



Investor Presentation

June 2021

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Overview



Our Mission

To bring hope with life-changing therapies to patients and families affected by rare and niche diseases



Our Lead Asset

QLS-215, a potential best-in-class chronic treatment for hereditary angioedema to prevent debilitating and sometimes life-threatening attacks



Our Approach

Engineered a differentiated high affinity, long plasma half-life, humanized monoclonal antibody inhibitor of plasma kallikrein



Our Near-term Value Drivers

Opportunity for clinical proof of concept for differentiated product in Phase 1 with initial results anticipated by year end 2022

Catabasis Well-Positioned for the Future

Summary of Transactions

- Catabasis Pharmaceuticals (Nasdaq: CATB) acquired Quellis Biosciences, Inc. in January 2021
- Concurrent PIPE financing of \$110M
- Shareholders include Perceptive Advisors, Fairmount Funds, RA Capital Management, Cormorant Asset Management, Venrock Healthcare Capital Partners, Logos Capital, Boxer Capital, Acorn Bioventures, Commodore Capital, Surveyor Capital (a Citadel company), Acuta Capital Partners, Sphera Healthcare, and Serrado Capital LLC

Strong Financial Foundation

- Following the transactions, the Company had ~\$150 million in cash, cash equivalents and short-term investments (\$146.9M as of 3/31/2021)
 - Expected to fund IND-enabling studies, Phase 1a, and Phase 1b/2 clinical trials for QLS-215 in HAE
 - Expected to support runway through 2023




Capitalization Structure

Company Capitalization Structure As of June 8, 2021, after automatic conversion of Series X preferred stock (estimated)	Converted Common Shares
Common stock outstanding	76,948,803
Common stock underlying outstanding Series X Preferred Stock	32,545,203
Adjusted Common stock outstanding ⁽¹⁾	109,494,006

Key Management and Board

- Combined company led by Chief Executive Officer, Jill C. Milne, Ph.D.
- 6 Directors from Catabasis: Ken Bate (Chairperson), Joanne T. Beck, Ph.D., Hugh M. Cole, Michael D. Kishbauch, Gregg Lapointe and Jill Milne, Ph.D. and 2 Directors from Quellis: Jonathan Violin, Ph.D., a Quellis co-founder, and Fred Callori, a former Quellis Director

Hereditary Angioedema: A Rare, Potentially Life-Threatening Disease

 <p>Disease Description</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hereditary angioedema (HAE) is a rare, autosomal dominant genetic disorder¹• HAE is characterized by recurrent, unpredictable, debilitating and potentially life-threatening edema:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Skin (hands, feet and face)○ Abdomen○ Throat/Airway²
 <p>Disease Pathways</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Types I & II comprise the majority of HAE cases and are caused by defects in the C1 inhibitor gene¹• While rare, other mutations, including in the F12 gene, can cause HAE• In HAE there is an overproduction of bradykinin, a key mediator of vasodilation and angioedema
 <p>Patient Demographics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1 in 10,000-50,000 people; <8,000 people in the US^{1,3}• Typically diagnosed ~20 years of age by allergist/ Immunologist• Average age of onset 11 years⁴; estimated more than 8 years until definitive diagnosis⁵

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High Patient Burden: HAE Attacks are Unpredictable, Debilitating and Potentially Life-Threatening

Patient journey

- Patients typically present with symptoms to PCP or ER
- Low disease awareness among ER physicians and PCPs, although improving, limits referrals to allergists and HAE specialists for diagnosis
- Once diagnosed, most patients are prescribed treatment

Common triggers include:

