

Therapies for major infectious diseases and related cancers

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Agenda

- **Company Overview**
- **Q** Challenges
- **BDM-I Antimicrobial**
- **BDM-I Opportunity**



Company Overview

Australian unlisted public company

As at April 30 2014

Market Cap	~ \$9 M
Shares	163,082,800
Shareholders	919
Options	18,587,417

Hugh Morgan AC



Chairman

Julie Phillips



CEO

Dr Larisa Rudenko



Non-executive Director

Dr Arthur Li



Non-executive Director

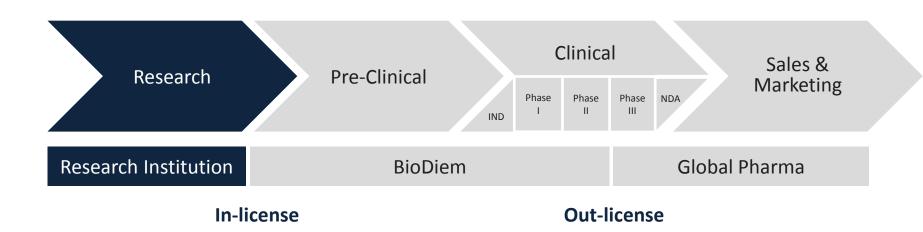
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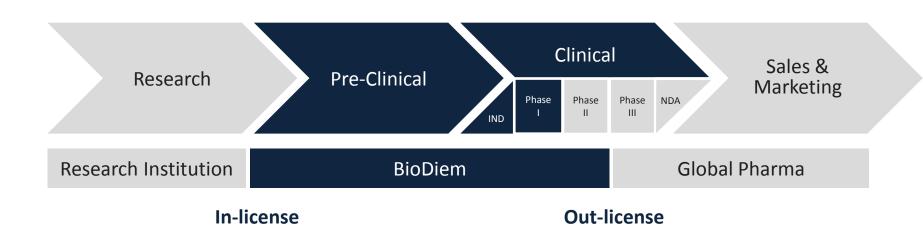


Business Model



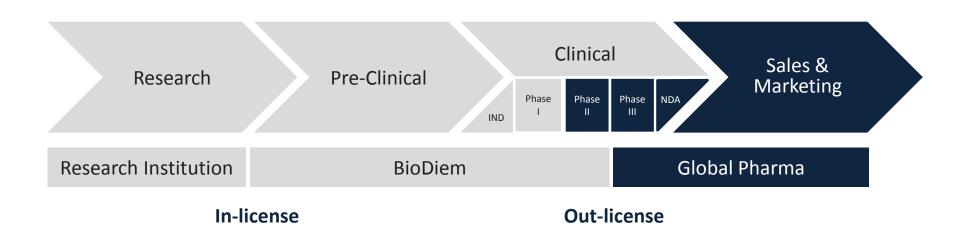


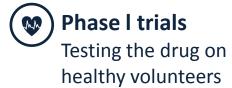
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Phase II trials

Testing the drug on a small number of patients with the disease



Phase III trials

Testing the drug on hundreds/thousands or patients with the disease



Global partnering & commercialisation network





Key technologies





Influenza vaccines (seasonal and pandemic)



LAIV vaccine – licensed in multiple countries, further opportunities being pursued

Vaccine development platforms nasopharyngeal carcinoma, TB targets



SAVINE technology, LAIV viral vector technologies for novel therapeutic vaccines

Infectious disease therapies



BDM-I antimicrobial compound



Challenges

Invasive Fungal Infection after Natural Disasters

Kaitlin Benedict and Benjamin J. Park

Emerging Infectious Diseases • www.cdc.gov/eid • Vol. 20, No. 3, March 2014

Dr. Arjun Srinivasan: We've Reached "The End of Antibiotics, Period" FRONTLINE October 22, 2013, 9:29 pm ET

OXFORD JOURNALS

Clinical Infectious Diseases

Bad Bugs, No Drugs: No ESKAPE! An Update from the Infectious Diseases Society of America



Gonorrhea is about to become impossible to treat

Antibiotic resistance means the STD might soon spread more aggressively



Calls for action on 'dire' drug-resistant TB threat in Asia and the Pacific

By Jemima Garrett

Posted Mon 14 Apr 2014, 7:05pm AEST

Bulletin of the World Health Organization

CBCNEWS | Health

Superbug threat as grave as climate change, say scientists

'The international response has been feeble'

Race against time to develop new antibiotics

Thomson Reuters Posted: May 23, 2014 10:53 AM ET Last Updated: May 23, 2014 10:53 AM ET



Challenges



Increasing resistance

To antibiotics – major concern healthcare systems worldwide



Hard to treat

Fungal infections, affecting vulnerable patients



Increase in prevalence

Due to climate change and vector movements.

