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## BioArctic – a global leader in neurodegenerative diseases



## Focus on neurodegenerative disorders

Disorders with very large unmet needs and large patient populations



## World-class R&D organization leveraging strong collaborations

 BioArctic behind Leqembi<sup>®</sup>, the world's first fully approved\* disease modifying therapy for Alzheimer's disease



## Broad project portfolio building on two technology platforms

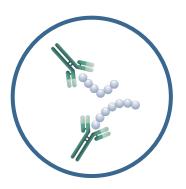
 Several projects in Alzheimer's disease, Parkinson's disease, ALS end enzyme replacements



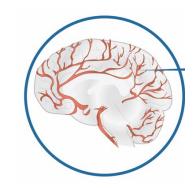
## Well-financed from milestones and royalties from lead product

- 9% royalty on global Leqembi<sup>®</sup> sales plus milestones from partner Eisai
- 2023 operating profit of SEK 253 M, Cash position ~SEK 0.8 B

Highly selective antibodies targeting aggregated forms of toxic proteins



BrainTransporter™ technology delivers biotherapeutics to the brain





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· Leqembi is fully approved in the US, Japan, China, South Korea, Great Britain and several other markets and pending approval in other markets

# Pipeline progressing well, with strong new data validating the BrainTransporter™ platform presented

## **BioArctic BrainTransporter**

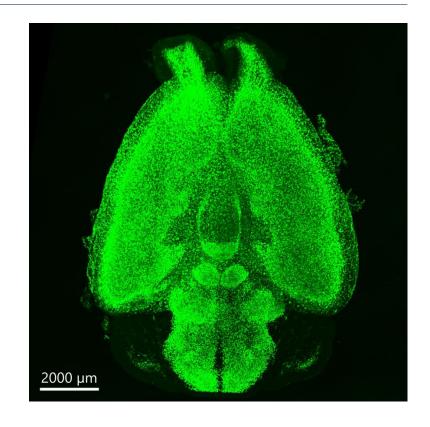
 Presented validation in NHP at PEGS conference, demonstrating rapid, broad and deep brain distribution of BT-anti amyloid Ab

#### Exidavnemab

 Phase 2a study initiated in Parkinson's disease, exploring to also include MSA patients

#### Other

Lars Lannfelt received Lifetime Achievement Award at CTAD conference

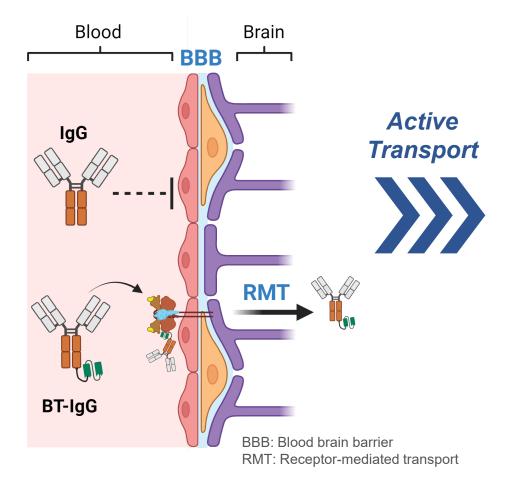




## The BrainTransporter platform

Active transport of biotherapeutics across the blood brain barrier

## Overcome the BBB obstacle RMT across the BBB



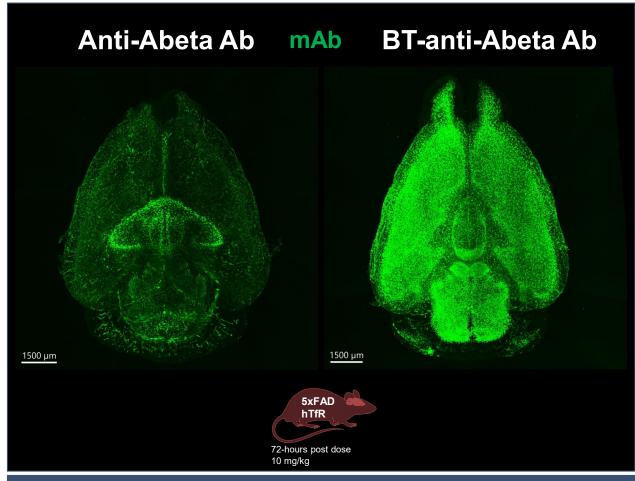
## Several opportunities to further enhance antibodies and other modalities in clinic