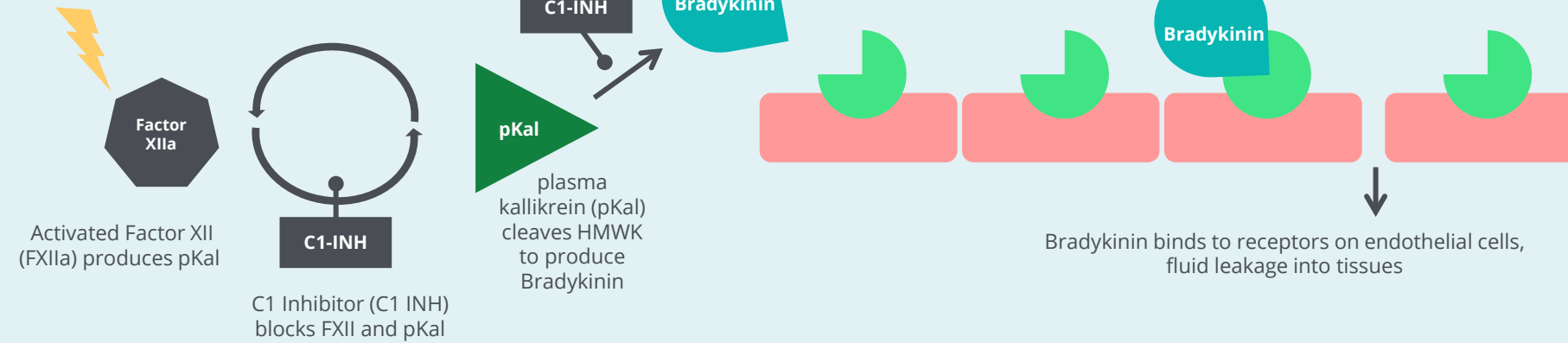
- Physical activity with repeated pressure, excessive exposure to sun, cold, water
- Illness, emotional stress, hormonal fluctuations
- Medical/dental work
- Certain medications, food sensitivities



Dysregulation of the Plasma Contact System Mediates Excessive Swelling Underlying HAE Symptoms

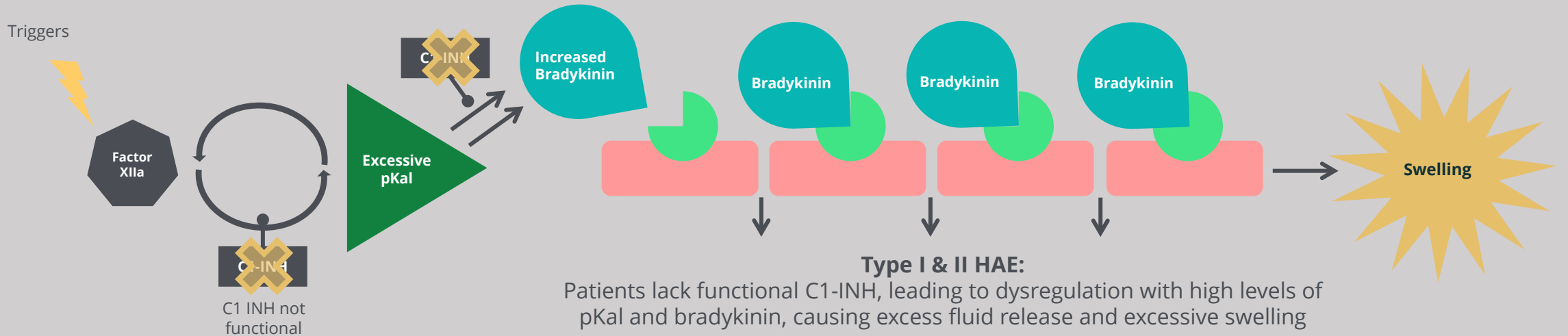
Contact System Healthy

Triggers (e.g., pressure, tissue stress and damage) activate Factor XII



Contact System HAE








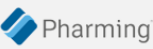
















Triggers



Treatment Landscape Has Advanced but Unmet Need Remains

Global market estimated to be >\$6.5B by 2025¹

On-Demand treatments to limit severity and duration of attacks as they occur

	Brand	Company	Mechanism of Action	Admin.	Dosing
On-Demand	 C1 Esterase Inhibitor, Human	 Biotherapies for Life™	Plasma derived C1 esterase inhibitor (pdC1-INH)		As needed
	 (icatibant injection)		B2 bradykinin receptor antagonist (synthetic peptide)		As needed
	 (conestat alfa)		Recombinant C1 esterase inhibitor (rhC1-INH)		As needed
	 ecallantide		Plasma kallikrein inhibitor		As needed (by HCP)
Prophylaxis	 C1 esterase inhibitor (human)		pdC1-INH		2x/week
	 C1 Esterase Inhibitor Subcutaneous (Human)	 Biotherapies for Life™	pdC1-INH		2x/week
	 (lanadelumab-fyo) injection		Plasma kallikrein inhibitor (monoclonal antibody)		2x/month
	 (berotralstat) capsules 150 mg		Plasma kallikrein inhibitor		1x/day