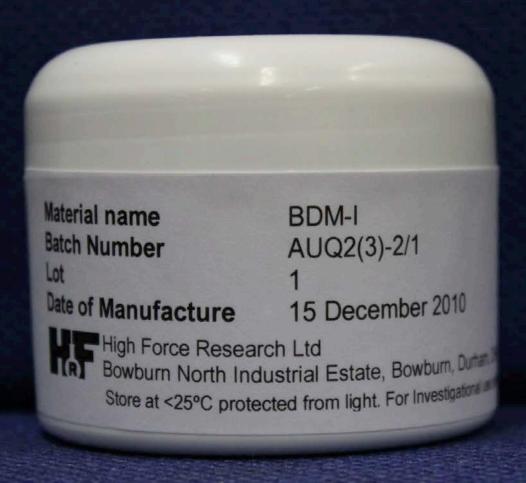


Product pipelines diminish

Large Pharma focus on innovation, as product pipelines diminish



BDM-I: Antimicrobial





Spectrum of activity

Invasive and superficial fungal infections

Some species of

- Candida
- Cryptococcus
- Scedosporium
- Pneumocystis

Drug-resistant tuberculosis & gonorrhea

- Mycobacterium tuberculosis
- Neisseria gonorrhoea

Some protozoal infections

• Trichomonas vaginalis; Plasmodium falciparum

and others...



Novel mechanism of action

Inhibits new target

Protein Tyrosine Phosphatases (PTPs)

- Involved in cell signalling
- Mimics tyrosine

$$O$$
 CH_3

Heterogeneity of PTP function explains

- Selectivity within species
- Difference in function in mammalian cells



Antimicrobial spectrum

Unusually broad spectrum - Some <u>but not all</u> bacteria, fungi, and protozoa. Not viruses.

Bacteria Most active against G+ve cocci/rods; some non-enteric G-ve

Relatively low activity against Gram negative enteric rods

Fungi Active against some *Candida*, *Scedosporium*, dermatophytic

fungi and other pathogens

Protozoa Activity against *Plasmodium & Trichomonas*

VirusesNo activity against viruses known to use PTP in the infection

cycle (HIV, HSV). No enhancement of infection.



In vitro activity

Group	(μg/ml)	Group	(μg/ml)
Fungi	MIC90 <i>C. glabrata</i> * 1 MIC90 <i>C. glabrata</i> ** 2	G-ve bacteria	MIC Neisseria gonorrhoeae 2 MIC Campylobacter jejuni 0.5 -2
	MIC90 <i>Coccidiodes spp.</i> 0.25* MIC90 <i>Coccidiodes spp.</i> 0.25**		Other bacteria - potential biological weapons
	IC50 <i>P. carinii</i> <0.1*** IC50 <i>P. murina</i> 0.174***	Parasite	Schistosomiasis japonicum LC50 Adults (5 days) LC50 Schistosomulae (24 hrs)
	MIC Scedosporium prolificans (three strains) 1-2		Schistosomiasis masoni LC50 Adults (5 days) LC50 Schistosomulae (8hrs)

^{*50%} Inhibition Endpoint

^{**100%} Inhibition Endpoint

^{*** (}based on %reduction ATP at Day3)



Adjunct to direct killing

Inhibition of virulence factors:

- Motility (Proteus, C. difficile and Campylobacter jejuni)
- Pigment formation (Serratia marcescens)
- Endospore formation (Bacillus spp)

Current preliminary in vitro assays show

- inhibition of biofilm formation in *S. aureus* & *S. epidermidis*
- inhibition of adherence and invasion of gut epithelial cells by

Clostridium difficile & Campylobacter jejuni



Market Size Potential

Antifungals market, US\$12.2 billion by 2016

Global antibacterials market, US\$46 billion by 2017

Anti-infectives market market,
US\$103 billion
by 2015



Poised for proof-of-concept

Product	Disease Targets	Current Partners	Development Status
	Tuberculosis & bioterrorism	US govt backed research institutions	Successful screening result: preparation for <i>in vivo</i> testing
BDM-I	Pneumocystis	US govt backed research institutions	Successful screening result: preparation for <i>in vivo</i> testing
	Scedosporium	Australian site	Successful screening result: seeking disease models

Further mechanism of action exploration

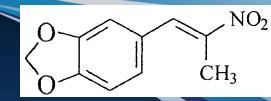
Analogue development

Formulation for proof-of-concept studies

multiple ROA options



Potential Product Range





"Generating Antibiotic Incentives BioDiem Now" legislation

GAIN: How a New Law is Stimulating the Development of Antibiotics

May 28, 2014 | Project: Antibiotics and Innovation Project

On July 9, 2012, the Generating Antibiotic Incentives Now, or GAIN, provisions were signed into law by President Barack Obama as part of the Food and Drug Administration Safety and Innovation Act. This bipartisan legislation extends by five years the exclusivity period during which certain antibiotics—those that treat serious or life-threatening infections—can be sold without generic competition. This additional period of exclusivity increases the potential for profits from new antibiotics by giving innovative companies more time to recoup their investment costs.

"GAIN seeks to increase antibiotics' commercial value...."



BDM-I Opportunity







Next steps:

- Proprietary formulation (incl for different ROA)
- In vivo testing and POC
- Orphan drug application



Opportunity

- Global problem in infectious disease
- BDM-I has
 - Activity against important pathogens
 - Novel mechanism of action; granted patents
 - Collaborations in place with world class facilities
- Commercial opportunity for product and pipeline development
 - Life threatening and other infections
 - Attractive incentives e.g. GAIN legislation

We seek investment & collaboration to develop BDM-I towards use for niche high value diseases and expanded product range





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