	Opportunities	Note
	Increased brain exposure	Promotes <b>active transport</b> across the BBB
	Broader brain distribution	Access deeper brain structures using the brain capillary network
000	Faster efficacy	Promotes <b>rapid brain exposure</b> due fast BBB transport
	Stronger efficacy	Complete access to the target population by increased exposure and broader brain distribution
Scott.	Convenience – lower dose	Reduced volume and number of injections required for clinical effect
<b>(a)</b>	Safety — lower dose/different distribution	Reduce the total drug load required for clinical effect



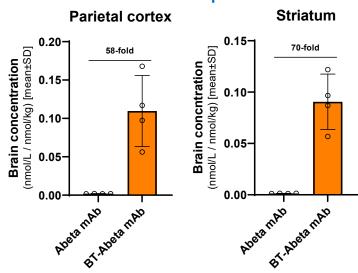
## Stronger, deeper and broader brain distribution with the BT approach

Validated in non-human primates with substantially increased brain exposure without affecting hematology including reticulocytes

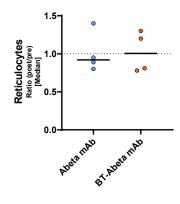


Applied in all parts of BioArctic's project portfolio Opportunities also in other therapeutic areas

## BT substantially increases brain exposure



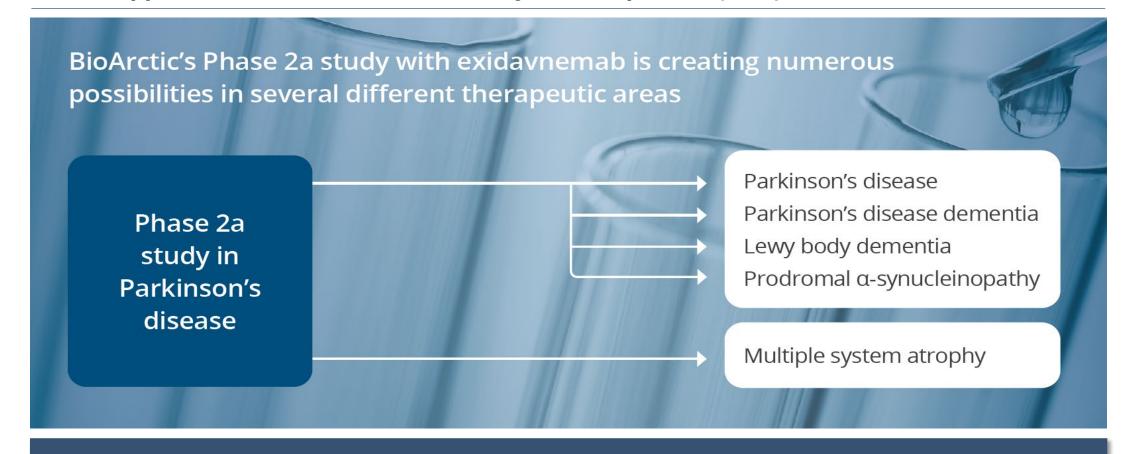
BT-Abeta mAb does not induce reticulocyte loss





## Screening for exidavnemab Phase 2a study ongoing

Offers opportunities in several neuronal synucleinopathies (NSD)



Biomarkers available to identify patients with pathological α-syn



# Exidavnemab Phase 2a study "EXIST" in Parkinson's disease Exploring to add a MSA cohort

#### **EXIST PHASE 2A STUDY DESIGN**

#### Patient inclusion

#### Patients with Mild to Moderate Parkinson's Disease (PD) Inclusion criteria:

- Idiopathic PD with confirmed dopamine transporter deficit
- Stable symptomatic PD medication
- · Cognition inconsistent with dementia
- Hyposmia as shown by positive smell test