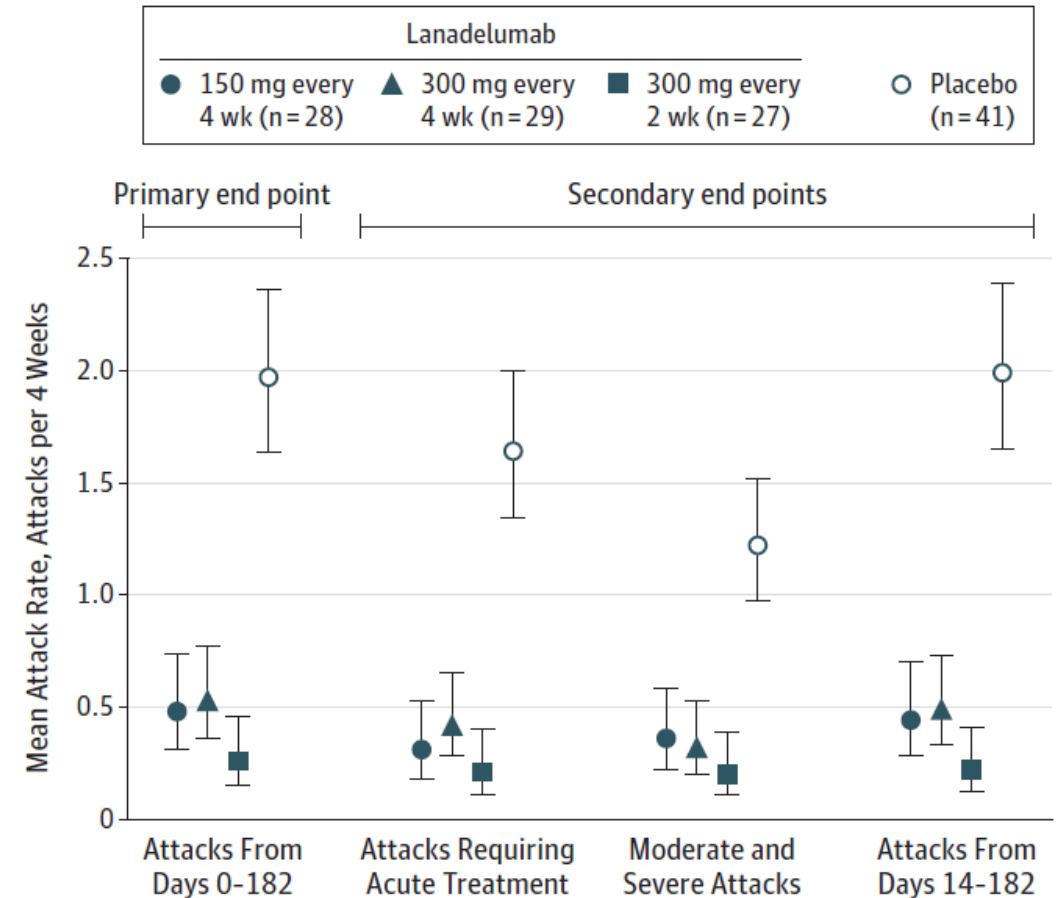
Prophylactic treatments to prevent attacks

Unmet need for prophylaxis that is more effective, less frequent, easier to administer

TAKHZYRO® (lanadelumab-flyo) Injection Studies Have Established Plasma Kallikrein mAb as an Important Therapy for HAE

Monoclonal antibody targeting pKal

- Prophylaxis to prevent HAE attacks in patients 12 years and older
- SC injection every 2 weeks. Dosing every 4 weeks may be considered in some patients.
- Most common AE in Phase 3 was injection site reaction (overall 52%)
- Shire acquired Dyax for \$5.9B after Phase 1b with lead program TAKHZYRO



