pivotal Study

Select sunitinib single agent AEs (GIST)

Diarrhea — 40%

Anorexia — 33%

Skin discoloration — **30%**

Mucositis/stomatitis — 29%



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Preferred Term	Any Grade	CTCAE ≥ 3		
Subjects reporting ≥ 1 AE	15 (88.2)	11 (64.7)		
Diarrhea	10 (58.8)	1 (5.9)		
Nausea	9 (52.9)	1 (5.9)		
Anemia	8 (47.1)	4 (23.5)		
AST increased	8 (47.1)	0		
Dysgeusia	7 (41.2)	0		
Vomiting	7 (41.2)	0		
ALT increased	6 (35.3)	0		
Blood ALP increased	6 (35.3)	0		
Decreased appetite	6 (35.3)	1 (5.9)		
Fatigue	6 (35.3)	2 (11.8)		
Hypomagnesemia	6 (35.3)	0		
Hypophosphatemia	6 (35.3)	3 (17.6)		
Hypertension	5 (29.4)	1 (5.9)		
Thrombocytopenia	5 (29.4)	0		
Abdominal distension	4 (23.5)	0		
Abdominal pain upper	4 (23.5)	0		
Dyspepsia	4 (23.5)	0		
Hair color changes	4 (23.5)	0		
Headache	4 (23.5)	0		
Hypoalbuminemia	4 (23.5)	0		
Leukopenia	4 (23.5)	1 (5.9)		
Neutropenia	4 (23.5)	0		
Palmar-plantar erythrodysesthesia	4 (23.5)	0		
Rash All AEs in Part 2e > 20% (Investigator Brochure)	4 (23.5)	0		

Preliminary Plans: Sunitinib +/- PLX9486 Registrational Programs

Phase 1b/2a data accepted for oral presentation at CTOS 2020

Phase III 2nd Line GIST

(under consideration – seeking FDA feedback)

PLX9486 + sunitinib

sunitinib

Patient Population:

2nd line GIST post-imatinib failure

Primary Endpoint:

PFS

Secondary Endpoints:

ORR, DOR, OS

Phase III Refractory GIST

(under consideration – seeking FDA feedback)

PLX9486 + sunitinib

pending regulatory feedback

Patient Population:

Late line GIST

Primary Endpoint:

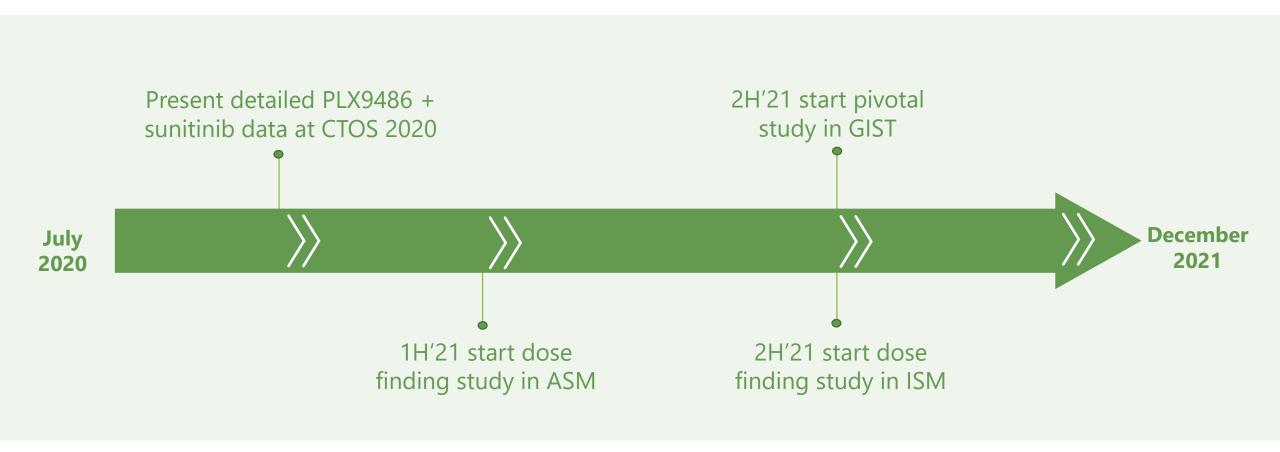
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Secondary Endpoints:

ORR, DOR, OS



Anticipated Near-term Milestones





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Financial Overview

Cogent's current cash balance includes gross proceeds of a \$104.4 million private placement in July 2020 and \$8.1 million from the sale of the BOXR technology in August 2020. Based on current projections, current cash will fund Cogent's operations into 2023.

Company Capitalization Structure As of September 10, 2020	Common Shares	Series A Preferred Stock	As Converted Common Shares ¹
Common stock outstanding	42,469,409		42,469,409
Series A Preferred Stock		163,325	163,325,000
	42,469,409	163,325	205,794,409

¹This includes 100% conversion of all outstanding Series A Preferred Stock



Experienced Leadership Team

Cogent's leadership possesses biotech and large pharma drug development experience and deep scientific expertise in developing precision medicines for genetically defined diseases.



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