#### **Stratification:**

 $\alpha$ -synuclein SAA\* positive

#### No of subjects:

24

#### Treatment 3 mo

Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled trial

Exidavnemab low dose

Exidavnemab high dose

Placebo

Placebo

2H 2024 Initiation

Mid 2025 Safety review 1H 2026 Results

## Read-outs

Primary endpoints: Safety & tolerability

## Key secondary endpoints:

PK & Immunogenicity

#### **Exploratory**:

**Biomarkers** 

Plasma & CSF



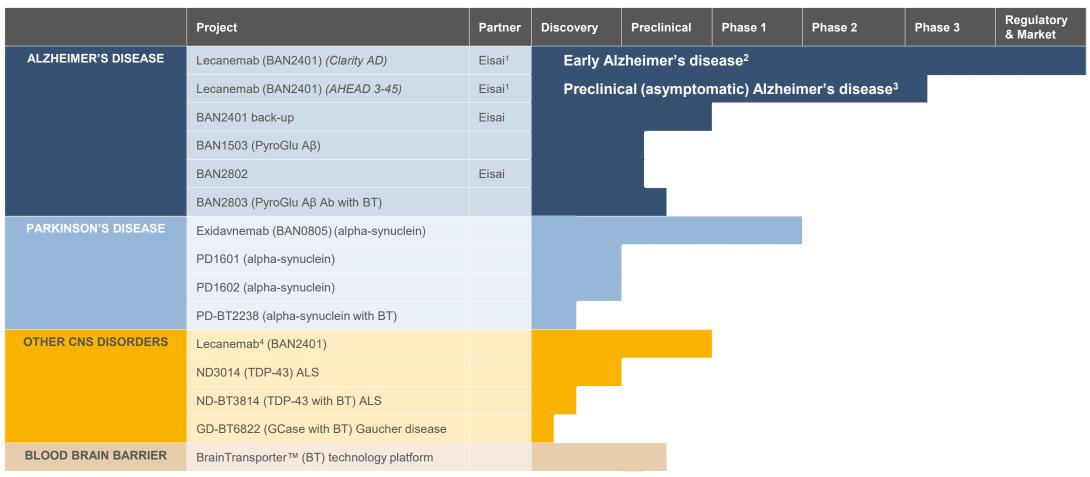
-cognition





<sup>\*</sup> SAA = Seeding amplification assay

## A broad project portfolio with a focus on neurodegenerative diseases



as of September 30, 2024



<sup>1)</sup> Partner with Eisai for lecanemab for treatment of Alzheimer's disease since 2007. Eisai entered partnership with Biogen regarding BAN2401 (lecanemab) in 2014

<sup>2)</sup> Mild cognitive impairment due to Alzheimer's disease and mild Alzheimer's disease

<sup>3)</sup> Normal cognitive function with intermediate or elevated levels of amyloid in the brain

<sup>4)</sup> Dementia and cognitive impairment associated with Down's syndrome and with traumatic brain injury

## Number of patients treated with Legembi continues to expand with clinical experience safety data on par or better than phase 3

## Legembi

#### Commercial

- Royalties grew >60% guarter-on-guarter; 70 MSEK
- Continued growth in the US market, Japan and China above expectations
- Eisai lowered fiscal year (Apr 2024 Mar 2025) outlook from JPY 56.5 billion to JPY 42.5 billion

#### Regulatory

- Approved and launched also in Hong Kong, Israel, UAE and Great Britain
- Regulatory reviews ongoing in 17 markets and regions, incl. EU
- Subcutaneous maintenance dosing rolling submission finalized in the US

#### **Development**

- Preclinical AD Phase 3 study AHEAD 3-45 recruitment completed Oct 15
- New data from Clarity AD OLE presented at CTAD and AAIC supporting early treatment and maintenance dosing





## Lecanemab is the first AD disease-modifying treatment to receive full approval globally, establishing new standard of care

**USA** 

**Approved** 

July 2023

IV maintenance therapy

submitted Q1 2024, PDUFA

25<sup>th</sup> of Jan 2025

Rolling submission for

subcutaneous autoinjector

maintenance dosing

completed October 2024

Preparing for filing of

subcutaneous induction

treatment

**Approved** 

September 2023

Launched

December 2023

**Japan** 

Marketing authorization application submitted January 2023

EU

Negative CHMP opinion July 2024

Re-examination ongoing. Final CHMP opinion expected November 15, 2024

China

**Approved** January 2024

Launched June 2024 **Rest of World** 

Approved in South Korea, Israel, Hong Kong, United Arab Emirates, **Great Britain** 

Applications submitted: Australia (reconsideration) Canada, Switzerland, Taiwan, Singapore, Brazil, Russia. Saudi Arabia. India, South Africa, The Philippines, Thailand, Vietnam, Malaysia, Mexico, Indonesia