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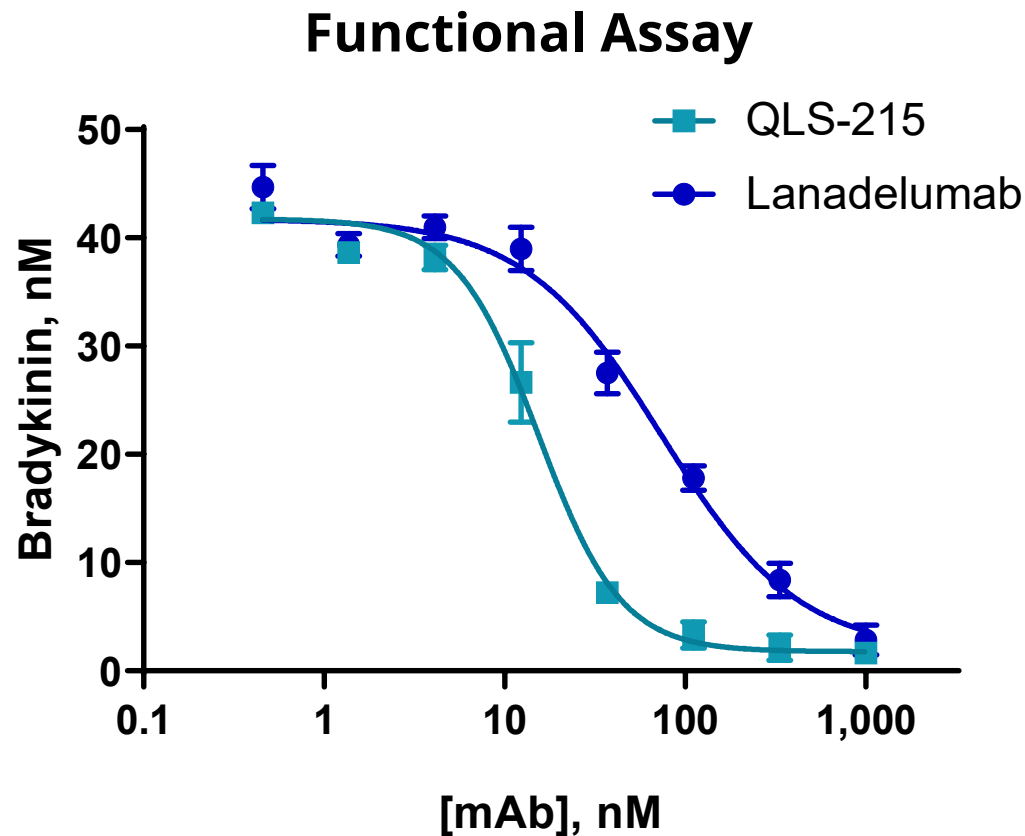
<https://www.prnewswire.com/news-releases/shire-to-acquire-dyax-corp-expanding-and-extending-industry-leading-hereditary-angioedema-hae-portfolio-539278541.html>

QLS-215 mAb: Opportunity for Best-in-Class Agent

Goal: Make the best possible pKal antibody to treat HAE with infrequent dosing and sustained blood levels

QLS-215 Goals	Potential Benefits
High potency for pKal	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Long duration without breakthrough attacks• Small injection volume
Extended plasma half-life	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Infrequent dosing• Long duration without breakthrough attacks
Clinical proof of concept	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Early in development, establish differentiated product profile
Differentiated, best-in-class new therapy for HAE prophylaxis	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Trusted modality to provide patients with improved outcomes and quality of life

In an *in vitro* Functional Assay QLS-215 Was More Potent than Lanadelumab in Inhibiting Bradykinin Production