FDA - Food & Drug Administration

CMS - Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

EMA – European Medicines Agency

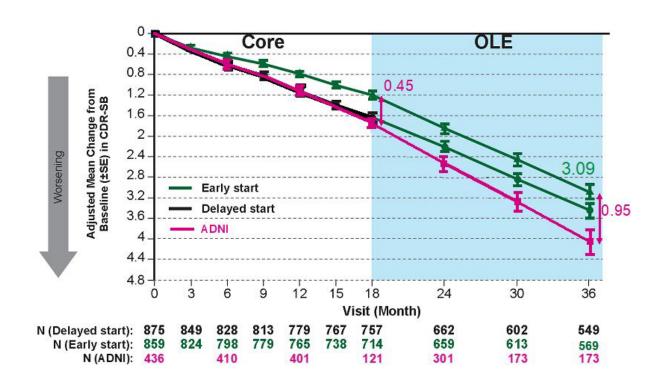
PMDA - Pharmaceuticals and Medical Devices Agency

S.C. - subcutaneous A.I. - Auto-injector



## 36-month data showed increasing clear and meaningful long-term treatment effect with no new safety findings reported

No new safety findings were reported and very low frequency of ARIA after the first 6 months of treatment



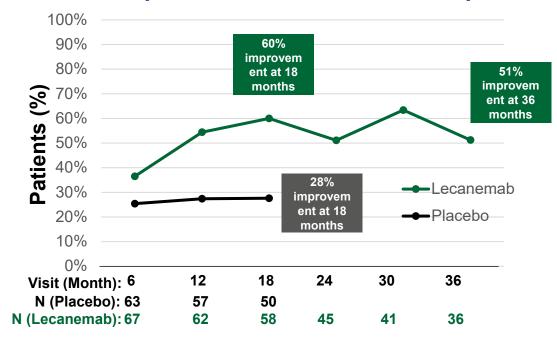
## **Experience from clinical practice** from the US and Japan presented at CTAD:

- Wide patient acceptance and compliance
- Treatment is safe and side effects are manageable
- ARIA E&H rates are similar to clinical studies
- Patient journey improving

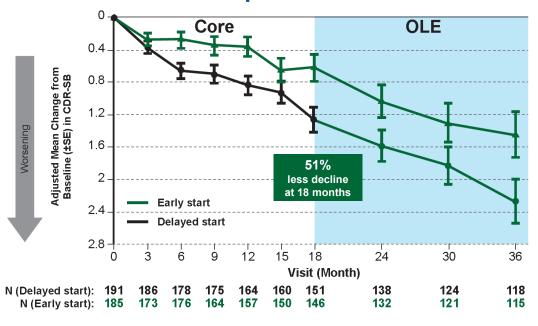


# Earlier patients benefit more from early initiation and continued dosing – majority improved or maintained out to 36 months

## **CDR-SB Improvement – No/Low Tau Population**



### CDR-SB – Aβ Baseline < 60 CL



Similar results were observed for ADAS-Cog14 and ADCS MCI-ADL



# Simplified diagnosis and continued development of Leqembi could increase patient population and convenience

Approved (8 geographies)

Submitted (US)

Rolling submission finalized (US)

To be submitted

Convenient Administration Intravenous treatment 10 mg/kg bi-weekly Intravenous maintenance 10 mg/kg monthly Subcutaneous maintenance 360 mg weekly