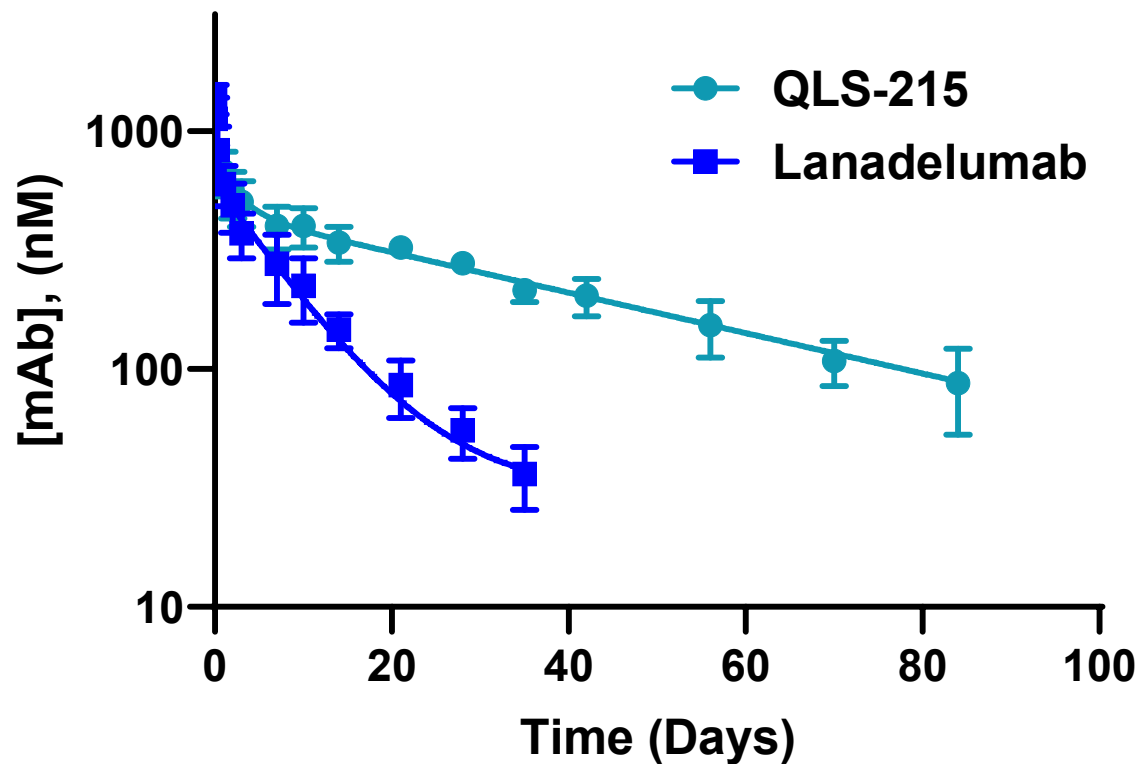


- ~90% inhibition of pKal is estimated to be required to optimally reduce HAE attack rate and maximize attack free duration
- IC₉₀ determined by bradykinin ELISA to detect cleavage of high molecular weight kininogen (600 nM) by pKal (30 nM)
- QLS-215 is ~10-fold more potent than lanadelumab at IC₉₀

pKal levels 30-110nM estimated in HAE plasma (Kenniston et al JBC 2014)
Mean +/- s.e.m.
n=3

QLS-215 Has Shown Substantially Prolonged Plasma Half-Life Compared to Lanadelumab in Non-Human Primates

PK in Non-Human Primates

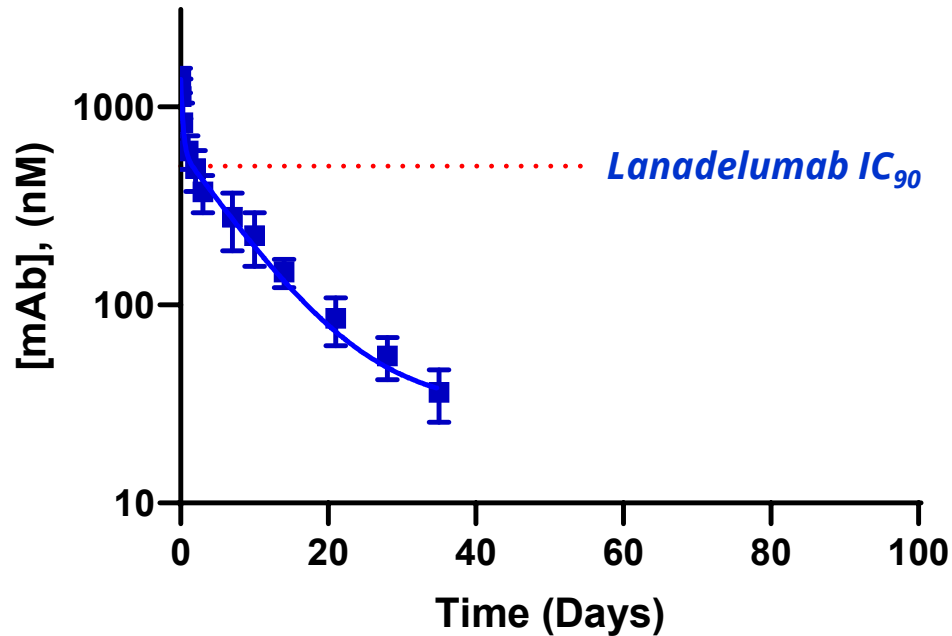


	Lanadelumab	QLS-215
Mean half-life ($t_{1/2}$) (SD)	10.5 (1.6)	33.6 (8.3)

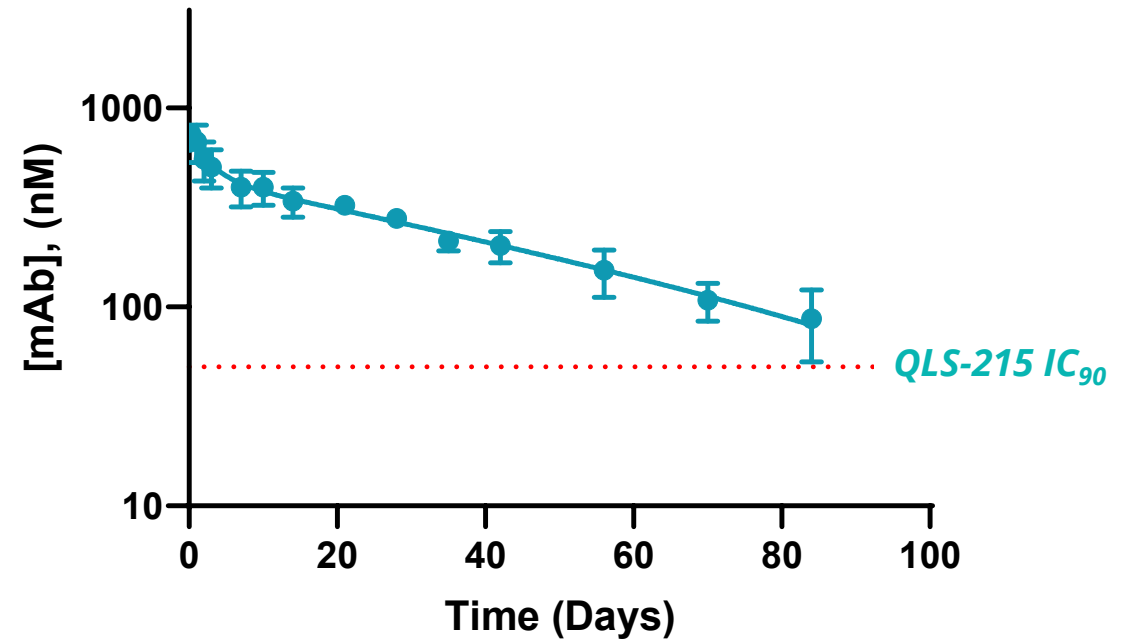
- FDA review documents: Lanadelumab $t_{1/2}$ 9.5-11.5 days in cynomolgus monkeys

The *in vitro* Potency and NHP PK Data for QLS-215 Predict a Substantially Longer Duration of Action than Lanadelumab