Subcutaneous initial treatment weekly

Simplified Diagnosis

Simplified diagnosis with blood-based biomarkers
Screening & confirmational

Broadened Indication

Potential approval for pre-symptomatic Alzheimer's





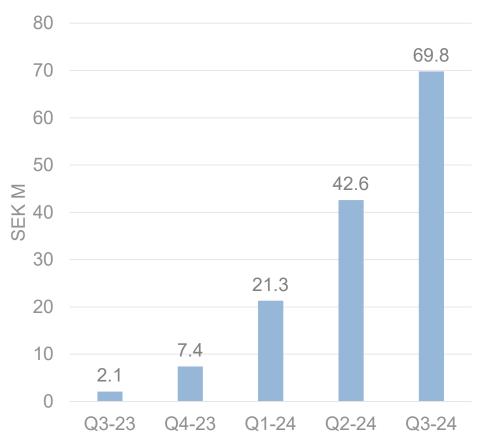






## Legembi US sales lower than expected, offset by strong development in Japan and China - Eisai revises forecast



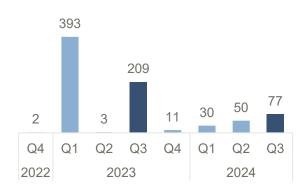


- Global sales Q3-24 were ¥ 10 B ( ~67 MUSD), ~66% increase from Q2-24
  - Royalties increased by 64% to SEK 69.8 M
- US expansion slower than expected
  - ~ ¥ 5.9 B in Q3 (~39 MUSD), ~30% growth from Q2
  - Strong demand but bottleneck in infusion capacity, ~6,000 patients waiting for treatment
  - Infusion capacity will increase during q4 and q1 by 80-90%
- Continued strong development in Japan
  - ~ ¥ 2.7 B in Q3 (~18 MUSD), ~80% growth from Q2
  - ~800 facilities treating ~5.000 patients
  - TV DTC campaign starting Nov. 15 to raise awareness about MCI and promote early diagnosis
- Strong start in China after launch in end of June
  - ~ ¥ 1.2 B in Q3 (~8 MUSD)
  - ~240 hospitals treating ~3.000 patients
  - Self-pay market using blood-based biomarkers and digital platform
- Eisai adjusted FY 2024 (q2-24 q1-25 ) forecast of ¥ 56.5 B (~370 MUSD) to ¥ 42.5 B (~280 MUSD)
  - Mid- and long-term forecasts unchanged



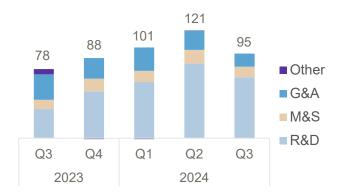
## Operating loss of SEK 26 M in the third quarter

#### **Net Revenues (SEK M)**



- Q3 net revenues were SEK 77 M (209)
  - No milestone payments Q3 2024
- The two new revenue streams will continue to shift revenue mix over time
  - Royalty SEK 69.8 M in Q3
  - Co-promotion SEK 3.0 M in Q3

#### **OPEX** by function (SEK M)



- Operating expenses increased to SEK 95 M (78) in Q3
  - R&D 72% of total operating expenses, M&S 12%
- Costs expected to increase during remainder of 2024
  - Progression of project portfolio
  - No expansion in commercial organization until final CHMP opinion

#### **Operating Profit/Loss (SEK M)**

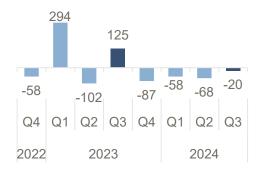


- Operating loss was SEK 26 M (profit 131) for Q3
  - Milestone payment received in Q3 2023



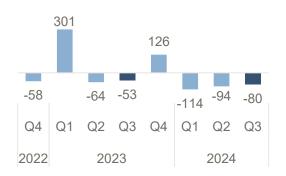
## Growing royalties further strengthen the financial base

#### **Net Result (SEK M)**



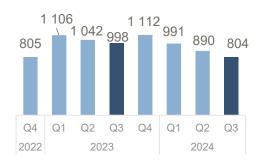
 Net loss for Q3 was SEK 20 M (125)

## **Cash Flow From Operating Activities (SEK M)**



 Operating cash flow was a negative SEK 80 M (neg. 53) in Q3

#### **Cash Balance (SEK M)**



 Cash balance including short-term investments was SEK 804 M at the end of the third quarter

Revenues will continue to increase going forward, expected to lead to profitability







## **Upcoming news flow**

Q4 2024

Q1 2025

Q2 2025

Q3 2025

Congresses

CTAD, Oct 29 - Nov 1

AD/PD, Apr 1 - Apr 5

AAIC, Jul 27 - Jul 31

Start of Phase 2a with exidavnemab

Final CHMP opinion on lecanemab

Potential US approval of lecanemab iv maintenance dosing

Potential EU approval of lecanemab

Potential US approval of lecanemab subcutaneous maintenance dosing

Potential US filing of lecanemab subcutaneous induction dosing

Further regulatory responses regarding lecanemab



## **In summary**

Early pipeline progressing well

Leqembi royalty revenue continues to grow

Finances remain solid





BioArctic will, through world-leading innovative research, create drugs that improve the lives of patients with neurodegenerative diseases.