Lanadelumab

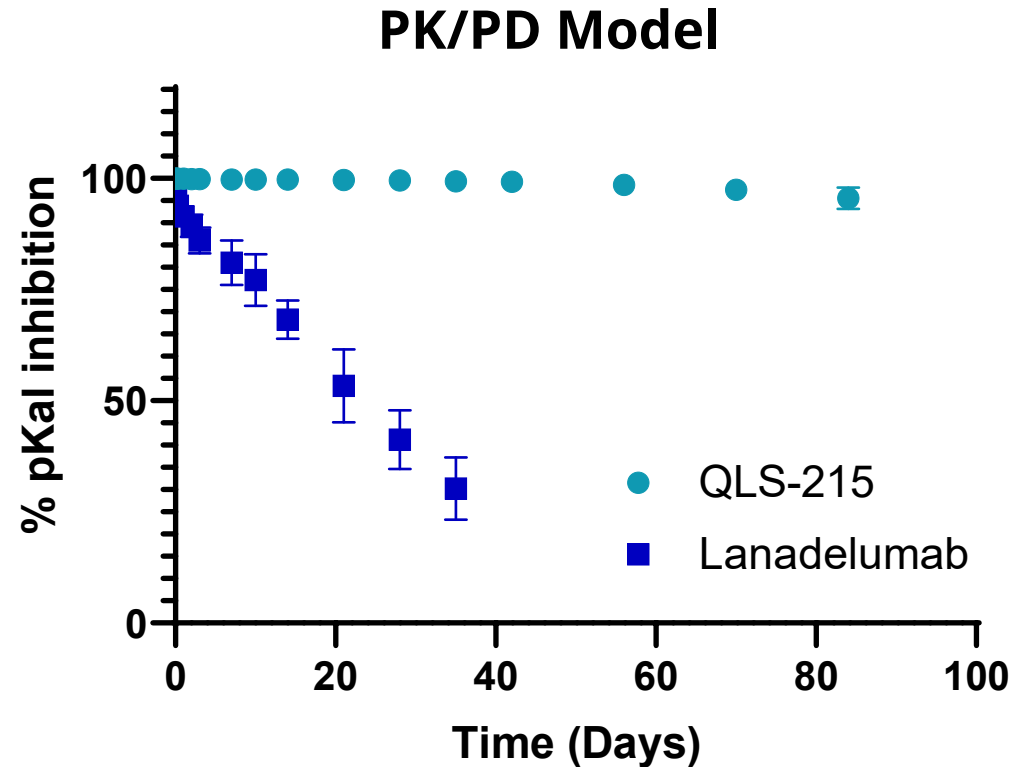


QLS-215



- Lanadelumab plasma levels fall below predicted minimum therapeutic concentration (IC90) by approximately **day 10**
- QLS-215 remains above predicted minimum therapeutic concentration (IC90) for > **84 days**

PK/PD Model from Preclinical Studies Predicts Longer Duration of Action for QLS-215



- Model based on plasma concentrations from cynomolgus PK studies and pKal inhibition determined in *in vitro* functional assay

QLS-215 mAb Developed with the Desired Characteristics

Goal: Make the best possible pK₁ antibody to treat HAE with infrequent dosing and sustained blood levels

QLS-215 Goals	Status
High potency for pK ₁	✓
Extended plasma half-life in NHP	✓
Clinical proof of concept	
New therapy for HAE prophylaxis	

Opportunity for Proof of Concept in First Clinical Trial

Clinical Trial Design

- **Subjects:** Adult healthy volunteers
- **Objectives:** Assess safety, pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics to demonstrate plasma kallikrein inhibition

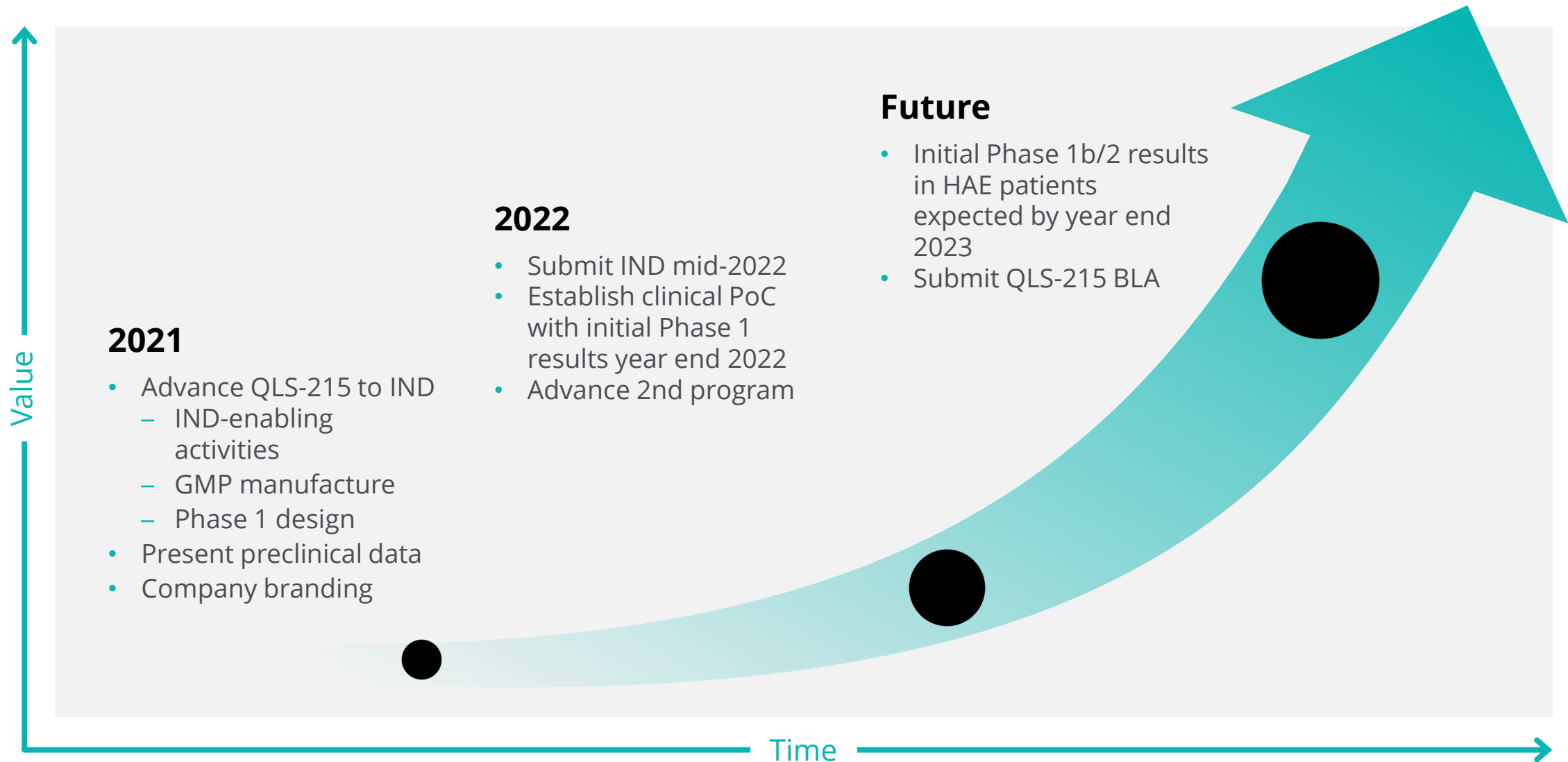
Goals

- Demonstrate safety
- Establish prolonged half-life as proof of concept in humans
- Determine activity with an *ex vivo* functional PD assay
- Refine dose and dosing regimen for HAE patients

QLS-215 potential value inflection point: demonstrate extended antibody half-life and pharmacodynamic activity for differentiated profile

- Initial Phase 1 results expected by year end 2022
- Target and modality already validated in HAE patients

Vision for Catabasis



QLS-215 Opportunity



Treatment for rare, genetic disease with established clinical and regulatory path



Targeting a clinically validated mechanism with a trusted modality



Potential for best-in-class agent that provides greater efficacy and ease of use



Candidate with differentiated preclinical profile in predictive models



Opportunity for clinical proof of concept with Phase 1 with initial results anticipated by YE 2022



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